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FY 5/2023 (31st Period)

# **Full Year Financial Results**

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**INTER ACTION Corporation** 

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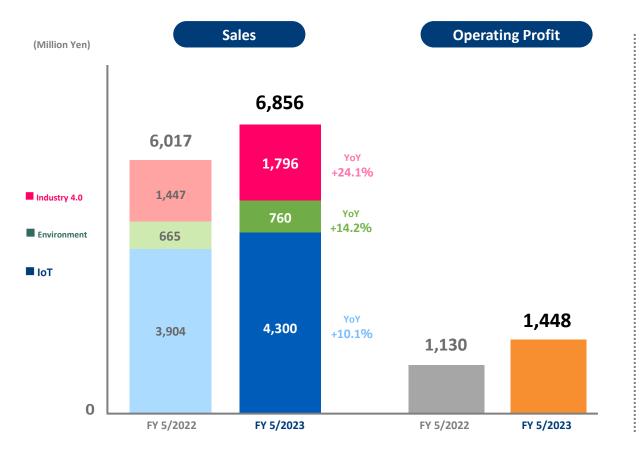
# **Summary of Financial Results**

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### **Key Points**

- The main points were strong growth in the IoT related and Promotion of Industry 4.0 businesses: consolidated sales and OP both grew YoY.
- > **IoT related business:** Strong sales of image sensor inspection use illuminators to our major overseas customer.
- **Environmental energy related business:** Strong sales of drying deodorizers and exhaust gas treatment systems.
- **Promotion of Industry 4.0 business:** Strong sales of vibration isolation and gear testing systems.



### **Changes in Major Management Indicators**

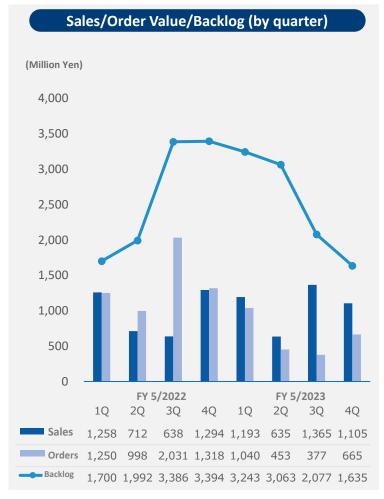
(Million JPY)	FY 5/2022	FY 5/2023	YoY Growth (%)
Sales	6,017	6,856	14.0
ОР	1,130	1,448	28.2
RP	1,196	1,503	25.6
NP	761	981	28.9
EPS	Y69.58	Y90.12	-

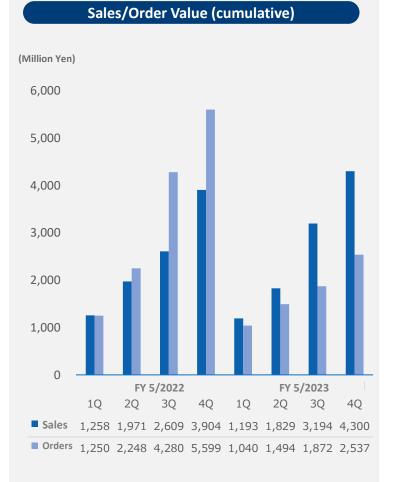
### **IoT Related Business**



### **Key Points**

- Sales of overseas illuminators were strong, so segmental sales and OP as a whole grew YoY.
- Orders declined YoY because of a concentration of orders from our main overseas customer in the previous period and, this year, temporary caution regarding capex among our image sensor manufacturer customers in light of declining demand for final products such as smartphones.





### **Major External Changes**

### (1) Market

(+) We estimate the image sensor market will continue growing medium term as the usage and application of highend and auto sensors increase.



### (2) Society

(—) Impact from societal uncertainties Demand for final applications such as smartphones continues to stagnate. Geopolitical risks such as new COVID strands continue.



### (3) Customer trends

- (+) Domestic: robust demand, to continue next year.
- (-) New overseas customer capex: conservative.



### **Major Internal Changes**

### (1) R&D

(+) Development of new illuminators Planning to sell new illuminators with higher inspection efficiency to a major customer. (Installation scheduled for FY 5/2024 - FY 5/2025)



(±) Development of our new PLM™ Strengthening R&D to further sharpen our competitive edge. Using the Nagasaki Development Centre effectively.



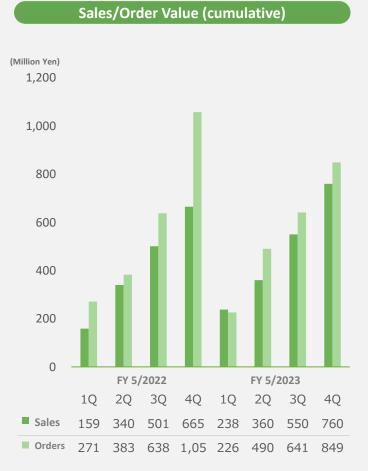
# **Environmental Energy Related Business**



### **Key Points**

- Drying deodorizer unit sales were strong, so sales grew YoY.
- On the other hand, soaring material prices and low margin spot orders meant OP declined YoY.
- We continue to focus on growth by developing new AE sensor products (failure prediction, maintenance systems) and planning next-generation energy products.





