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Consolidated Financial Results for the Three Months Ended June 30, 2023 (Q1 FY2023) (Under Japanese GAAP)

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Holding of quarterly financial results briefing:

Yes (For institutional investors and analysts)

(Yen amounts are rounded down to millions, unless otherwise noted.)

1. Consolidated financial results for the three months ended June 30, 2023 (April 1, 2023 – June 30, 2023)

(1) Consolidated operating results (cumulative)

(Percentages indicate year-on-year changes.)

	Net sales	3	Operating profit		Ordinary profit		Profit attributable to owners of parent	
Three months ended	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%
June 30, 2023	131,053	2.4	3,584	51.0	3,274	△3.0	9,070	388.1
June 30, 2022	127,928	29.6	2,374	△42.3	3,376	△9.8	1,858	△47.4

(Note) Comprehensive income For the three months ended June 30, 2023: \$\frac{\pmathbf{\pmathbf{\pmathbf{2}}}{2000}}{2000}\$ For the three months ended June 30, 2022: \$\frac{\pmathbf{\pmathbf{2}}}{2000}\$ \$\frac{\pmathbf{\pmathbf{2}}}{2

¥26,481 million [48.1%] ¥17,885 million [102.9%]

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	Basic earnings per share	Diluted earnings per share				
Three months ended	Yen	Yen				
June 30, 2023	105.51	_				
June 30, 2022	21.62	_				

(2) Consolidated financial position

	Total assets	Net assets	Equity-to-asset ratio	Net assets per share
As of	Millions of yen	Millions of yen	%	Yen
June 30, 2023	496,055	235,219	45.2	2,609.21
March 31, 2023	468,789	210,983	43.3	2,359.34

(Reference) Shareholder's equity As of June 30, 2023: ¥224,300 million As of March 31, 2023: ¥202,820 million

2. Cash dividends

		Annual dividends per share							
	First quarter-end	Second quarter-end	Third quarter-end	Fiscal year-end	Total				
	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen				
Fiscal year ended March 31, 2023	_	26.00	_	26.00	52.00				
Fiscal year ending March 31, 2024	_								
Fiscal year ending March 31, 2024 (Forecast)		26.00		26.00	52.00				

(Note) Revisions to the forecast of cash dividends most recently announced: None

3. Consolidated forecasts for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024 (April 1, 2023 - March 31, 2024)

(Percentages indicate year-on-year changes.)

	Net sale	es	Operating	profit	Ordinary	profit	Profit attribu		Profit per share
	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Yen
Fiscal year ending September 30, 2023	265,000	△1.3	6,000	18.5	5,000	△6.8	10,000	209.8	116.33
Fiscal year ending March 31, 2024	550,000	△1.3	16,500	50.8	15,000	54.8	16,000	161.1	186.12

(Note) Revisions to the consolidated forecast most recently announced: None

* Notes

(1) Changes in significant subsidiaries during the period (changes in specified subsidiaries resulting in the change in scope of consolidation):

None

(2) Adoption of accounting treatment specific to the preparation of quarterly consolidated financial statements: None

(3) Changes in accounting policies, changes in accounting estimates, and restatement

(i) Changes in accounting policies due to revisions to accounting standards and other regulations: None

(ii) Changes in accounting policies due to other reasons: None

(iii) Changes in accounting estimates: None

(iv) Restatement: None

(4) Number of issued shares (common shares)

(i) Total number of issued shares at the end of the period (including treasury shares)

As of June 30, 2023	87,569,383 shares
As of March 31, 2023	87,569,383 shares

(ii) Number of treasury shares at the end of the period

As of June 30, 2023	1,604,682 shares
As of March 31, 2023	1,604,642 shares

(iii) Average number of shares outstanding during the period (cumulative from the beginning of the fiscal year)

Three months ended June 30, 2023	85,964,727 shares
Three months ended June 30, 2022	85,962,165 shares

- * Quarterly financial results reports are exempt from quarterly review conducted by certified public accountants or an audit corporation.
- * Explanations and other special notes concerning the appropriate use of business results forecasts

The forward-looking statements such as result forecasts included in this document are based on the information available to the Company at the time of the announcement and on certain assumptions considered reasonable. Actual results may differ materially from the forecast depending on a range of factors.

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1. Qualitative Information on Results for the Three Months Ended June 30, 2023

(1) Details of Operating Results

During the first three months of the current consolidated fiscal year, concerns of an economic slowdown continued due to inflation trends in the Europe and America and a rapid downturn in China's economic growth, among other factors. In japan, we faced rising food prices and yen depreciation in foreign exchange rates due to continued easy monetary policy by Bank of Japan. However, the Japan's economy remains firm from a pause of rising raw material prices and a significant recovery in the accommodation industry and food service industry on account of the shift to a post-COVID-19 environment driving a recovery in consumer behavior and an increase in inbound tourists.

Although future outlook continues uncertainly due to a historic surge in international cacao bean prices, the situation in Ukraine and the effect of yen depreciation on manufacturing costs in Japan, prices for palm oil and soybeans, our main raw materials, remain stable compared to the first quarter of the previous fiscal year.

