## Fiscal Year 2023 - Q2 Financial Results Briefing Materials

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Business Engineering Corporation

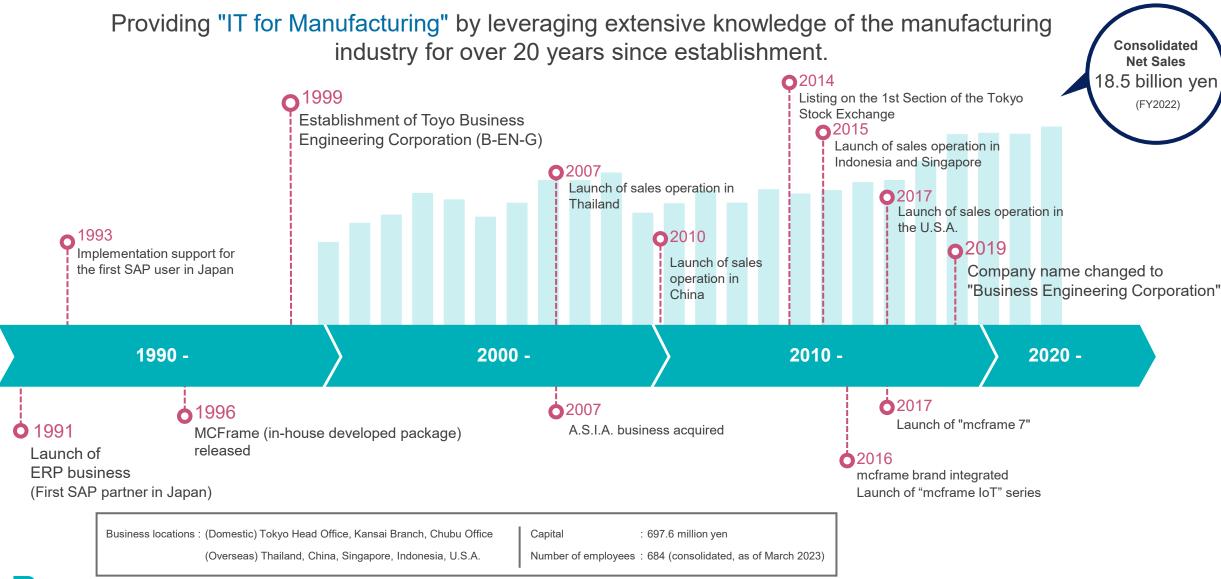


#### Today's Agenda

- 1. About the Company
- 2. Summary of FY2023 Q2 Financial Results
- 3. Earnings Forecast for FY2023
- 4. Management Vision 2026 Strategy Revision

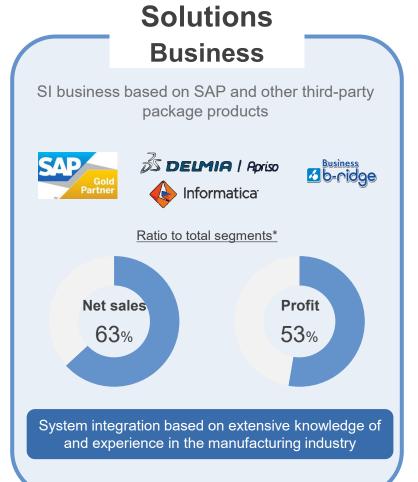
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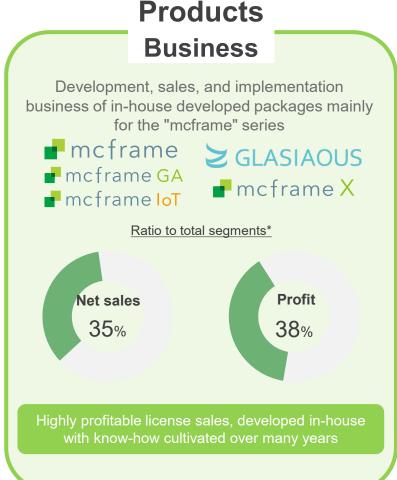
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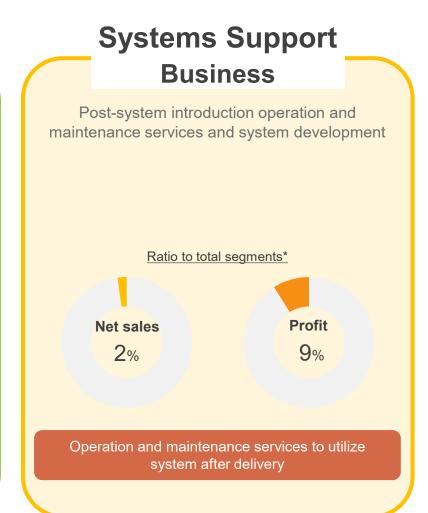


#### B-EN-G's Business | Three Business Segments

Expanding business in three segments. "IT for Manufacturing."