### **Major External Changes**

### (1) Market

(—) Trending to digital media Large printing companies in particular switching capex from paper media to digital.



(—) Rise in energy, raw material costs Price hikes on electricity, fuel, paper, ink etc. mean printing costs are trending up, limiting customer capex.



(—) Global parts shortages Delivery times for units and maintenance continue to be pushed back. Part deliveries are delayed, with some parts delayed over a year.



### (3) Customer trends

(+) Post-COVID rebound demand Recovered demand for ad fliers; unit inquiries continue to increase due to post-COVID rebound demand.



### **Major Internal Changes**

### (1) Working on new businesses

(+) AE sensors: prototypes under evaluation Also planning other new businesses.

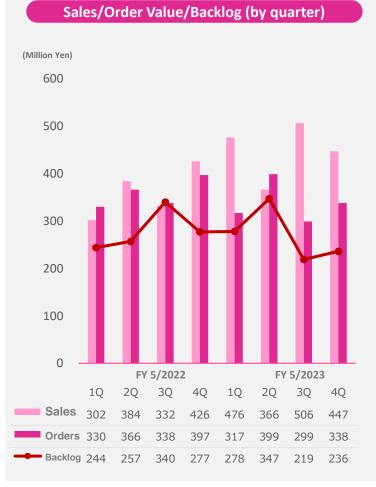


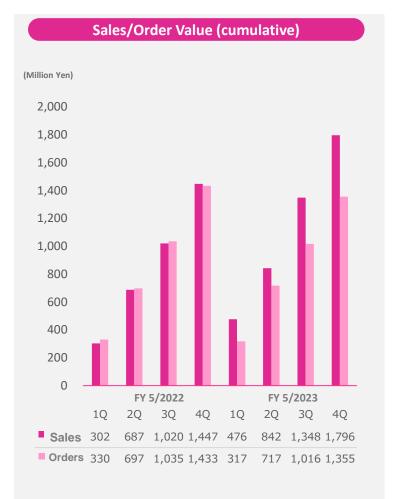
# **Promotion of Industry 4.0 Business**



### **Key Points**

- Sales and OP grew YoY for the segment as a whole.
- Precision vibration isolation systems: Strong sales domestically and overseas: sales and OP grew YoY. Monitoring app orders obtained.
- Gear testing systems: Strong sales domestically and overseas: sales and OP grew YoY. Demand growing for FA image processing equipment business even outside the gear sector.





### **Major External Changes**

### (1) Market

(土) Conditions in the machine tool market Automobile production continues to trend weak. Conversely, demand for industrial robots and construction machinery is strong. Also spreading to the gear manufacturing industry.



### (2) Society

(—) Supply chain uncertainty Continued price hikes and part delivery delays. Semiconductor shortage negatively impacting the auto industry.



### (3) Customer trends

(+) Overseas gear testing systems Demand for factory automation robots still strong. Increase in inquiries from China, India.



### **Major Internal Changes**

### (1) Growth in inquiries for new products

(+) FA image processing equipment Inquiries also in fields unrelated to gear testing. Aiming to break into new markets.



(+) Taking orders for vibration isolation equipment with

monitoring app.



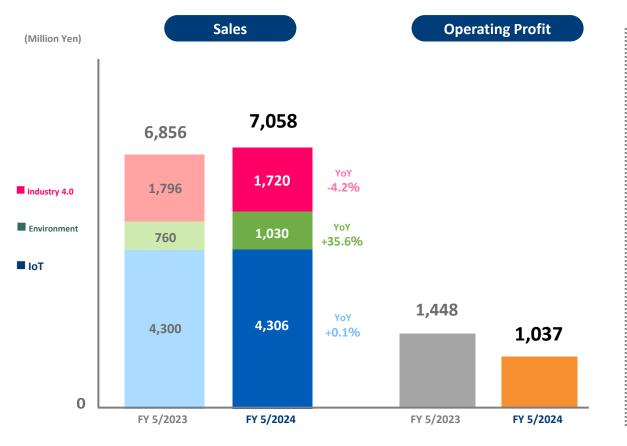
# Forecasts for the Fiscal Year Ending May 2024 and Future Outlook

# **FY 5/2024 Consolidated Forecast**



### **Key Points**

> We expect sales to grow YoY. Conversely, we expect sales mix deterioration in the IoT related and Promotion of Industry 4.0 businesses to lead to OP YoY decline.



