

# Leopalace21 Corporation Financial Results for Fiscal Year 2022

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# Occupancy rate

Continued execution of boosting measures made the occupancy rate increase to 88.83%, a 0.39 point above the plan at the end of March 2023.

## PL/BS

Substantial growth with net income of JPY 19.8 billion (+ JPY 7.9 billion YoY). Equity ratio rose to 14.5%, a 13.8 p increase and cash and deposit was built up to JPY 53.5 billion, an increase of JPY 8.0 billion compared with the results of March 2022 respectively.

EBITDA increased by JPY 5.3 billion to JPY 16.4 billion and will reach JPY 30.0 billion in FY2024.

## Cash Flows

Cash flows from operating activities improved significantly to JPY +10.5 bil (JPY +15.0 billion YoY) due to improved revenue from Leasing Business.

Cash flows from operating activities was positive for the first time in five fiscal years.

# Construction defects management

Good progress of plan made the remaining number of rooms with obvious defects decline to about 29,400. The number of rooms repaired during end of April 2022 to end of April 2023 was 7,452.

Start discussing with tenants so that repair works can be done before the move-out to further accelerate the progress.

# Capital Efficiency

The Company will eliminate through recapitalization the deficit in retained earnings carried forward, which is the source of dividends. The Company intends to soon realize a flexible and agile shareholder return, such as share buybacks and resumption of dividends.

# Outline of the Financial Results for FY2022 & Management Plan for FY2023



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# Strengthen profitability and stabilize financial base

Increase ownership equity by strengthening profitability, and consider improving shareholder returns and capital efficiency.

Average occupancy rate 87.20%

Occupancy rate at March-end 91.40%

Operating profit JPY 13.9 billion

Net income JPY 7.4 billion Equity ratio 18.5%

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### Promote structural reform and DX

Continue constant structural reforms and utilize digital technology to improve customer convenience and operational efficiency.

Transfer or withdraw from non-core unprofitable businesses

Work out an effective human resources strategy

Steadily build up smart lock installation

# Carry on repairing construction defects

Continue repairing obvious construction defects to complete it by end of Dec 2024.

Reinforce the structure to achieve the repair plan and utilize company-wide available resources.

# Strengthen governance



Operating profit rose 457% YoY due to increased occupancy rate and lean cost structure.

	EV0004	EVOCCO	EVOCCO			Factors contribution to
(JPY million)	FY2021 Actual	FY2022 Plan	FY2022 Actual	YoY	Compared with Plan	Factors contributing to changes
Net sales	398,366	410,800	406,449	+8,082	(4,350)	Failed to achieve the plan due to unplanned transfer of subsidiary Morizou Co., Ltd., lowered occupancy rate of Guam, and lagging apartment occupancy rates in July and Aug
Cost of sales	352,289	348,800	353,163	+874	+4,363	Expensing some home appliances installed in apartment of JPY 1.4 bil,
Gross profit	46,077	62,000	53,285	+7,208	(8,714)	soaring utility costs and prices of construction materials and labor, in
%	11.6%	15.1%	13.1%	+1.5 p	(2.0) p	addition to smaller reversal of provision for apartment vacancy loss of JPY 2.0 bil (plan: JPY 3.0 bil) increased cost of sales, which exceeded the plan.
SG&A	44,302	50,300	43,406	(895)	(6,893)	SG&A expenses were significantly lower than planned due to continued
Operating profit	1,774	11,700	9,879	+8,104	(1,820)	cost reduction, despite recording of provision of allowance for doubtful
%	0.4%	2.8%	2.4%	+2.0 p	(0.4) p	accounts of JPY 0.9 bil.
EBITDA	11,127	18,300	16,449	+5,322	(1,850)	Recurring profit was higher than planned due to foreign exchange
Recurring profit	(2,151)	6,800	6,526	+8,678	(273)	gains of JPY 0.3 bil despite interest expenses of JPY 4.3 bil.
Net income	11,854	24,900	19,810	+7,956	(5,089)	Extraordinary losses included loss related to repairs of JPY 2.5 bil and impairment loss of JPY 0.8 for Guam and others.
Ave. occupancy rate	81.22%	85.05%	84.66%	+3.44 p	(0.39) p	Net income significantly exceeded the result of FY 2021 but did not reach the plan due to the shortfall of the planned
EPS (JPY)	36.04	75.71	60.22	+ 24.18	(15.49)	deferred tax assets considering taxable income for coming years.



The Company expects no increase in deferred tax assets.

Operating profit and EBITDA is planned to recover and reach the level before the revelation of construction defects problem in FY2024.

	FY2023 .			FY2023	
(JPY million)	Plan	YoY	Factors Contributing to Changes	Plan (reference)	YoY
Sales	419,800	+13,351	Sales from Leasing Business grow substantially due to increased occupancy rates.	432,200	+12,400
Cost of sales	355,400	+2,237	The exercise of contractual adjustments for master-lease rent has run its course, which will	353,000	(2,400)
Gross profit	64,400	+11,115	take effect in the reduction of leasing operation cost.	79,200	+14,800
%	15.3%	+2.2 p	Increased utility cost affects cost of apartment rent under monthly rental contract. Higher restoration and maintenance costs due to soaring material and labor unit costs. Balance of provision for apartment vacancy loss remains unchanged.	18.3%	+3.0 p
SG&A	50,500	+7,094	Personnel expenses increase mainly due to base	55,400	+4,900
Operating profit	13,900	+4,021	Salary increase and provision for bonuses.  Other elements include IT system investment and	23,800	+9,900
%	3.3%	+0.9 p	resumption of new graduate hiring	5.5%	+2.2 p
EBITDA	20,500	+4,050		30,400	+9,900
Recurring profit	9,400	+2,874	No extraordinary income/losses are planned.  No increase in deferred tax assets is expected.	20,100	+10,700
Net income	7,400	(12,410)	- (FY2022 actual: JPY +18.5 billion)	18,100	+10,700
Average Occupancy rate	87.20%	+2.54 p	Occupancy rate is expected to steadily grow.	89.62%	+2.42 p
ESP (JPY)	22.49	(37.73)	, , , , , , , ,	55.01	+32.52



Chap 1

Cost of sales for Q4 FY2022 were higher than the initial plan due to increased utility costs, soaring materials and labor unit costs, and recording of increased provision for apartment vacancy loss. Costs in total rose including increased provision of allowance for doubtful accounts in SG&A expenses.