Amid this environment, we are working to strengthen the business specific management which we have been promoting since the previous fiscal year to ensure the optimal allocation of management resources, with the group headquarters supporting the implementation of profit improvement measures for each group company. In addition to advancing a shift in product portfolio in existing businesses to high-value-added products, which included measures such as the transfer of the non-current assets of Fuji Oil New Orleans, LLC (Louisiana, USA) in April 2023, we are also building a competitive advantage by strengthening our supply structure in Southeast Asia for certified sustainable oils.

As a result of the above, earnings for the first three months of the current consolidated fiscal year were as follows.

	Net sales	Operating profit	Ordinary profit	Profit attributable to owners of parent
Three months ended	Millions of yen	Millions of yen	Millions of yen	Millions of yen
June 30, 2023	131,053	3,584	3,274	9,070
June 30, 2022	127,928	2,374	3,376	1,858
Year-on-year change (Year-on-year change rate)	+3,125 (+2.4%)	+1,209 (+51.0%)		+7,211 (+388.1%)

Net sales increased due to higher sales prices to reflect rising raw material prices in the Industrial Chocolate segment and the effect of yen depreciation in foreign exchange rates. Operating profit increased due to improved profitability responding to lower raw material prices in the Vegetable Oils and Fats segment in Japan, North America and Europe and a decrease in fixed cost as a result from the transfer of the non-current assets at Fuji Oil New Orleans, LLC, despite the decline in sales volume against the U.S. economic slowdown in the Industrial Chocolate segment and the rebound from the strong performance in the previous fiscal year in Southeast Asia. Profit attributable to owners of parent increased mainly because of the gain on sale of non-current assets mentioned above.

The operating results by reported segment are shown below.

	Net sales			Operating prof	it	
		Year-on-year change			Year-on-yea	r change
	Millions of yen	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	Millions of yen	%
Vegetable Oils and Fats	45,718	△3,458	△7.0%	3,129	+1,515	+93.8%
Industrial Chocolate	54,965	+7,067	+14.8%	406	△577	△58.7%
Emulsified and Fermented Ingredients	21,455	△1,079	△4.8%	587	+370	+170.3%
Soy-based Ingredients	8,914	+595	+7.2%	397	△175	△30.6%
Adjustment	_	_	_	△936	+77	_
Total	131,053	+3,125	+2.4%	3,584	+1,209	+51.0%

(Vegetable Oils and Fats)

Net sales decreased due to declined sales prices to reflect falling prices for palm oil, our main raw material, and other raw materials, although sales of frying oils and fats in Japan was strong due to recovering demand.

Despite the rebound in Southeast Asia which performed in good shape in the previous fiscal year, operating profit increased due to decreased fixed cost associated with the transfer of the non-current assets at Fuji Oil New Orleans, LLC and improved profitability responding to lower raw material prices in Japan, North America and Europe.

(Industrial Chocolate)

Net sales increased due to higher sales prices to reflect rising raw material prices, increased sales volumes by sales promotion in Brazil, the effect of yen depreciation and other. Operating profit decreased due to decreased sales volumes from economic slowdown in the U.S. and increased manufacturing overhead in the U.S., although sales volumes for food service sector in Brazil and souvenir market in Japan and Europe recovered.

(Emulsified and Fermented Ingredients)

Net sales decreased due to a decrease in sales volume caused by economic slowdown in China and lower sales prices to reflect falling raw material prices in Southeast Asia and China. Operating profit increased due to the steady demand of a whipping cream and other in Japan and improved profitability in line with price revision in Southeast Asia and China.

(Soy-based Ingredients)

Net sales increased due to higher sales prices to reflect rising raw material prices caused by the effect of yen depreciation. Despite of effort to optimize sales prices, operating profit decreased due to increased fixed cost such as amortization cost and other accompanied with the start of operations at new plant in Europe.

(2) Details of Financial Position

①Details of the Consolidated Financial Position

Total assets at the end of the three months of the consolidated fiscal year under review increased by 27,265 million yen from the end of the previous consolidated fiscal year to 496,055 million yen. Under our Mid-term Management Plan, Reborn 2024, we are working to improve our financial structure by strengthening and rebuilding our business foundation. We will improve capital efficiency and strengthen our financial monitoring.

The consolidated financial position at the end of the three months of the fiscal year under review is as follows.

(Millions of yen)

		As of March 31, 2023	As of June 30, 2023	Year-on-year change
	Current assets	227,771	261,605	+33,833
	Property, plant and equipment	159,855	149,438	△10,416
	Intangible assets	57,322	60,091	+2,769
	Other	23,841	24,920	+1,079
Assets		468,789	496,055	+27,265
	Interest-bearing debt	168,417	175,156	+6,739
	Other	89,389	85,679	△3,709
Liabiliti	es	257,806	260,836	+3,030
Net asse	ets	210,983	235,219	+24,235

(Assets)

At the end of the three months of the consolidated fiscal year under review, current assets increased due to increases in cash and deposits for the transfer of the non-current assets of Fuji Oil New Orleans, LLC and in working capital attributable to increased raw materials. Property, plant and equipment decreased due to the transfer.

From the reason of aforementioned, assets increased by 27,265 million yen from the end of the previous consolidated fiscal year to 496,055 million yen.

(Liabilities)

Liabilities at the end of the three months of the consolidated fiscal year under review increased by 3,030 million yen from the end of the previous consolidated fiscal year to 260,836 million yen due to an increase in interest-bearing debt associated with an increase in working capital.