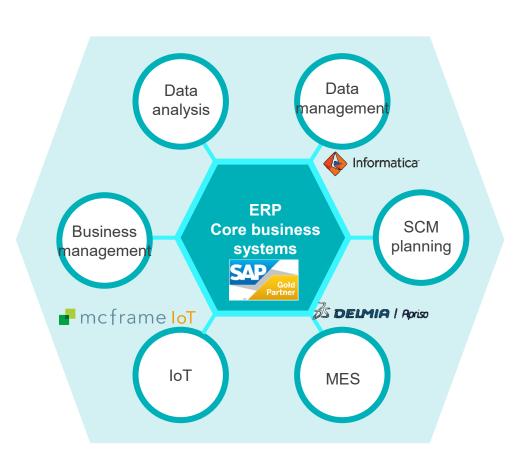




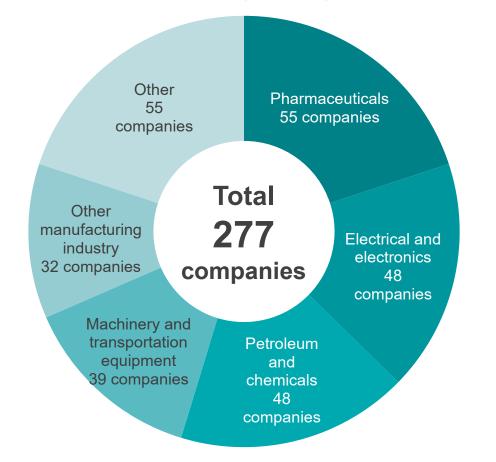


#### B-EN-G's Business | Solutions Business

Promotion of solution business centered on ERP and core systems combined with peripheral products. "Digital Transformation (DX) for Manufacturing."

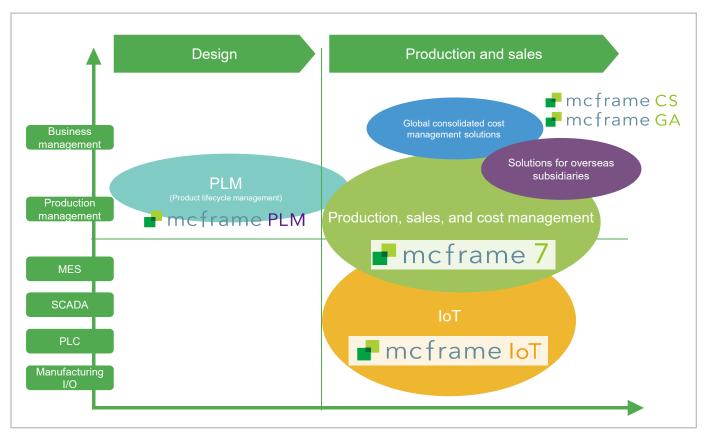


<Implementation results by industry (as of Sept 30, 2023)>

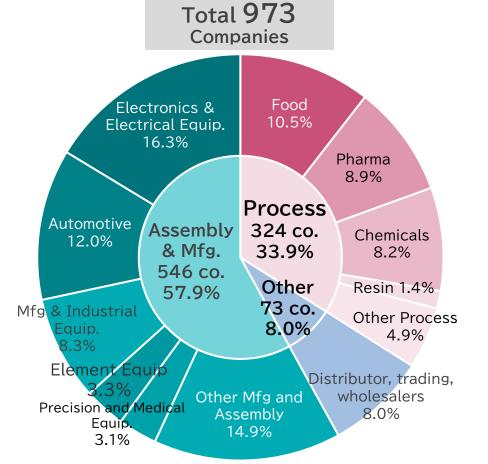


#### B-EN-G's Business | Products Business

"Monozukuri Digitalization" that integrates the engineering and supply chains centered on the "mcframe" solution for the manufacturing industry.



<Accumulated implementation results by industry (as of Sept 30, 2023)>



2. Summary of FY2023 - Q2 Financial Results

#### FY2023 - Q2 Financial Results Key Points

# **Business Environment**

- Despite the impact of the slowdown in the pace of recovery of overseas economies, corporate earnings remained at high levels and the economy recovered moderately.
- With growing DX needs, information technology investment in the manufacturing industry has been strong.

# Summary of Financial Results

- Orders received and net sales
- Both record highs

- Operating profit
- Ordinary profit
- Current net profit
- Record highs for 6th consecutive term

Interim dividend

32 yen per share

#### Summary of Profit and Loss (YoY)

(Million yen)	FY2023 First-half	FY2022 First-half	Change (Change %)	
Net sales	9,808	8,859	+949 -	
net sales	9,000	0,039	(+10.7%)	
Gross Profit	4,060	3,416	+643	
Gross Profit ratio	(41.4%)	(38.6%)	(+18.8%)	
Operating profit	2,114	1,614	+500	/
Operating Profit ratio	(21.6%)	(18.2%)	(+31.0%)	
Ordinary profit	2,126	1,620	+505	
Ordinary Profit ratio	(21.7%)	(18.3%)	(+31.2%)	
Current net profit	1,443	1,090	+352	
Profit ratio	(14.7%)	(12.3%)	(+32.4%)	
Orders Received	0.020	0.160	+660	
	9,820	9,160	(+7.2%)	

Both sales and profits significantly exceeded those of the previous year.