The Company plans to raise apartment room rents, common-area fees, and monthly usage fees to cope with rising utilities, labor costs, and other expenses.

( IDV				FY2	2022					FY2	2023	
(JPY million)	C	21	C	2	C	23	Q4		Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Tillillott)	Plan	Actual	Plan	Actual	Plan	Actual	Plan	Actual	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan
Sales	100,400	101,406	102,000	101,053	103,300	101,056	105,100	102,931	104,900	104,200	104,400	106,300
Cost of sales	88,100	86,908	87,900	87,597	87,300	87,315	85,500	91,341	88,500	88,300	88,600	90,000
Gross profit	12,300	14,498	14,100	13,456	16,000	13,740	19,600	11,590	16,400	15,900	15,800	16,300
SG&A	11,800	10,919	12,000	10,073	11,200	9,934	15,300	12,479	12,000	12,300	12,400	13,800
Operating profit	500	3,579	2,100	3,383	4,800	3,806	4,300	(889)	4,400	3,600	3,400	2,500
Recurring profit	△800	2,643	900	2,790	3,600	3,014	3,100	(1,921)	3,200	2,500	2,300	1,400
Net income	△1,400	1,630	400	2,061	3,300	1,857	22,600	14,261	2,500	2,000	1,900	1,000



(JF	PY million)	End of FY2021	End of Q2 FY2022	End of FY2022
	Cash and deposits	45,523	48,149	53,560
	Trade receivables	8,618	7,981	8,121
То	tal assets	145,430	148,282	166,548
	Interest-bearing debt*	33,045	32,867	32,831
	Provision for loss related to repairs	18,086	16,498	17,583
	Provision for apartment vacancy loss	5,632	2,947	3,590
То	tal liabilities	134,396	127,309	133,625
	Common stock	100	100	100
	Capital surplus	136,345	136,240	136,240
	Retained earnings	(135,749)	(130,128)	(116,006)
	Total shareholders' equity (A)	392	6,005	20,128
	Total accumulated other comprehensive income (B)	675	6,273	3,986
	Ownership equity (A) + (B)	1,068	12,279	24,115
	Equity ratio	0.7%	8.3%	14.5%
	Share subscription rights	357	284	284
	Non-controlling interests	9,608	8,408	8,522
То	tal net assets	11,034	20,972	32,922
То	tal liabilities and total net assets	145,430	148,282	166,548

#### **Factors contributing to changes**

#### ■ Cash and deposits

Q4 saw increase of JPY 5.4 bil QoQ due to positive cash flows from operating activities which increased by JPY 8.0 bil for FY2022

#### ■ Provision for losses related to repairs

(current: JPY 6.0 bil: non-current: JPY 11.5 bil) Decrease of JPY 0.5 bil reflecting the progress of repairs in FY2022.

#### ■ Provision for apartment vacancy loss

(current: JPY 0.0 bil: non-current JPY 3.5 bil)

Reversal of JPY 2.6 bil for Q3 cumulatively as a result of reduced number of fixed rent period for master-lease contract. Built up JPY 0.6 bil for Q4 due to lowered profitability of a certain number of apartments

(Q1: JPY - 0.5 bil. Q2: JPY - 0.9 bil. Q3:JPY - 1.1 bil. Q4: JPY +0.6 bil)

#### ■ Accumulated other comprehensive income

Recorded foreign currency translation adjustments of JPY 3.3 bil for FY2022 due to weaker JPY.

#### ■ Ownership equity

Ownership equity augmented by JPY 23.0 bil for FY2022 due to increase in retained earnings as a result of net income and in accumulated other comprehensive income.

#### ■ Non-controlling interests

Decrease by JPY 1.0 bil for FY2022 due to Leopalace Power Corporation's acquisition of own shares and dividends payment.

<sup>\*</sup> Interest-bearing debt = borrowings + lease obligations

Eliminate deficit in retained earnings carried forward, which is the source of dividends, through recapitalization.

Capital Reserve Reduction and Appropriation of Other Capital Surplus\*

### ▼Shareholders' equity (non-consolidated basis)

	(JPY billion)	Before appropriation		$\rightarrow$	After appropriation
С	Common stock	0.1			0.1
C	Capital surplus	131.2			131.2
	Capital reserve	51.2	10.0	→ 10.0	10.0
	Other capital surplus	79.9	41.2	121.2	14.3
R	etained earnings	(106.8)		(106.8)	106.8 0

- Reducing the amount of capital reserve of JPY 41.2 billion and appropriating other capital surplus
- Transferring other capital surplus of JPY 106.8 billion to retained earnings carried forward
- 3 Retained earnings became JPY 0 and compensated for the deficit