(Net assets)

Net assets at the end of the three months of the consolidated fiscal year under review increased by 24,235 million yen from the end of the previous year to 235,219 million yen due to an increase in foreign currency translation adjustments on account of the yen depreciation against the US dollar, euro and real.

Net assets per share increased by 249.87 yen from the end of the previous consolidated fiscal year to 2,609.21 yen. Equity ratio increased by 1.9 points from the end of the previous fiscal year to 45.2%.

(2) Details of Cash Flows

To maintain and improve our financial discipline, our fundamental policy is to generate free cash flow steadily through steady profit growth and a shortened cash conversion cycle. Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the first three months of the consolidated fiscal year under review increased due to the transfer of the non-current assets of Fuji Oil New Orleans, LLC.

The cash flows for the first three months of the consolidated fiscal year under review are as follows.

(Millions of yen)

	Three months ended June 30, 2022	Three months ended June 30, 2023	Year-on-year change
Cash flows from operating activities	△11,478	△2,099	+9,379
Cash flows from investing activities	△2,846	19,802	+22,648
Free Cash flows	△14,325	17,702	+32,027
Cash flows from financing activities	15,506	1,004	△14,501
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	20,163	39,612	+19,448

(Cash flows from operating activities)

Cash flows from operating activities for the first three months of the consolidated fiscal year under review resulted in expenditures of 2,099 million yen due to an increase in working capital associated with an increase in inventory and other. Expenditures decreased by 9,379 million yen compared to the first three months of the previous consolidated fiscal year in which working capital had increased due to higher raw material prices.

(Cash flows from investing activities)

Cash flows from investing activities for the first three months of the consolidated fiscal year under review resulted in income of 19,802 million yen, increasing by 22,648 million yen compared to the first three months of the previous consolidated fiscal year. This was mainly due to the transfer of the non-current assets of Fuji Oil New Orleans, LLC.

(Cash flows from financing activities)

Cash flows from financing activities for the first three months of the consolidated fiscal year under review resulted in income of 1,004 million yen. Income decreased by 14,501 million yen compared to the first three months of the previous consolidated fiscal year in which interest-bearing debt had increased associated with an increase in working capital.

(3) Information on the Future Outlook, Including Consolidated Business Results Forecasts

The consolidated business results forecasts for the first half and full year remain unchanged from the business performance forecast announced on May 10, 2023.

2. Quarterly Consolidated Financial Statements and Key Notes (1) Quarterly Consolidated Balance Sheets

(Millions of yen)

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	As of March 31, 2023	As of June 30, 2023
Assets		
Current assets		
Cash and deposits	19,002	39,623
Notes and accounts receivable - trade	93,023	88,448
Merchandise and finished goods	49,082	50,414
Raw materials and supplies	56,662	71,589
Other	10,173	11,709
Allowance for doubtful accounts	△173	△179
Total current assets	227,771	261,605
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment		
Buildings and structures, net	44,374	47,278
Machinery, equipment and vehicles, net	64,308	60,895
Land	21,226	19,454
Right-of-use assets, net	13,277	8,359
Construction in progress	13,833	10,445
Other, net	2,834	3,004
Total property, plant and equipment	159,855	149,438
Intangible assets		
Goodwill	27,245	28,410
Customer related assets	17,793	18,450
Other	12,283	13,229
Total intangible assets	57,322	60,091
Investments and other assets	,	,
Investment securities	14,378	15,139
Retirement benefit asset	4,791	4,914
Deferred tax assets	649	678
Other	3,988	4,166
Allowance for doubtful accounts	△63	△58
Total investments and other assets	23,745	24,840
Total non-current assets	240,922	234,370
Deferred assets		
Bond issuance costs	95	79
Total deferred assets	95	79
Total assets	468,789	496,055
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	As of March 31, 2023	As of June 30, 2023
Liabilities		
Current liabilities		
Notes and accounts payable - trade	40,285	34,938
Short-term borrowings	76,091	76,106
Commercial papers	10,000	10,000
Income taxes payable	1,872	5,198
Provision for bonuses	2,764	3,280
Provision for bonuses for directors (and other officers)	52	3
Other	14,826	14,812
Total current liabilities	145,891	144,339
Non-current liabilities	,	,
Bonds payable	41,000	41,000
Long-term borrowings	41,325	48,050
Deferred tax liabilities	15,762	17,344
Retirement benefit liability	1,885	1,973
Lease liabilities	9,790	5,903
Other	2,149	2,224
Total non-current liabilities	111,914	116,496
Total liabilities	257,806	260,836
Net assets		
Shareholders' equity		
Share capital	13,208	13,208
Capital surplus	14,757	14,757
Retained earnings	161,305	168,137
Treasury shares	△1,946	△1,946
Total shareholders' equity	187,324	194,156
Accumulated other comprehensive income	,	,
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	1,593	1,702
Deferred gains or losses on hedges	△547	848
Foreign currency translation adjustment	15,108	28,228
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans	△657	△636
Total accumulated other comprehensive income	15,496	30,143
Non-controlling interests	8,163	10,919
Total net assets	210,983	235,219
Total liabilities and net assets	468,789	496,055