Solutions Business: Profit increase due to higher sales and improved project profitability

**Products Business: License sales growth** 

System Support Business: Improved profitability

Note: All amounts in this material are rounded down to the nearest million yen.

"Profit attributable to owners of parent (Quarterly Profit)" is presented as "Current net profit."

### Summary of Profit and Loss (Compared to August 4, 2023 Forecast)

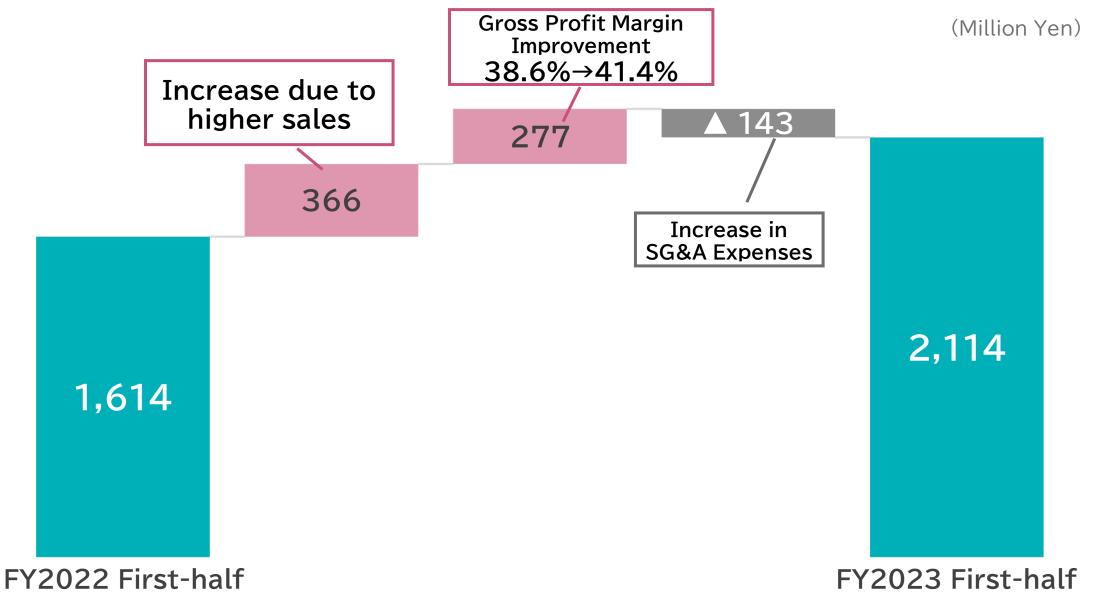
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Net sales	les 9,808 9,550		+258	
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Gross Profit	4,060	3,850	+210	_ /
Gross Profit ratio	(41.4%)	(40.3%)	(+5.5%)	
Operating profit	2,114	1,850	+264	-/
Operating Profit ratio	(21.6%)	(19.4%)	(+14.3%)	
Ordinary profit	2,126	1,850	+276	_
Ordinary Profit ratio	(21.7%)	(19.4%)	(+14.9%)	
Current net profit	1,443	1,260	+183	_
Profit ratio	(14.7%)	(13.2%)	(+14.6%)	_
Orders Received	0.020	0.600	+220	-
	9,820	9,600	(+2.3%)	_