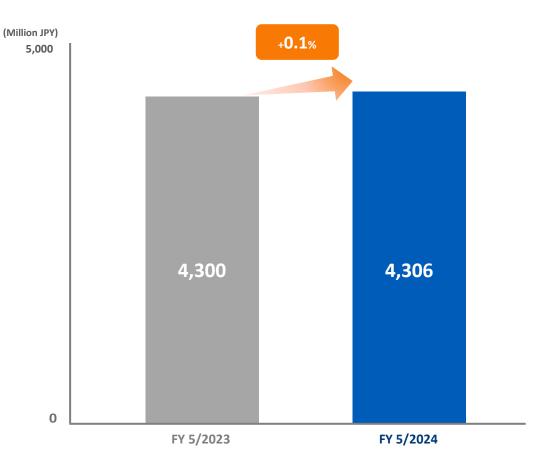
### **Changes in Major Management Indicators**

(Million JPY)	FY 5/2023	FY 5/2024	YoY Growth (%)
Sales	6,856	7,058	2.9
ОР	1,448	1,037	△28.4
RP	1,503	1,025	△31.8
NP	981	655	△33.2
EPS	Y90.12	Y60.49	-

# **IoT Related Business Outlook**



### **IoT Related Sales**





We expect robust capex from our main domestic customer as it strengthens production capacity.

We expect continuing limited capex from our main overseas customer due to caution regarding stagnating smartphone sales demand and production in some regions.

Future undertakings

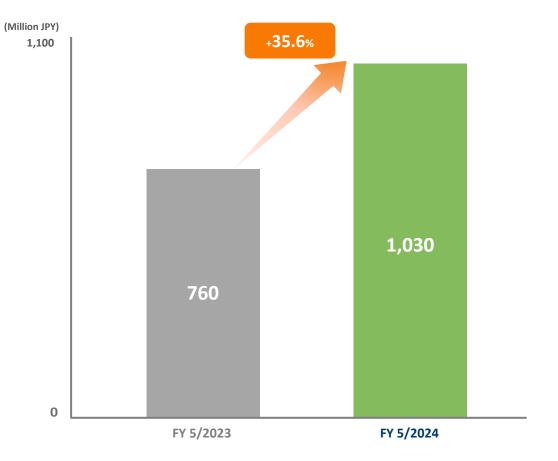
We plan to sell new, more efficient illuminators, mainly to our main domestic customer.

We believe the image sensor market will expand medium- to long-term as technology progresses, such as with sensors for self-driving vehicles. We foresee no change in our customers' gradual equipment expansion and enhancement.

# **Environmental Energy Related Business Outlook**



# **Environmental Energy Related Sales**





We expect post-COVID rebound demand to drive strong drying deodorizer and exhaust gas treatment system orders.



We expect global parts shortages to continue lengthening maintenance and installation order lead-times, making active sales difficult.

Future undertakings

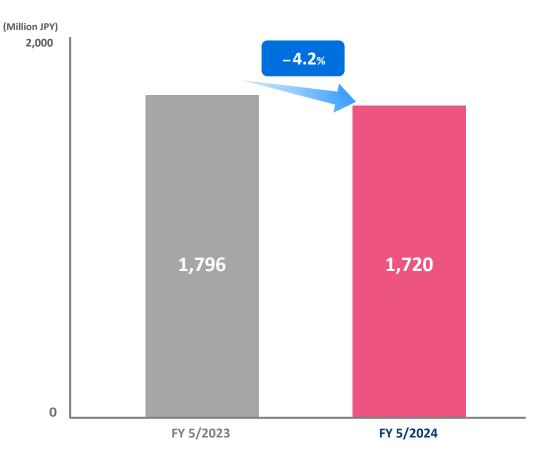
We must pay close attention to parts deliveries and customer capex trends.

We will progress development on new products such as AE sensor products (failure prediction, maintenance systems).

# **Promotion of Industry 4.0 Business Outlook**



### **Promotion of Industry 4.0 Sales**





We expect solid conditions in the machine tool industry to drive robust capex appetite from our gear testing equipment customers.



We lack visibility on capex trends among our precision vibration isolation system customers, and expect product sales to decline.

Future undertakings

We will focus on expanding sales of our new products – Al image processing equipment and a vibration monitoring app – aiming to break into new markets.

We aim to establish Laser Processing as a new business field, and continue developing laser processing equipment products.



# Appendix Company Information

# **Company Information**



Name	INTER ACTION Corporation	Exchange	Tokyo Stock
Established	June 25, 1992		Prime Marke
Representative	Nobuo Kiji CEO & President	Code	7725
Capital	1,760 million yen	Fiscal Year	June 1 to Ma
Employees	126 (entire group; as of May 2022)	URL	https://www
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# **Company Information**



KPIs	Equity Spread ROE
Dividend Policy	Total payout ratio 30%
M&A Policy	<ul> <li>Growing fields, or fields with growth potential</li> <li>Fields in which our accumulated technological expertise and business knowhow can be used to develop the business</li> <li>NPV positive when estimated cash flow is discounted by the WACC for the next 5 years</li> </ul>

# **Company Information**



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