(2) Quarterly Consolidated Statements of Income and Comprehensive Income

Quarterly Consolidated Statements of Income (First three-month period)

(Millions of yen) Three months ended Three months ended June 30, 2022 June 30, 2023 Net sales 127,928 131,053 Cost of sales 111,276 112,000 16,651 19,053 Gross profit Selling, general and administrative expenses 14,277 15,469 2,374 Operating profit 3,584 Non-operating income Interest income 135 326 Dividend income 39 34 Foreign exchange gains 826 42 Share of profit of entities accounted for using 151 187 equity method Other 479 138 $72\overline{9}$ Total non-operating income 1,633 Non-operating expenses Interest expenses 362 834 204 268 Other 630 Total non-operating expenses 1,038 3,376 Ordinary profit 3,274 Extraordinary income Gain on sale of non-current assets 12,598 31 Gain on sale of investment securities 10 Refunded taxes 142 Total extraordinary income 12,609 173 Extraordinary losses Loss on sale of non-current assets 0 Loss on retirement of non-current assets 112 124 Loss on disposal of inventories 297 112 Total extraordinary losses 421 Profit before income taxes 3,438 15,461 1,307 4,336 Income taxes - current Income taxes - deferred 253 25 Total income taxes 4,361 1,561 **Profit** 1,877 11,100 Profit attributable to non-controlling interests 18 2,029 Profit attributable to owners of parent 1,858 9,070

Quarterly Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income (First three-month period)

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	Three months ended June 30, 2022	Three months ended June 30, 2023
Profit	1,877	11,100
Other comprehensive income		
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	194	108
Deferred gains or losses on hedges	706	1,396
Foreign currency translation adjustment	14,936	13,244
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans, net of tax	34	21
Share of other comprehensive income of entities accounted for using equity method	137	610
Total other comprehensive income	16,008	15,381
Comprehensive income	17,885	26,481
Comprehensive income attributable to		
Comprehensive income attributable to owners of parent	17,705	23,717
Comprehensive income attributable to non-controlling interests	180	2,764

(3) Quarterly Consolidated Statements of Cash flows (First three-month period)

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	Three months ended June 30, 2022	Three months ended June 30, 2023
Cash flows from operating activities		
Profit before income taxes	3,438	15,461
Depreciation	4,141	4,305
Amortization of goodwill	596	656
Decrease (increase) in retirement benefit asset	△160	△123
Increase (decrease) in retirement benefit liability	△24	39
Interest and dividend income	△175	△361
Interest expenses	362	834
Share of loss (profit) of entities accounted for using equity method	△151	△187
Loss (gain) on sale of investment securities	_	△10
Loss (gain) on disposal of non-current assets	80	△12,473
Decrease (increase) in trade receivables	1,968	8,458
Decrease (increase) in inventories	△12,474	△12,056
Increase (decrease) in trade payables	△6,467	△7,100
Other, net	406	2,403
Subtotal	△8,460	△152
Interest and dividends received	175	544
Interest paid	△446 △2.748	$\triangle 863$
Income taxes refund (paid)	△2,748	△1,628
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	△11,478	△2,099
Cash flows from investing activities	A 2 000	A 4 202
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	△3,998	△4,392
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment	1,622	24,465
Purchase of intangible assets	△259	△573
Purchase of investment securities	△290	∆1
Proceeds from sale of investment securities		33
Payments for investments in capital		△21
Other, net Net cash provided by (used in) investing		293 19,802
activities		<u> </u>
Cash flows from financing activities Net increase (decrease) in short-term	13,992	3,752
borrowings		
Proceeds from long-term borrowings	5,394	8,000
Repayments of long-term borrowings Dividends paid	\triangle 1,466 \triangle 2,237	
Dividends paid to non-controlling interests	△2,237 △13	$\triangle 2,237$ $\triangle 29$
Other, net	△163	△253
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	15,506	1,004
Effect of exchange rate change on cash and cash	1,268	1,914
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash	2,449	20,621
equivalents	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	15,915	18,991
Increase in cash and cash equivalents resulting from inclusion of subsidiaries in consolidation	1,798	_
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	20,163	39,612

(4) Notes to Quarterly Consolidated Financial Statements

(Notes Relating to Assumptions for the Going Concern)

Not applicable.

(Notes for Case Where Shareholders' Equity underwent Significant Changes in Value)

Not applicable.

(Segment Information)

First three-month period of the fiscal year under review (April 1, 2023 - June 30, 2023)

1. Information on net sales and profits or losses by reported segment

(Millions of yen)

		Reported segments					Amounts on	
	Vegetable Oils and Fats	Industrial Chocolate	Emulsified and Fermented Ingredients	Soy-based Ingredients	Total	Adjustment (Note 1)	Quarterly consolidated statements of income (Note 2)	
Net Sales								
Sales to external customers	45,718	54,965	21,455	8,914	131,053	_	131,053	
Transactions with other segments	5,976	680	1,822	52	8,531	△8,531	_	
Total	51,695	55,645	23,278	8,966	139,585	△8,531	131,053	
Segment profit	3,129	406	587	397	4,520	△936	3,584	

⁽Note) 1. Adjustment of segment profit △936 million yen includes corporate expense and other, which are not allocated to each reported segment. Corporate expenses are expenses related to group management at the submitting company and management companies.