Both sales and profits exceeded planned figures

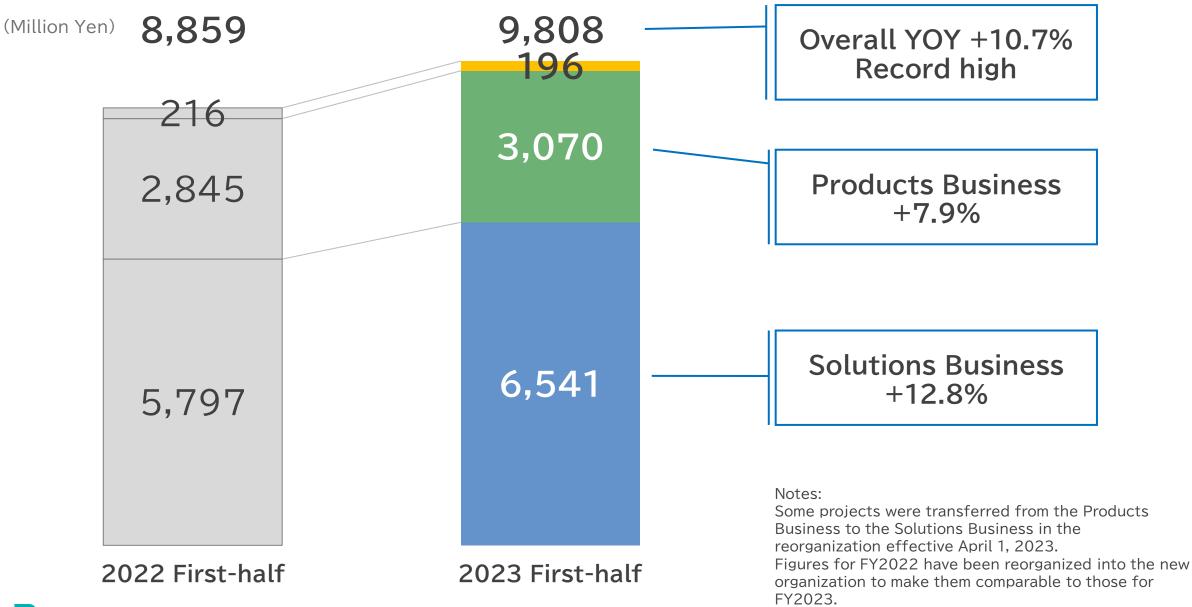
Solutions Business: Profit increase due to higher sales and improved project profitability

**Products Business: Growth in license sales** 

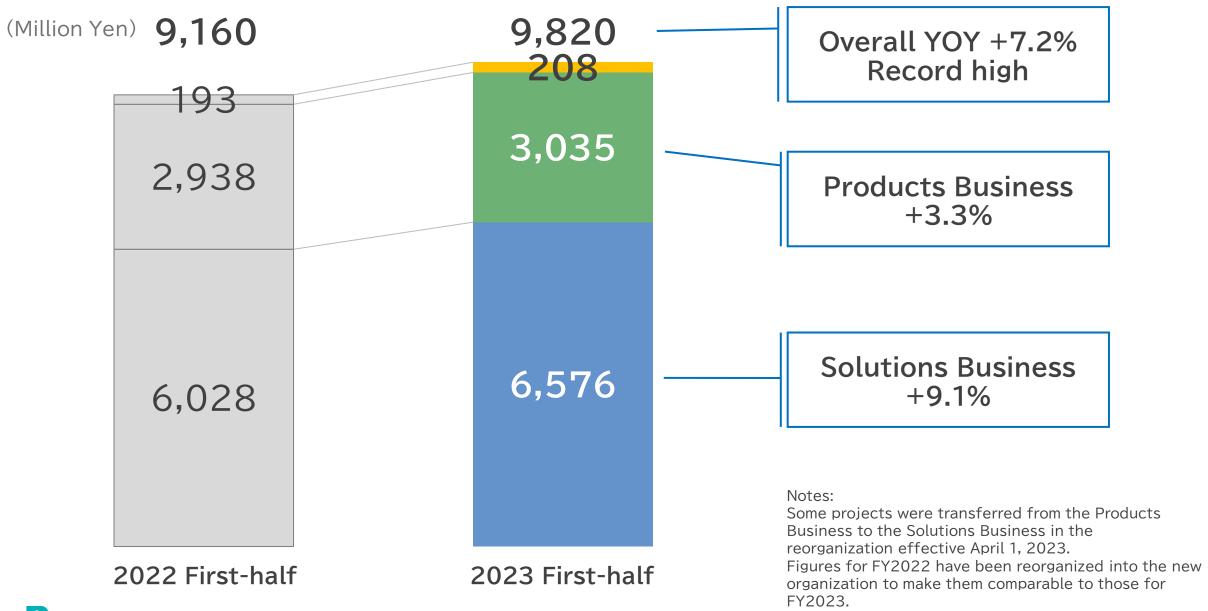
#### Analysis of Changes in Operating Profit (YoY)