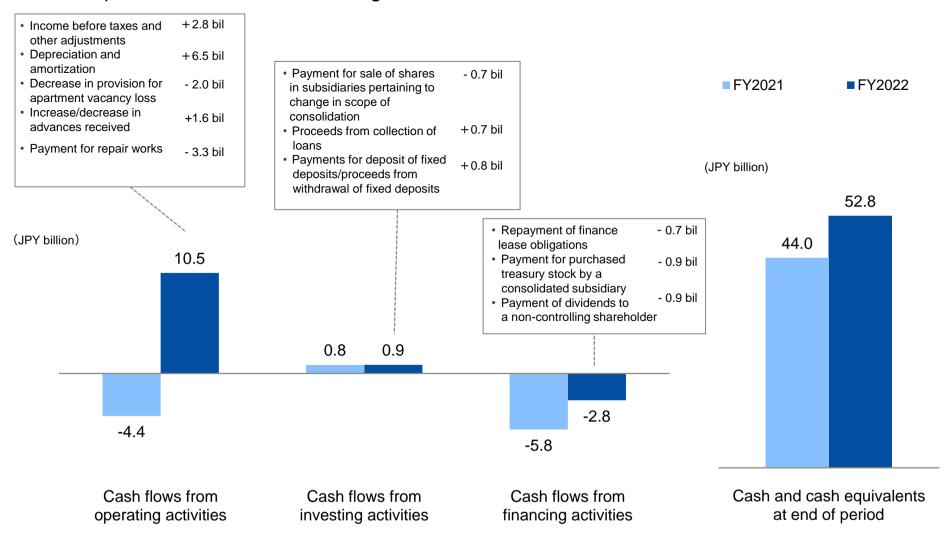
Securing a flexible and agile capital policy that enables early resumption of dividends

<sup>\*</sup> The Company is to submit a proposal to the 50th Ordinary General Shareholders' Meeting scheduled for June 29, 2023

Effective date: June 29, 2023 (planned)

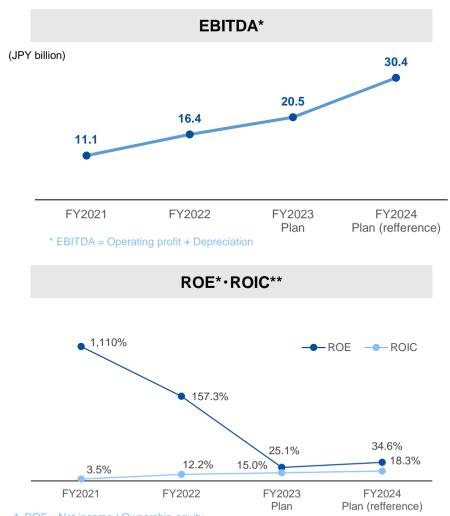


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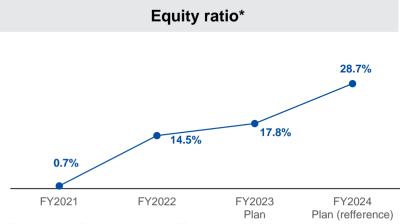


Each key indicator will reach a high level in FY2024 due to the strengthening of Leasing Business and financial base.

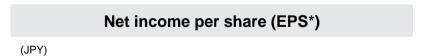


<sup>\*</sup> ROE = Net income / Ownership equity





\* Equity ratio = Ownership equity / Total capital (Liability and Net assets)\*100



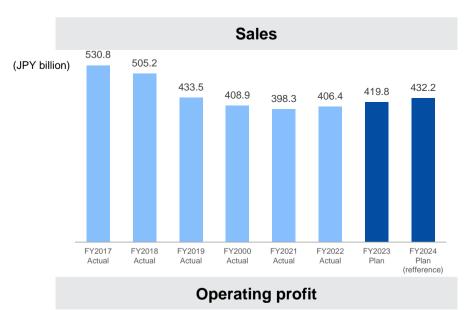


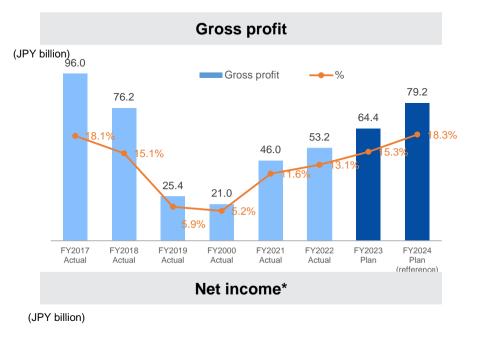
<sup>\*</sup> EPS = Net income / Number of shares outstanding

(JPY billion)

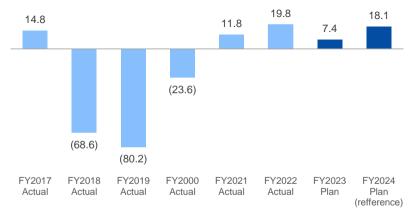


Operating profit has been increasing since FY2019 reflecting the profit structure improvement. Continued structural reforms increased net income to sales ratio and that of FY2024 outperforms FY2017.



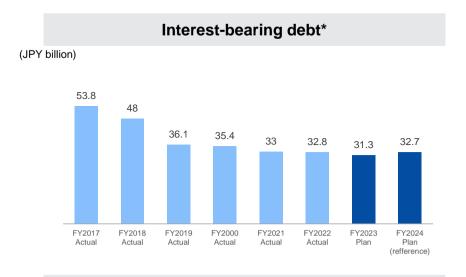








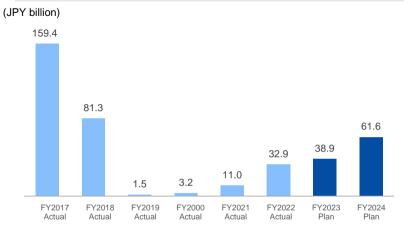
Strengthen equity capital by improving profitability and move toward shareholder returns such as dividend resumption and share buybacks.