^{2.} Segment profit is adjusted with operating profit in the quarterly consolidated statement of income.

^{2.} Information on impairment losses on non-current assets and goodwill by reported segment Not applicable.

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Note

Change in accounting period for certain subsidiaries

At the end of FY2022, we made the following changes to the accounting period of our subsidiaries. We changed the accounting period of INDUSTRIAL FOOD SERVICES PTY LIMITED from the end of December to the end of March. We also change the accounting period for Blommer Chocolate Manufacturing (Shanghai) Co., Ltd. from the end of January to the end of March.

As the effect on consolidated accounting is minor, we have made no revisions to YoY comparisons or other figures.

Company	Country	Business	Aria	FY2022 Fisical Period	FY2023 Fisical Period
INDUSTRIAL FOOD SERVICES PTY LIMITED	Australia	Industrial Chocolate	SE Asia	Jan. 2022 - Mar. 2023 (15 months)	Apr. 2023 - Mar. 2024 (12 months)
Blommer Chocolate Manufacturing (Shanghai) Co., Ltd.	China	Industrial Chocolate	China	Feb. 2022 - Mar. 2023 (14 months)	Apr. 2023 - Mar. 2024 (12 months)

Main exchange rate

• P/L : Average rate , B/S : Current rate

		FY2022	FY2022	FY2023	YC	ΟY	FY2023
		Q1	End	Q1	Change	Rate of change	Plan
\$	P/L	129.57	135.47	137.37	+7.80	+6.0%	135.00
<u> </u>	B/S	136.68	133.53	144.99	+11.46	+8.6%	1
BRL	P/L	26.34	26.28	27.76	+1.42	+5.4%	26.00
DILL	B/S	26.10	26.29	30.09	+3.80	+14.5%	1
€	P/L	138.12	140.97	149.47	+11.35	+8.2%	142.00
	B/S	142.67	145.72	157.60	+11.88	+8.2%	ı
RMB	P/L	19.58	19.75	19.56	(0.02)	(0.1%)	19.50
TAND	B/S	20.38	19.42	19.94	+0.52	+2.7%	_

P/L is a year-on-year comparison. B/S is a comparison with end of the previous fiscal year (end of FY2022).

⁻ FY2023 Q1 Blommer (\$): P/L 133.36, B/S 134.32.

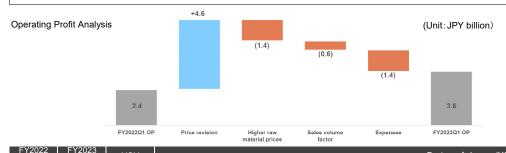
1-2: FY2023Q1 Consolidated Financial Results

Summary

Net sales: 131.1 billion yen, YOY +3.1 billion yen Operating profit: 3.6 billion yen, YOY +1.2 billion yen

Net sales: Net sales increased despite decreased net sales from the Vegetable Oils and Fats Business and the Emulsified and Fermented Ingredients Business due to declining prices for palm, our main raw material, thanks to the Industrial Chocolate Business benefiting from the impact of JPY depreciation, higher sales prices, and other factors.

Operating profit: Despite increased fixed costs for manufacturing due to inflation and decreased sales volume in some businesses, profits increased thanks to price revisions.



		Q1	Q1	YOY	Factors of change (YOY)
	Vegetable Oils and Fats	49.2	45.7	(3.5)	Net sales decreased due to declining prices for palm, our main raw material, the selling price declined.
	Industrial Chocolate	47.9	55.0	+7.1	Net sales increased thanks to the effect of JPY's depreciation in foreign exchange and higher sales prices resulting from higher raw material prices.
Net sales	Emulsified and Fermented Ingredients	22.5	21.5	(1.1)	Net sales decreased due to decreasing sales volume in China and SE Asia.
	Soy-based Ingredients	8.3	8.9	+0.6	Net sales increased due to higher sales prices resulting from higher raw material prices.
	Total	127.9	131.1	+3.1	
	Vegetable Oils and Fats	1.6	3.1	+1.5	7 Profitability improved in Japan, North America and Europe, and we sold off the fixed assets of Fuji Oil New Orleans in America, a region where we recorded operating losses the previous fiscal year. \(\text{\texi{\text{\text{\texi{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{
Operating profit	Industrial Chocolate	1.0	0.4	(0.6)	
7	Emulsified and Fermented Ingredients	0.2	0.6	+0.4	ৈ Increase sales volume of whipping cream in Japan. Improved profitability in SE Asia and China. ∖ Decrease sales volume in China and SE Asia.
Increase factors	Soy-based Ingredients	0.6	0.4	(0.2)	√ Decrease sales volume of soy protein foods and functional ingredients in Japan, increase of depreciation costs for a new plant in Europe.
Decrease factors	Group administrative expenses	(1.0)	(0.9)	+0.1	
	Total	2.4	3.6	+1.2	
Operating marg	in	1.9%	2.7%	+0.9pt	
Ordinary profit		3.4	3.3	(0.1)	
Profit attributab	le to owners of parent	1.9	9.1	+7.2	Increase thanks to extraordinary gains from transfer of fixed assets in Fuji Oil New Orleans, LLC.

^{*}Figures are rounded to the nearest JPY billion.