#### Summary of Net Sales (YoY)



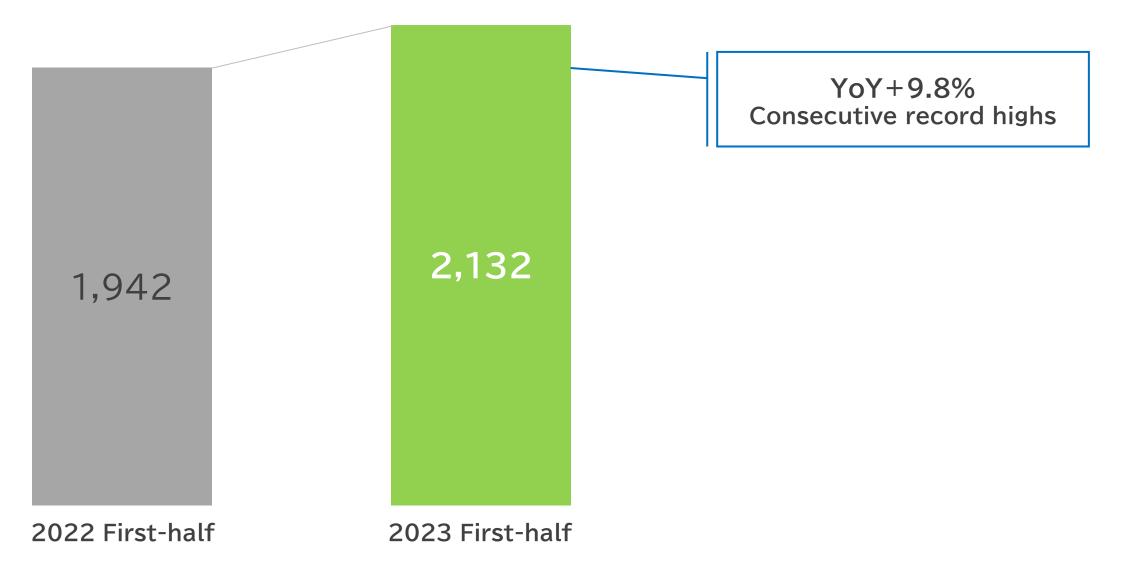
#### Summary of Orders Received (YoY)



#### Summary of Net License Sales (YoY)



(Million Yen)



#### Summary of Balance Sheet (YoY) | Assets

(Million Yen)	2023 First-half	2022 Year-end	Change
Cash and deposits	7,519	6,966	+552
Notes and accounts receivable - trade, and contract assets	3,546	3,261	+285
Work in process	3	2	+0
Other current assets	579	591	<b>▲</b> 11
Total current assets	11,648	10,821	+826
(component ratio)	(80.0%)	(80.7%)	
Property, plant and equipment	122	130	<b>▲</b> 8
Intangible assets	1,481	1,347	+134
Investments and other assets	1,315	1,108	+206
Total non-current assets	2,919	2,587	+332
(component ratio)	(20.0%)	(19.3%)	
Total assets	14,567	13,408	+1,159
(component ratio)	(100.0%)	(100.0%)	

Software Increase

Investment Securities Increase

### Summary of Balance Sheet (YoY) | Liabilities and Net assets

(Million Yen)	2023 First-half	2022 Year-end	Change
Outstanding account	1,224	1,189	+34
Short-term borrowings	-	100	<b>▲</b> 100
Other current liabilities	3,149	2,831	+317
Total current liabilities	4,373	4,121	+252
Total liabilities	4,373	4,121	+252
(component ratio)	(30.0%)	(30.7%)	
Share capital	697	697	-
Capital surplus	565	565	-
Retained earnings	8,961	8,033	+927
Treasury shares	∆80	0	<b>▲</b> 80
Accumulated other comprehensive income	50	△9	+59
Total net assets	10,194	9,287	+906
(component ratio)	(70.0%)	(69.3%)	
Total liabilities and net assets	14,567	13,408	+1,159
(component ratio)	(100.0%)	(100.0%)	

#### Summary of Cash Flows (YoY)

(Million Yen)	2023 First-half	2022 First-half	Change
Cash flows from operating activities	1,874	1,658	+215
Cash flows from investing activities	△616	∆325	△290、
Cash flows from financing activities	△695	∆393	∆302
Effect of exchange rate change on cash and cash equivalents	△10	△14	+4
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	552	925	∆372
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	6,966	4,945	+2,021
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	7,519	5,871	+1,648

Increase due to acquisition of software and investment securities

## 3. Earnings Forecast for FY2023

#### Earnings Forecast for FY2023 Key Points

## **Business Environment**

 DX needs are firm, and investment in information technology by the manufacturing sector is expected to remain strong.

#### Earnings Forecast

Upward revision of sales and profit forecasts
 Net sales 18.8 billion yen ⇒ 19.0 billion yen
 Operating income 3.45 billion yen ⇒ 3.80 billion yen

Net Sales

Record highs are expected to continue.

- Operating profit
- Ordinary profit
- Current net profit

Record highs are expected for the 8th consecutive year.

#### FY2024 Shareholder Return Policy Change / Dividend Forecast

Before Revision: 30%

# Shareholder Return Policy

Progressive dividend & payout ratio of 35% or more

The Company's basic policy is to strive for a progressive dividend\* with consolidated dividend payout ratio exceeding 35% over the medium to long term.

\* Progressive dividend: Increasing or maintaining

the dividend without reducing it over the long term.

## Dividend Forecast

Revised annual dividend forecast: 64 yen⇒76 yen
 Annual Dividend Forecast: Dividends are expected to increase for a 9th consecutive term and reach a record high.