#### (JPY billion)<sub>106.5</sub> 84.5 71.0 60.5 54.8 55.7 53.5 45.5 FY2018 FY2019 FY2000 FY2022 FY2023 Actual Actual Actual

**Cash and deposits** 



Interest-bearing debt = borrowings + lease obligations + bonds

Does not factor in prepayment of borrowings, refinancing, or conversion of stock acquisition rights.

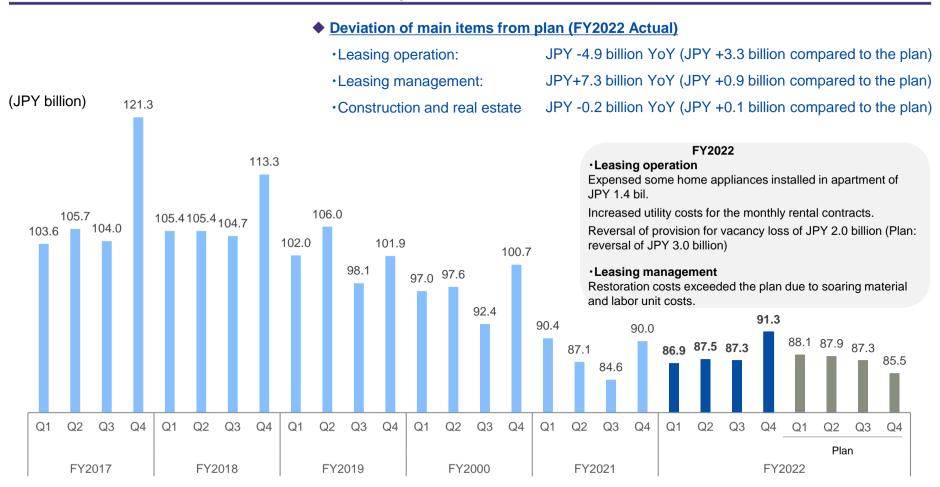
**Chapter 2** Optimization of Cost Structure

## 1: Optimization of Cost Structure for FY2022 (Cost of sales)



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#### Quarterly Trends of Cost of Sales

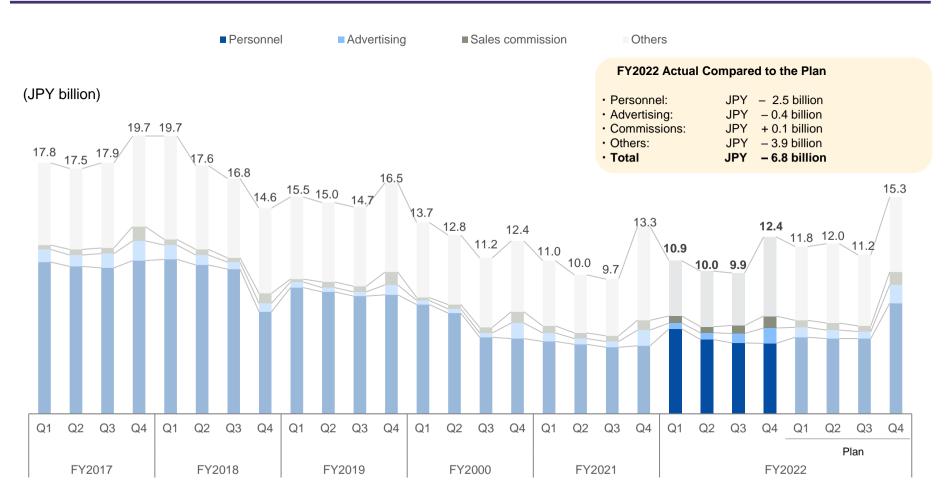


## 2: Optimization of Cost Structure for FY2022 (SG&A expenses)



SG&A expenses were significantly lower than planned due to a decrease in personnel expenses resulting from delays in hiring employees and significant curtailment of other SG&A expense

### Quarterly Trends of SG&A Expenses

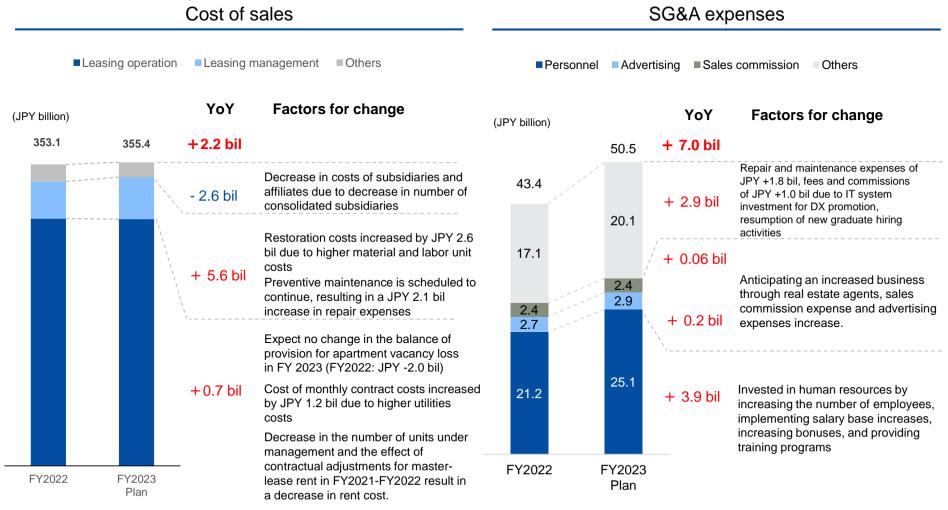


<sup>\*</sup> Other SG&A expenses: Taxes and public charges, commission expense, rent expense, repair and maintenance expenses, and depreciation and amortization

## 3: FY2023 Plan of Cost of sales and SG&A expenses



The Company will focus on restraining costs through selective concentration for FY2022 onward in order to achieve sustainable growth, in addition to cutting costs across the Company since the revelation of the construction defects problem.