1-2 : FY2023 1Q Consolidated Net sales & Operating profit (by region, division)

Net sales

(Unit: JPY million)

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	FY	Japa	Japan		Americas		SE Asia		na	Europe		Consoli Tot	
		Results	YOY	Results	YOY	Results	YOY	Results	YOY	Results	YOY	Results	YOY
\/a matabla	FY2023 1Q	13,919	+1,065	17,200	(1,692)	5,496	(3,691)	834	(67)	8,269	+928	45,718	(3,458)
Vegetable Oils and Fats	FY2022 1Q	12,853	+3,284	18,892	+9,839	9,187	+4,476	902	+159	7,341	+2,382	49,177	+20,139
Olis and rats	FY2021 1Q	9,569	-	9,053	-	4,711	-	743	-	4,959	-	29,037	-
Industrial Chocolate	FY2023 1Q	10,224	+750	36,743	+4,635	4,128	+440	1,471	+455	2,397	+785	54,965	+7,067
	FY2022 1Q	9,474	+567	32,108	+4,289	3,688	+1,015	1,015	(141)	1,611	+500	47,897	+6,228
	FY2021 1Q	8,907	-	27,819	-	2,673	-	1,156	-	1,111	-	41,668	-
Fundaified and	FY2023 1Q	14,246	+553	-	-	3,051	(730)	4,157	(902)	-	-	21,455	(1,079)
Emulsified and Fermented Ingredients	FY2022 1Q	13,692	+1,281	-	-	3,782	+1,031	5,059	+1,270	-	-	22,534	+3,581
r ermented ingredients	FY2021 1Q	12,411	-	-	-	2,751	-	3,789	-	-	-	18,953	-
Cauchanad	FY2023 1Q	8,693	+636	-	-	-	-	220	(41)	-	-	8,914	+595
Soy-based Ingredients	FY2022 1Q	8,056	(446)	-	-	-	-	262	(254)	-	-	8,318	(700)
ingredients	FY2021 1Q	8,502	-	-	-	-	-	516	-	-	-	9,019	-
Neteries	FY2023 1Q	47,083	+3,006	53,943	+2,943	12,676	(3,981)	6,683	(556)	10,666	+1,713	131,053	+3,125
Net sales Total	FY2022 1Q	44,077	+4,686	51,000	+14,127	16,658	+6,522	7,239	+1,032	8,953	+2,882	127,928	+29,249
Total	FY2021 1Q	39,391	-	36,873	-	10,136	-	6,207	-	6,071	-	98,679	-

^{*}The net sales above is sales to outside customers.

Operating profit

poruting prom	FY	Japan		Americas		SE Asia		China		Europe		Consolidated adjustment		Group administrative expenses		Consoli Tota	
		Results	YOY	Results	YOY	Results	YOY	Results	YOY	Results	YOY	Results	YOY	Results	YOY	Results	YOY
Vagatable	FY2023 1Q	1,159	+539	983	+833	290	(666)	5	+46	533	+363	156	+398	-	-	3,129	+1,515
Vegetable Oils and Fats	FY2022 1Q	619	(229)	150	(410)	957	+658	(40)	(23)	169	+20	(242)	(469)	-	-	1,614	(454)
Olis and rats	FY2021 1Q	848	-	560	-	299	-	(17)	-	149	-	227	-	=	-	2,069	-
Industrial	FY2023 1Q	1,250	+67	(1,164)	(825)	147	+79	(35)	+39	195	+77	13	(15)	-	-	406	(577)
Chocolate	FY2022 1Q	1,183	(214)	(338)	(46)	67	+52	(75)	(55)	117	+95	28	+16	-	-	983	(151)
Oriocolate	FY2021 1Q	1,397	-	(292)	-	15	-	(20)	-	22	-	12	-	=	-	1,134	-
Emulsified and Fermented Ingredients	FY2023 1Q	659	+181	-		(238)	+209	83	+86	-		82	(107)	-	-	587	+370
	FY2022 1Q	477	+45	-	-	(448)	(237)	(3)	(255)	-	-	190	(1)	-	-	217	(447)
r cimented ingredients	FY2021 1Q	432	-	-	-	(211)	-	252	-	-	-	191	-	=	-	664	-
Cay based	FY2023 1Q	504	(48)	-		=	-	80	+30	(182)	(123)	(4)	(34)	-	-	397	(175)
Soy-based Ingredients	FY2022 1Q	553	(511)	-	-	-	-	49	(49)	(59)	+1	29	+12	-	-	573	(547)
Ingrodionio	FY2021 1Q	1,064	-	-	-	-	-	98	-	(60)	-	17	-	-	-	1,120	-
Consolidated	FY2023 1Q	35	(22)	8	+11	33	+28	(3)	(14)	99	+253	(160)	(233)	-	-	12	+23
adjustment	FY2022 1Q	57	+18	(3)	+4	4	+5	10	(8)	(153)	(185)	72	+154	-	-	(11)	(11)
adjustificht	FY2021 1Q	39	-	(7)	-	(1)	-	18	-	32	-	(82)	-	-	-	=	-
Group administrative	FY2023 1Q	-	-	-		=	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(949)	+53	(949)	+53
expenses	FY2022 1Q	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1,002)	(132)	(1,002)	(132)
exhelipes	FY2021 1Q	=	-	-	-	=	-	-	-	-	-	=	-	(870)	-	(870)	-
Operating profit	FY2023 1Q	3,609	+718	(172)	+19	232	(348)		+188	646	+571	86	+7	(949)	+53	3,584	+1,209
Operating profit Total	FY2022 1Q	2,891	(891)	(193)	(456)	581	+479	(58)	(389)	75	(68)	79	(287)	(1,002)	(132)	2,374	(1,744)
I Otal	FY2021 1Q	3,782	-	263	-	102	-	331	-	143	-	366	-	(870)	-	4,118	-