#### Forecast of Profit and Loss (compared to May 12, 2023 forecast)

(Million yen)	FY2023 Forecast	2023/5/12 Forecast	Change (Change %)
Net Sales	19,000	18,800	+200
Gross Profit	7,800	7,250	+550
Gross Profit ratio	(41.1%)	(38.6%)	(+7.6%)
<b>Operating Profit</b>	3,800	3,450	+350
Operating Profit ratio	(20.0%)	(18.4%)	(+10.1%)
<b>Ordinary Profit</b>	3,800	3,450	+350
Ordinary Profit ratio	(20.0%)	(18.4%)	(+10.1%)
<b>Current Net Profit</b>	2,550	2,330	+220
Profit ratio	(13.4%)	(12.4%)	(+9.4%)
Orders Received	19,300	19,300	-
Dividends (non-consolidated)	76.0円	64.0円	+12.0円
ROE	25.2%	27.8%	(△2.6%)

Expected to increase by exceeding first-half plan.

Projected increase from the plan due to higher sales and gross profit margin, etc.

Although SG&A expenses are expected to increase due to activities to strengthen sales and technical capabilities, operating profit is expected to be higher than planned.

#### Forecast of Profit and Loss (YoY)

(Million yen)	FY2023 Forecast	FY2022 Results	Change (Change %)
Net Sales	19,000	18,506	+ <b>493</b> (+2.7%)
<b>Gross Profit</b>	7,800	6,994	+805
Gross Profit ratio	(41.1%)	(37.8%)	(+11.5%)
<b>Operating Profit</b>	3,800	3,246	+553
Operating Profit ratio	(20.0%)	(17.5%)	(+17.1%)
<b>Ordinary Profit</b>	3,800	3,250	+549
Ordinary Profit ratio	(20.0%)	(17.6%)	(+16.9%)
<b>Current Net Profit</b>	2,550	2,328	+221
Profit ratio	(13.4%)	(12.6%)	(+9.5%)
Orders Received	19,300	19,216	+83
Dividends (non-consolidated)	76.0円	64.0円	+12.0円
ROE	25.2%	27.8%	(△2.6%)

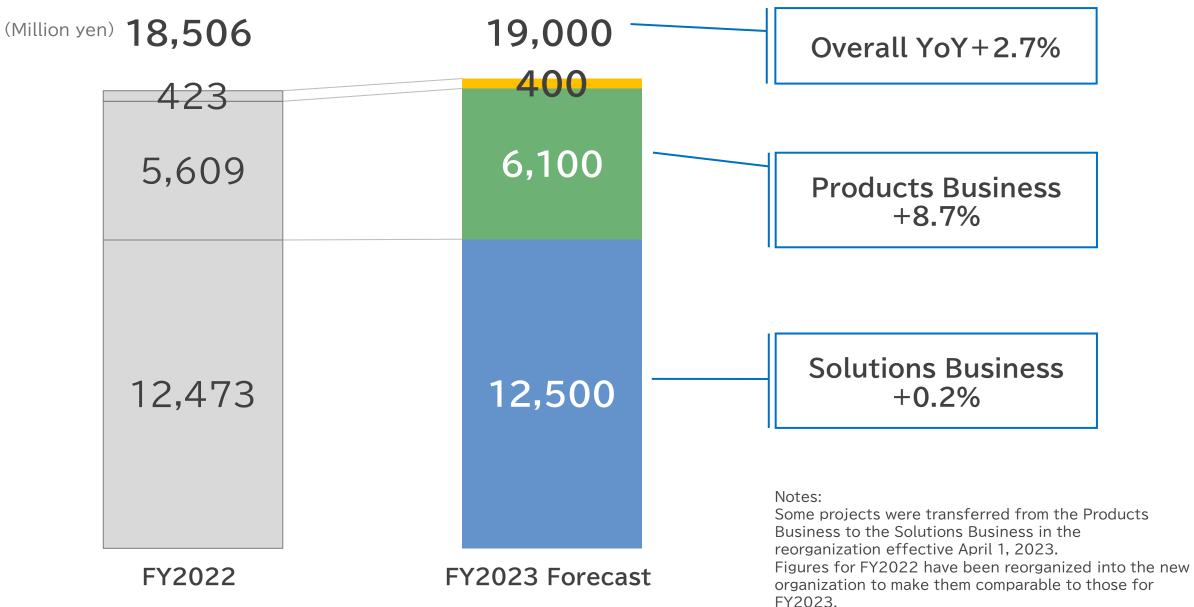
Increase in sales and profit is expected due to an increase in license sales.

Increased license sales and improved project profitability are expected to boost profits.

The tax burden will increase as the tax incentives applied in the previous fiscal year will not be applied in the current fiscal year.

⇒Current net profit is not expected to increase as much as operating income and ordinary income.