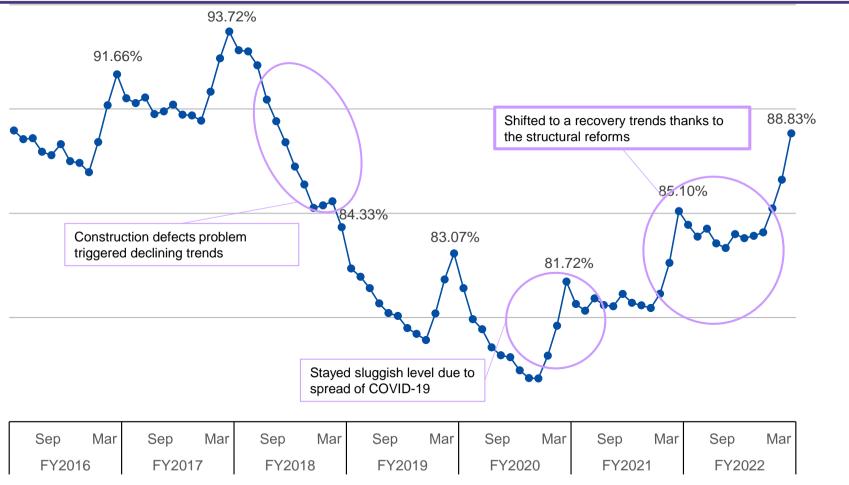




**Chapter 3** Occupancy Rate and Occupancy Boosting Measures

Occupancy rate had been increasing until FY 2017 after the financial crises, it started to decrease from FY2018 due to the construction defects problem and COVID-19. By implementing measures to improve occupancy rate, it bottomed out in December FY2020 and turned to a recovery trends.

### Occupancy Rate





The occupancy rate as of end of March 2023 achieved the plan.

The occupancy rate is planned to increase in FY2024 to the previous level of FY2017, which was prior to the revelation of construction defects problem.



<sup>\*</sup>Monthly Data: https://eg.leopalace21.co.jp/ir/finance/getsuji.html



Refine the occupancy rate boosting measures exercised in FY2022 to achieve the occupancy rate plan.

### Corporate: Acquire larger share of business

Obtain customer's buy-in for realizing corporate housing strategy as an expert

- ◆ <u>Top-level sales activities</u> Involve senior management team in customer interaction for resolving issues faced by the customer.
- Reinforce sales organizational structure
   Reorganized the sales teams mainly for Tokyo metropolitan area.

   11 departments instead of 8 for increased customer interaction time.
- Individual customer strategy
   Increase use of room by responding to specific requirements.
  - <Extended corporate sales>
    Responsible for strengthening six industries; Staffing & outsourcing, Construction, Transportation, Food & beverage, Wholesale / Retail, and Nursing-care.
- <Area-based corporate sales>
  Build strong relationship with local companies.

Attract foreign nationals for increased use of rooms

Expand business by working with staffing agencies for foreign nationals and support agencies.

(Note) FY2023 plan for no. of contracts of corporate customers with foreign national tenants: About 10,000

# Individual: Utilize real estate agents and web-based services

#### Collaborate with real estate agents

- Strengthen sales to real estate agents by working with major real estate agents and Village House in Fortress Group.
- ◆ FY2022 achievement
  - No. of rental contracts through real estate agents: 39,728 (+11.7% YoY)
  - Ratio of contracts with individual customers through agents: 43.3% (+4.4 p YoY)

Attract international students for increased use of rooms

Acquire increasing demand mainly by international students coming to Japan.

Utilize seven IFCs and reinforce relationship with real estate agents and service providers which cater for students' needs.

(Note) FY2023 plan for individual rental contracts: About 12,000

Number of units used by foreign national tenants is about 43 thousand, comprising about 23 thousand individual customers and about 20 thousand under corporate contracts, 8.5% of total occupation. (+1.6 p from end of FY2021 and +0.1 p against Q3 result)

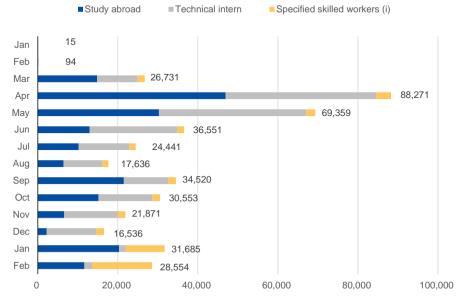
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Contracts with foreign national customers (Individual customers)

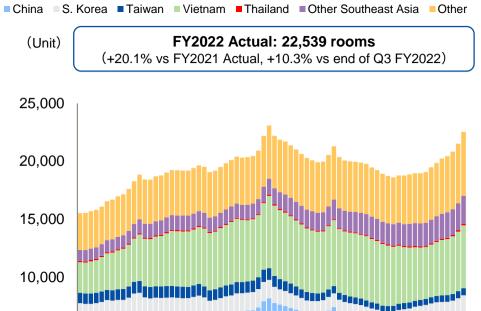
► FY2022 Actual 12,011 (- 989 vs plan; +3,902 YoY)

#### **▼**Trends of foreign nationals entering Japan\*



\*Source: Statistics on number of foreign nationals entering Japan and the number of Japanese nationals returning to Japan (Immigration Services Agency)

Trends of No. of contracts with individual foreign nationals



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FY18/3 | FY2018 | FY2019 | FY2020 | FY2021 | FY2022

Approximately 80% of listed companies in Japan use Leopalace21 services.