2-1:Major Indicators

Primary Item	Item	Unit	Note	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023 (Total Results) Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	FY2023 E
	Operating profit	JPY billion		15.0	10.9	3.6	16.5
	Operating profit growth rate	96		(16.2%)	(27.1%)	+51.0%	+50.8%
-	EBITDA	JPY billion		32.4	31.2	8.6	36.5
.=	Capital Expenditures	JPY billion	For tangible fixed assets	17.3	21.5	3.6	-
.=	Depreciation	JPY billion	Depreciation for tangible fixed assets.	12.7	14.6	3.6	-
PL related	ROA	%	Ordinary profit / Average total assets at beginning and end of period	3.7%	2.2%	* ² 2.7%	3.3%
_	ROE	%	Net profit margin × Total asset turnover × Financial leverage	6.6%	3.1%	17.0%	7.6%
	Net profit margin	96	Net profit / Net sales	2.7%	1.1%	6.9%	2.9%
	Total asset turnover	Times	Net sales / Total assets at beginning and end of period	1.12	1.26	1.09	1.21
	Financial leverage	Times	Total assets / Equity	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.0
	ROIC	%	Operating profit× (1-corporate tax rate) / (Interest-bearing debt + Equity)	3.1%	2.0%	2.5%	3.3%
	Total assets	JPY billion		416.6	468.8	496.1	440.0
-	Interest-bearing debt	JPY billion		148.8	168.4	175.2	127.0
.=	Net interest-bearing debt	JPY billion		132.8	149.4	135.5	112.0
.=	Net operating capital	JPY billion		80.5	81.9	117.3	-
.=	Equity ratio	96	,	44.7%	43.3%	45.2%	50.1%
BS related	Debt ratio	%	,	121.9%	127.1%	116.3%	94.8%
-	Goodwill (in a broad sense)	JPY billion	Goodwill (in a broad sense) refers to goodwill as well as trademark rights and other intangible fixed assets.	49.9	55.2	57.8	52.9
-	Amortization of goodwill	JPY billion		2.2	2.6	0.7	2.6
.=	Goodwill (in a broad sense) / Net assets ratio	96	,	26%	26%	25%	23%
-	D/E ratio	Times	Interest-bearing debt / Equity	0.80	0.83	0.78	0.58
-	Net D/E ratio	Times	Net interest-bearing debt (interest-bearing debt - cash and deposits) / equity capital	0.73	0.80	0.70	0.56
	Cash flows from operating activities	JPY billion		3.5	7.6	(2.1)	40.0
-	Cash flows from investing activities	JPY billion		(18.8)	(16.5)	19.8	2.0
CF related	Free cash flows	JPY billion		(15.3)	(8.9)	17.7	42.0
_	Cash flows from financing activities	JPY billion		9.4	9.8	1.0	(46.0)
-	CCC	Day		115	104	122	98

Capital expenditures

FY	Major ex	penditures	JPY billion
2023	Japan	Capital expenditures , etc.	1.3
Q1	Americas	Capital expenditures for Blommer, etc.	0.5
	Americas	Construction of Harald's No.2 plant, etc.	0.4
	Total		3.6

Dividend history

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Dividend Policy	
•Payout ratio 30% to 40%	
·Stable, consistent dividends	

Dividend p	er share		(Unit : JPY)	
FY	1st half	2nd half	total	Payout ratio
2015	17	18	35	32.6%
2016	22	22	44	31.2%
2017	23	25	48	30.0%
2018	25	25	50	37.1%
2019	27	29	56	29.4%
2020	26	26	52	40.6%
2021	26	26	52	38.9%
2022	26	26	52	73.0%
2023 Forecast	26	26	52	28.0%

^{*2} ROA, ROE and ROIC for Q1 FY2023 are annualized figures for reference.

3-1: FY2023 Consolidated Financial Forecast

In the first half of FY2023, we plan Net sales 265.0 billion yen, Operating profit 6.0 billion yen, and Profit attributable to owners of parent 10.0 billion yen. The progress rate to the forecast for the first half of FY2023 is 49% for Net sales, 60% for Operating Profit, and 91% for Profit attributable to owners of parent.

To achieve the full-year plan, we will continue to optimize selling prices, reduce costs, and implement growth strategies.