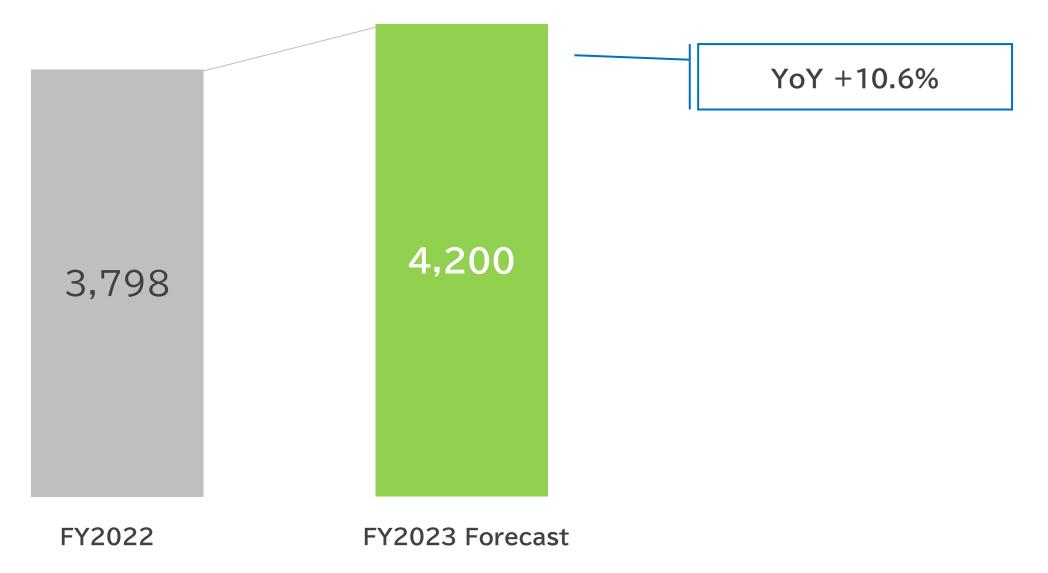
#### Forecast of Net Sales (YoY)



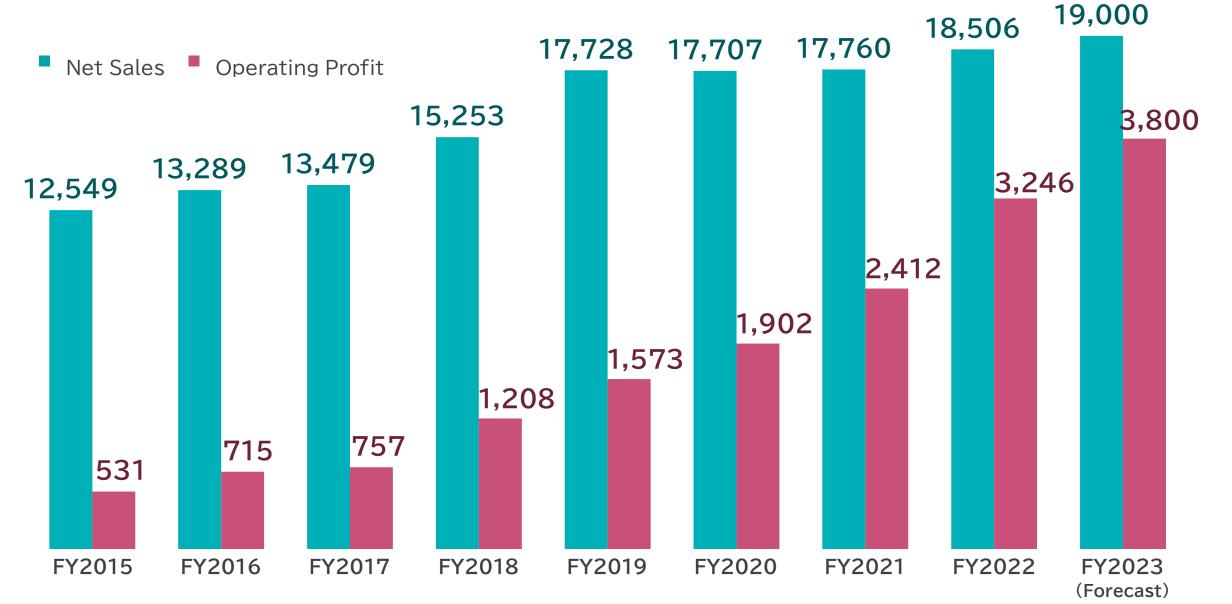
# Forecast of Net Sales of mcframe License (YoY) mcframe



(Million yen)