All sectors showed growth at the end of Q4 FY2022 in comparison with end of Q4 FY2021 and end of Q3 FY2022.

(41,704) (Units)	(43,046)	(42,776)	(43,349)	(42,841)	(44,372)	(43,735)	(44,149)	(43,831)	YoY +5.5% +1.3%	QoQ +7.2% +7.6%	Total Transportation
				280,810	278,688	278,045	276,328	296,301	+3.8%	+9.1% +8.3%	Hospitality Service
266,814 11,035	263,144 10,659	262,551 10,440	259,779 10,174	10,963 14,966	10,510 14,712	10,511 14,465	10,324 14,245	15,541 28,825	+1.4%		
14,826 29,093	14,489 28,001	14,233 27,158	13,750 26,121	28,434	27,503	26,923	26,620	29,663	+3.6%	+7.6%	Others
28,830	29,084	27,602	26,362	28,645	30,267	28,498	27,571	37,826	+2.8%	+7.3%	Manufacturing
38,412	36,335	34,931	34,409	36,810	36,275	35,684	35,250	40,264	+1.6%	+10.3%	Wholesale / Retail
39,396	37,690	36,542	35,771	39,640	37,872	37,032	36,517	10,201			
46,984	48,418	50,640	52,551	58,257	58,354	60,271	60,765	65,392	+12.2%	+7.6%	Staffing & outsourcing
58,238	58,468	61,005	60,641	63,095	63,195	64,661	65,036	67,682	+7.3%	+4.1%	Construction
4Q FY2020	1Q	2Q FY	3Q 2021	4Q	1Q	2Q FY2	3Q 2022	4Q			

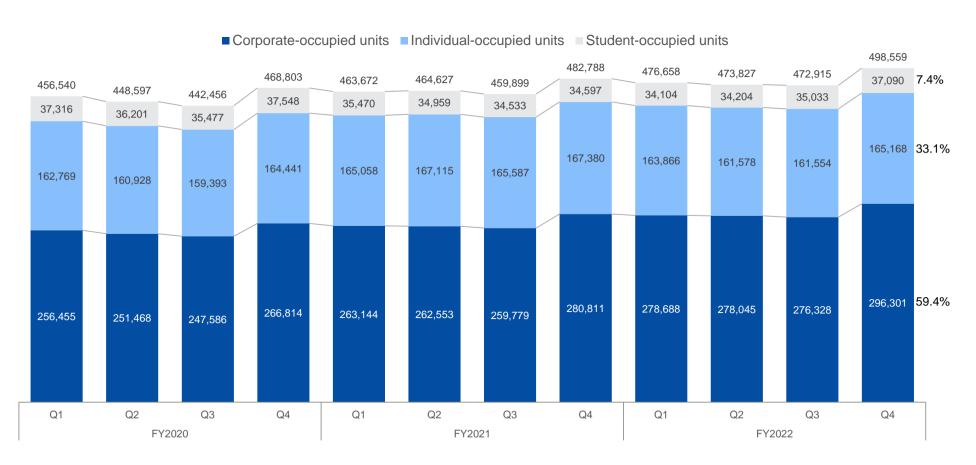


# 6: Shares of Occupied Units by Customer Segment



The number of occupied units grew substantially as at the end of FY2022. Major contributor: corporate customers with 296,300 units, which comes next to the all-time high 309,062 units as of the end of FY2017.

(Units)





## Chap 3 7: Units and Occupancy Rates by Prefecture



Occupancy rate in Hokkaido increased +5 p YoY, +6 p QoQ due to demand for Shinkansen construction and redevelopment around terminal station. The rate in Kumamoto increased +5 p YoY, +2 p QoQ due the construction of new factories in the manufacturing industry.

Managed unit: in thousands.		Q4 FY2022						
Occupancy:%	Managed units	Occupancy rate	YoY	QoQ				
Hokkaido	13	83%	+5 p	+6 p				
Aomori	4	83%	-1 p	+2 p				
Iwate	3	93%	-1 p	+2 p				
Miyagi	10	89%	+5 p	+4 p				
Akita	2	92%	-2 p	+8 p				
Yamagata	4	89%	+6 P	+6 p				
Fukushima	10	86%	+3 P	+3 p				
Ibaraki	15	89%	+6 p	+5 p				
Tochigi	11	87%	+3 p	+3 p				
Gunma	12	84%	+7 p	+4 p				
Saitama	46	90%	+5 p	+6 p				
Chiba	33	87%	+7 p	+6 p				
Tokyo	44	93%	+8 p	+7 p				
Kanagawa	40	93%	+4 p	+6 p				
Toyama	5	85%	+4 p	+10 p				
Ishikawa	5	81%	+6 p	+7 p				