(Unit: JPY billion)

	FY2023 Q1 Results	FY2023 1H Forecast	FY2023 1H Progress Rate		FY2023 Forecast	FY2023 Progress Rate
Net Sales	131.1	265.0	49%		550.0	24%
Operating profit	3.6	6.0	60%	_	16.5	22%
Ordinary profit	3.3	5.0	65%	_	15.0	22%
Profit attributable to owners of parent	9.1	10.0	91%	-	16.0	57%

3-2: FY2023 Forecast (by region, division)

Net sales

(Unit: JPY million) Consolidated FY Americas SE Asia China Japan Europe Total 56,700 +268 29,700 3,100 29,600 183,500 (19,948)2023 Forecast 64,400 (14,817) (1,158)(274)(3,964)Vegetable 203,448 2022 Results 56,432 +13,045 79,217 +35,378 30,858 +9,876 3,374 +380 33,564 +9,792 +68,471 Oils and Fats 2021 Results 43,387 43,839 20,982 2.994 23,772 134,976 2023 Forecast +2,352 155,800 +2,476 7,100 7,900 +596 235,200 +6,687 44,600 19,800 +1,632 (367)Industrial 2022 Results 153,324 +31,091 +42,973 42,248 +2,711 18,168 +5,628 7,467 +1,075 7,304 +2,470 228,513 Chocolate 2021 Results 39,537 122,233 12,540 6,392 4,834 185,540 +1,003 +1,529 19,000 +1,605 95,300 +4,136 2023 Forecast 58,700 17,600 Emulsified and Fermented 2022 Results 57,697 +6,405 16,071 +4,090 17,395 +1,523 91,164 +12,017 Ingredients 2021 Results 51,292 11,981 15,872 79,146 2023 Forecast 34,800 +1,552 1,100 +65 100 +100 36,000 +1,716 Soy-based 2022 Results 33,248 +933 1,035 (817)34,284 +116 Ingredients 2021 Results 32.315 1.852 34,167 220,200 (12,342) 67,100 +2,003 30.300 +1,027 37,600 2023 Forecast 194.800 +5,173 (3,269)550,000 (7,410)Net sales 189,627 +23,094 232,542 +66,469 65,097 +19,593 29,273 +2,162 40,869 +12,262 557,410 +123,579 2022 Results Total 2021 Results 166,533 166,073 45,504 27,111 28,607 433,831

Operating profit

	FY	Japan		Americas		SE Asia		China		Europe		Consolidated adjustment		Group administrative expenses		Consolidated Total	
			YOY		YOY		YOY		YOY		YOY		YOY		YOY		YOY
Vegetable	2023 Forecast	3,829	(121)	2,048	+2,986	1,623	(1,336)	(227)	(40)	1,231	(152)	28	+173	-	-	8,532	+1,511
Oils and Fats	2022 Results	3,950	+144	(938)	(1,271)	2,959	+839	(187)	(198)	1,383	+147	(145)	(38)	-	-	7,021	(380)
55 a 1 a.t.	2021 Results	3,806	-	333	-	2,120	-	11	-	1,236	-	(107)	-	-	-	7,401	-
	2023 Forecast	5,312	(317)	1,292	+3,318	1,392	+510	(96)	(134)	309	(66)	29	(44)	-	-	8,238	+3,265
Industrial Chocolate	2022 Results	5,629	(696)	(2,026)	(2,270)	882	+231	38	(97)	375	+201	73	+56	-	-	4,973	(2,574)
Onocolate	2021 Results	6,325	-	244	-	651	-	135	-	174	-	17	-	-	-	7,548	-
Emulsified and	2023 Forecast	2,023	(140)	-	-	215	+647	786	+971	-	-	33	+87	-	-	3,058	+1,568
Fermented	2022 Results	2,163	+369	-	-	(432)	+432	(185)	(715)	-	-	(54)	(211)	-	-	1,490	(126)
Ingredients	2021 Results	1,794	-	_	-	(864)	-	530	-	-	-	157	-	-	-	1,617	-
0 1 1	2023 Forecast	1,330	(16)	-	-	-	-	380	+96	(724)	(348)	40	+18	-	-	1,026	(251)
Soy-based Ingredients	2022 Results	1,346	(703)	-	-	-	-	284	(33)	(376)	(80)	22	(56)	-	-	1,277	(872)
ingredients	2021 Results	2,049	-	_	-	-	-	317	-	(296)	-	78	-	-	-	2,149	-
0 "111	2023 Forecast	-	(158)	-	+8	-	+52	-	(16)	-	+133	-	+10	-	-	-	+30
Consolidated adjustment	2022 Results	158	+8	(8)	(15)	(52)	(47)	16	+13	(133)	(120)	(10)	+153	-	-	(30)	(10)
adjustilielit	2021 Results	150	-	7	-	(5)	-	3	-	(13)	-	(163)	-	-	-	(20)	-
Group	2023 Forecast	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(4,355)	(563)	(4,355)	(563)
administrative	2022 Results	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(3,792)	(103)	(3,792)	(103)
expenses	2021 Results	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(3,688)	-	(3,688)	-
	2023 Forecast	12,494	(753)	3,341	+6,314	3,230	(126)	842	+875	817	(431)	130	+244	(4,355)	(563)	16,500	+5,560
Operating profit Total	2022 Results	13,247	(880)	(2,973)	(3,557)	3,356	+1,454	(33)	(1,032)	1,248	+147	(114)	(96)	(3,792)	(103)	10,940	(4,068)
rotai	2021 Results	14,127		584		1,902		999	<u> </u>	1,101	-	(18)		(3,688)		15,008	<u> </u>

^{*} Net sales above is sales to outside customers.