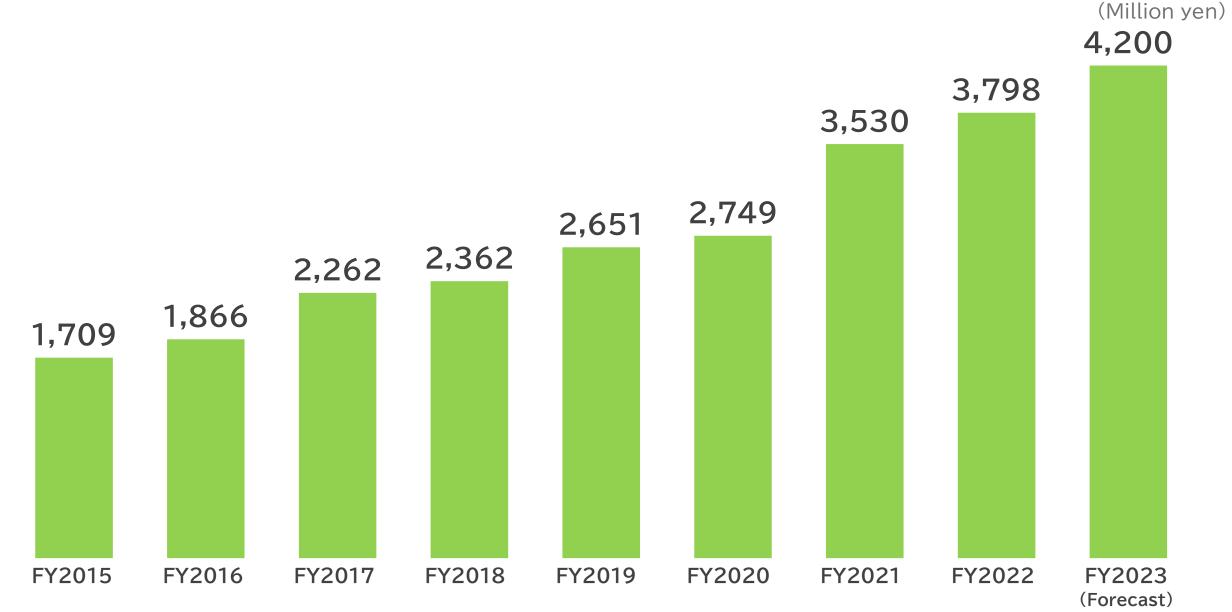


#### Net Sales and Operating Profit



(Million yen)

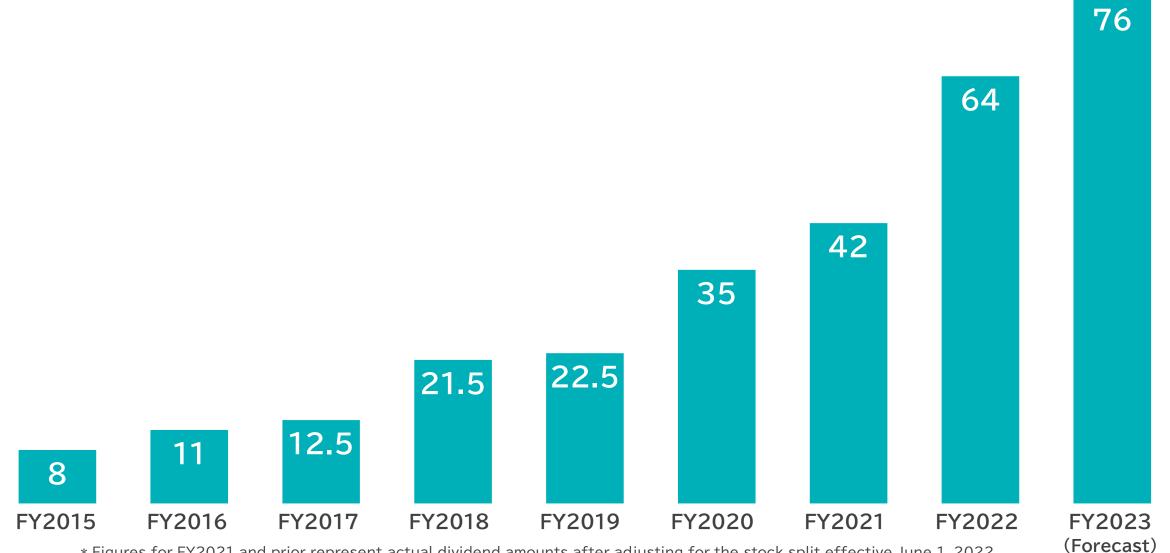
#### Net Sales of mcframe License





#### Dividends (Annual dividend per share)

(Yen)



\* Figures for FY2021 and prior represent actual dividend amounts after adjusting for the stock split effective June 1, 2022.



4. Management Vision 2026 Strategy Revision

On November 10, 2023 we announced the revision of our six-year management plan, Management Vision 2026, which was formulated in August 2021.

Please visit our corporate website for more details. <a href="https://www.b-en-g.co.jp/ir/vision.html">https://www.b-en-g.co.jp/ir/vision.html</a>



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