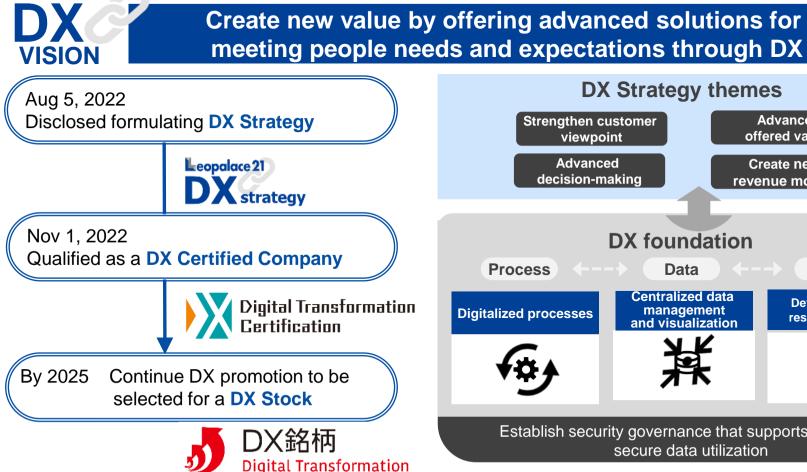
Managed unit: in thousands,		Q4 F	′2022	
Occupancy:%	Managed Occupancy units rate		YoY	QoQ
Fukui	4	88%	-7 p	+3 p
Yamanashi	4	91%	+5 p	+3 p
Nagano	11	93%	+7 p	+4 p
Niigata	9	87%	+8 p	+6 p
Gifu	7	87%	±0 p	+3 p
Shizuoka	24	82%	+5 p	+3 p
Aichi	41	91%	+1 p	+5 p
Mie	11	77%	-8 p	±0 p
Shiga	8	96%	+2 p	+2 p
Kyoto	9	92%	+3 p	+5 p
Osaka	31	88%	+5 p	+6 p
Hyogo	22	89%	+4 p	+3 p
Nara	3	91%	+4 p	+5 p
Wakayama	3	82%	+5 p	+4 p
Tottori	2	87%	-4 p	+1 p
Shimane	2	94%	-3 p	-2 p

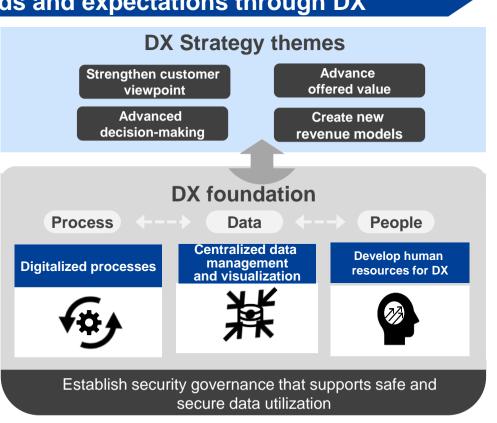
Managed unit: in thousands,	Q4 FY2022							
Occupancy:%	Managed units	Occupancy rate	YoY	QoQ				
Okayama	12	84%	-1 p	+4 p				
Hiroshima	13	91%	+3 p	+4 p				
Yamaguchi	7	90%	+1 p	+5 p				
Tokushima	2	79%	-10 p	+2 p				
Kagawa	5	82%	+2 p	+5 p				
Ehime	4	83%	-3 p	+4 p				
Kochi	2	87%	+1 p	+3 p				
Fukuoka	20	89%	+3 p	+4 p				
Saga	3	91%	+1 p	+3 p				
Nagasaki	2	95%	+2 p	+4 p				
Kumamoto	7	95%	+5 p	+2 p				
Oita	4	84%	±0 p	+3 p				
Miyazaki	2	88%	+4 p	+4 p				
Kagoshima	3	92%	+6 p	+5 p				
Okinawa	5	97%	+4 p	+4 p				
Total	561	89%	+4 p	+5 p				



Promotion of Sustainability (DX Promotion, Human Resources Strategy, Carbon Neutrality)

The Company was qualified as a DX Certified Company under the DX Certification System established by the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry on November 1, 2022.





- Smart lock installation exceeded 90,000 rooms. A new tenant service of AI-powered Speech Dialog System and Chatbot Tool was rolled out in Feb 2023.
- Having all types of lease contracts for individual tenants ready for electronic signing from Apr 2023.

#### **Smart Lock**

- Introduced since Jun 2022 with the planned installation of 440,000 apartment units under management in steps to service.
- It enables tenants to view rooms or move in the room with no need of visiting leasing sales office for receiving the key.
- ◆ Tenants can <u>avoid the lost key</u> because the entrance door can be unlocked by multiple authentication methods using a smart phone, a smart card, or a PIN entry to a keypad.

#### Al-powered Speech Dialog System and Chatbot Tool

◆ Al technology can respond to tenants' inquiries quickly and accurately 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.



#### **Web-based contracts**

- ◆ 2015 Leo-sign (Electronic contract)
- Introduced in 2015 for corporate customers.
- FY2022 actual: 37.5% of corporate lease contracts used *Leo-sign*.
- ◆ 2019 Web-based contract
  - Launched in June 2019
  - FY2022 actual: 16,415
- ◆ 2020 Web-based customer service / room viewing
- Rolled out in Oct 2020.
   Use of video calling for integrated service eliminated the need of visiting the leasing sales offices.
- **2023** –

Extended the scope of electronic signing utility for all lease contracts for individual tenants which require a joint guarantor



- ◆ 2021 eKYC (Know your customer
- Started in Jan 2021.
   Replaces submission of identity verification document for car park contracts with a digitized
   ID document and a web-based interview for examination.



The Board of Directors takes the lead of human resources strategy as it handles one of the most important management resources.

Highlighted six most important themes. Details are to be disclosed in annual securities report at the end of Jun 2023 and in integrated report at the end of Sep 2023.

# Put Well-being Management in priority

- President and CEO becomes the chief officer to promote well-being management.
- Improved health and workplace vitality are sources of innovation
- Well-being information is communicated in each office and health committee.

# Increase employee engagement

- Motivate each employee.
- Foster attachment to the Company and build a relationship of integral mutual growth between employees and the Company.

# Committed to Diversity and Inclusion

- Maximize human resources' abilities by recognizing, accepting, and respecting diversity of attributes.
- Create an environment that enables lower turnover, higher employee satisfaction.

# Implement strategic acquisition of diverse human resources

- Promote hiring of new graduates, ex-employee rejoining, establishing specialist personnel positions, and use of part-time workers.
- Attract a diverse workforce that will shape the Company's future.

# Strengthen a sense of compliance and develop ethical standard

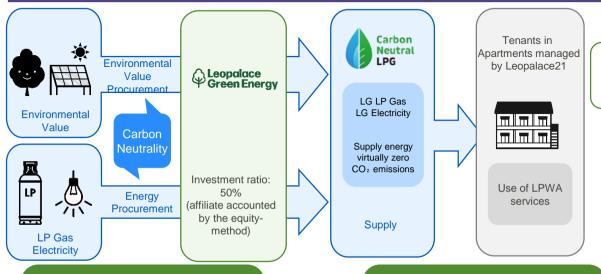
- Develop a sound corporate culture trusted by customers, employees, and society as a whole through thorough management of work hours and hygiene.
- ◆ Fulfill corporate social responsibility.

# Promote Leader Development and Succession Planning

- Promote sustainable growth of each employee in the career.
- Prepare a pool of management personnel who will be responsible for the future of the Company.

Leopalace21 plans to offer Green LP Gas and LPWA services with virtually zero CO<sub>2</sub> emissions to the apartments under management starting in 2023, in response to the government's declaration of Carbon Neutrality by 2050.

Leopalace Green Energy Project



Aims to start supplying approx. 400 thousand units by 2025



Contribute to reducing 360,000 t-CO<sub>2</sub> per year

**Leopalace Green LP Gas** 

LP Gas with virtually zero CO<sub>2</sub> emissions

The LP gas offsets the greenhouse gases generated in the entire value chain of LP gas, including transportation from production to consumption, by carbon credits obtained from environmental conservation projects, thereby making virtually zero CO<sub>2</sub> emissions from LP gas

LPWA Services\*1

Remote operation of gas valve opening and automatic detection of gas leaks

LGLP gas supplier will strive for a fair and transparent LGLP gas rate structure through operational efficiency for improving convenience and safety through web-based acceptance of openings, web-based billing, and 24-hour gas usage monitoring.

Leopalace Green Electricity\*2

<u>Virtually zero CO<sub>2</sub> emissions</u> during power generation

It is renewable energy power with virtually zero CO<sub>2</sub> emissions with non-fossil certificate (certifying the value of no carbon dioxide emissions during power generation).

<sup>\*1</sup> LPWA: Low Power Wide Area

<sup>\*2</sup> Leopalace Green Electricity is scheduled for service start as soon as it is ready.

**Chapter 5** Construction Defects Management



### Estimated number of rooms requiring repairs: About 29,400 rooms

18,878 rooms have been found defective as a result of the investigation. It is estimated that about 29,400 rooms need repairs, by adding 18,878 rooms to about 10,530 uninvestigated rooms that are estimated to be defective based on the past investigation results.

(As of April 30, 2023)

		No. of buildings	No. of all rooms which corresponds		
Apartment series	No. of buildings	containing obvious defects	to No of buildings containing obvious defects	No. of rooms requiring repairs	No. of rooms with repairs completed
Nail Series / Six Series Total	15,283	7,722	121,289	83,948	48,562
Other Series Total	23,802	4,554	70,904	45,535	9,404
Grand Total	39,085	12,276	192,193	129,483	57,966

Expected No. of to-be-repaired rooms
17,520
11,880
29,400

#### Plan for July 2022 – March 2023

Completed repairs for approximately 6,000 rooms by the end of March 2023. Actual result for July 2022 – March 2023: 6,002

Steadily repair construction defects while continuing to rebuild the financial base. Aims to eliminate the rest of rooms with obvious defects by the end of 2024.

Progress of repair works: <a href="https://www.leopalace21.co.jp/info/en/news/progress.html">https://www.leopalace21.co.jp/info/en/news/progress.html</a>

# **Appendix**

## 1: Corporate Profile

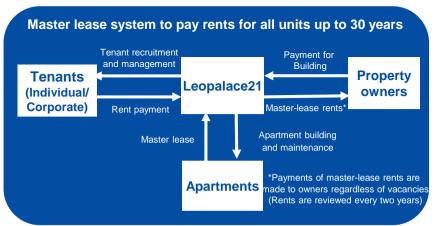


#### Corporate Data (as of March 31, 2023)

Established	August 17, 1973		
Paid-in Capital	JPY 100 million		
Representative Director	Bunya Miyao, President and CEO		
Employees	3,991 (consolidated), 2,804 (non-consolidated)		
Authorized Shares	750,000,000		
Outstanding Shares 329,389,515 shares (not including 159,748,700 dilutive share			
Shareholders	47,232		

#### **Business Model**

Offer 560,000 studio-type units equipped with furniture and home appliances approx. 80% of listed companies use Leopalace21's services



#### Group Companies (as of March 31, 2023)

Leasing	Leopalace Leasing Corporate housing agent	Plaza Guarantee Rent guarantee	ASUKA SSI Tenant contents insurance
	Leopalace Power Power generation	Leopalace21 Business Consulting (Shanghai) Tenant recruitment	Leopalace Green Energy Environment
Inter- national	Leopalace21 Singapore Pte. Ltd. Investment management		
Elderly Care	Azu Life Care Elderly care service		
Others	Leopalace Guam Co. Resort Business	Leopalace Smile Special subsidiary	

\* Results of the International Business and the Development Business are reported under the Leasing Business segment.

financial crisis



Leopalace21 shifted its business model to center on the Leasing Business after the global financial crisis. With construction defects problem revealed in FY2018 and another blow by COVID-19 impact starting from FY2020, implementing continuous structural reforms turned operating profit in FY2021.



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Impact by Covid-19

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