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Summary of Consolidated Financial Results for the Nine Months Ended December 31, 2023 (Based on Japanese GAAP)

January 31, 2024

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Scheduled date to file Quarterly Securities Report: February 13, 2024

Scheduled date to commence dividend payments:

Preparation of supplementary material on quarterly financial results: Yes
Holding of quarterly financial results meeting: No

(Amounts less than one million yen are rounded down)

1. Consolidated financial results for the nine months ended December 31, 2023 (from April 1, 2023 to December 31, 2023)

(1) Consolidated operating results (cumulative)

Percentages indicate year-on-year changes

	Net sales		Operating profit		Ordinary profit		Profit attributable to owners of parent	
	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%
Nine months ended December 31, 2023	107,824	4.0	7,671	(8.8)	8,471	(8.3)	5,624	(13.9)
Nine months ended December 31, 2022	103,694	6.7	8,409	(19.7)	9,238	(15.4)	6,530	(19.7)

	Earnings per share	Diluted earnings per share
	Yen	Yen
Nine months ended December 31, 2023	155.31	155.01
Nine months ended December 31, 2022	178.32	177.93

(2) Consolidated financial position

	Total assets	Net assets	Equity ratio	Net assets per share
	Millions of yen	Millions of yen	%	Yen
As of December 31, 2023	177,924	126,326	71.1	3,513.43
As of March 31, 2023	169,337	119,619	70.7	3,294.99

2. Cash dividends

	Annual dividends per share					
	1st quarter-end	Fiscal year-end	Total			
	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen	
Year ended March 31, 2023	-	48.50	_	48.50	97.00	
Year ending March 31, 2024	-	57.00	_			
Year ending March 31, 2024 (Forecast)				57.00	114.00	

3. Forecast of consolidated financial results for the year ending March 31, 2024 (from April 1, 2023 to March 31, 2024)

Percentages indicate year-on-year changes

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	Net sales		Operating pr	ofit	Ordinary pro	ofit	Profit attributa owners of pa		Earnings per share
	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Yen
Full year	147,000	6.5	10,500	(10.3)	12,100	(5.5)	8,300	(8.2)	228.60

4. Notes

(1) Changes in significant subsidiaries during the nine months ended December 31, 2023 (changes in specified subsidiaries resulting in the change in scope of consolidation):

No

No

(2) Application of special accounting methods for preparing quarterly consolidated financial statements: No

(3) Changes in accounting policies, changes in accounting estimates, and restatement of prior period financial statements

Changes in accounting policies due to revisions to accounting standards and other regulations:

No Changes in accounting policies due to other reasons:

No Changes in accounting estimates:

No

Restatement of prior period financial statements:

(4) Number of issued shares (common shares)

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

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As of December 31, 2023	37,324,264 shares As of March 31, 2023		37,324,264 shares			
Number of treasury shares at the end of the	period					
As of December 31, 2023	1,302,010 shares	As of March 31, 2023	986,120 shares			
Average number of shares during the period (cumulative from the beginning of the fiscal year)						
Nine months ended December 31, 2023	36,215,571 shares	Nine months ended December 31, 2022	36,623,583 shares			

Quarterly consolidated financial statements Consolidated balance sheets

(Millions of yen)

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	As of March 31, 2023	As of December 31, 2023
Assets		
Current assets		
Cash and deposits	32,740	26,572
Notes and accounts receivable - trade	25,227	30,582
Electronically recorded monetary claims - operating	1,768	2,201
Merchandise and finished goods	14,470	18,527
Work in process	2,222	3,181
Raw materials and supplies	6,668	6,913
Other	2,494	1,519
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(35)	(30)
Total current assets	85,556	89,469
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment		
Buildings and structures, net	14,498	15,053
Machinery, equipment and vehicles, net	30,159	36,972
Tools, furniture and fixtures, net	628	633
Land	20,403	20,413
Leased assets, net	306	283
Construction in progress	5,157	490
Total property, plant and equipment	71,152	73,847
Intangible assets		
Leased assets	6	2
Software	532	495
Other	350	189
Total intangible assets	890	686
Investments and other assets	-	
Investment securities	6,866	9,358
Deferred tax assets	757	371
Retirement benefit asset	582	527
Other	3,559	3,690
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(27)	(27)
Total investments and other assets	11,736	13,920
Total non-current assets	83,780	88,455
Total assets	169,337	177,924

	As of March 31, 2023	As of December 31, 2023
Liabilities	715 01 Water 51, 2025	715 01 December 31, 2023
Current liabilities		
Notes and accounts payable - trade	17,601	19,450
Short-term borrowings	3,208	4,344
Lease liabilities	89	112
Income taxes payable	578	903
Provision for bonuses	1,716	789
Provision for bonuses for directors (and other officers)	66	47
Provision for product warranties	72	88
Other	11,505	10,716
Total current liabilities	34,839	36,452
Non-current liabilities	34,637	30,432
	11 025	10,921
Long-term borrowings Lease liabilities	11,925	10,921
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Deferred tax liabilities	174	1,251
Provision for retirement benefits for directors (and other officers)	182	165
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Provision for product warranties	1,264	1,316
Retirement benefit liability Other	203	397
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Total non-current liabilities	14,877	15,145
Total liabilities	49,717	51,597
Net assets		
Shareholders' equity		
Share capital	8,136	8,136
Capital surplus	10,925	10,944
Retained earnings	95,027	96,829
Treasury shares	(2,059)	(3,037)
Total shareholders' equity	112,030	112,872
Accumulated other comprehensive income		
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	2,754	4,494
Foreign currency translation adjustment	4,429	8,742
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans	519	451
Total accumulated other comprehensive income	7,703	13,689
Share acquisition rights	150	153
Non-controlling interests	(264)	(388)
Total net assets	119,619	126,326
Total liabilities and net assets	169,337	177,924
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Consolidated statements of income (cumulative) and consolidated statements of comprehensive income (cumulative)

(Millions of yen) Nine months ended Nine months ended December 31, 2022 December 31, 2023 Net sales 103,694 107,824 Cost of sales 64,661 69,611 38,212 Gross profit 39,033 Selling, general and administrative expenses 30,624 30,541 Operating profit 8,409 7,671 Non-operating income Interest income 65 102 Dividend income 132 147 Rental income from real estate 67 66 499 Foreign exchange gains 501 Other 174 110 942 925 Total non-operating income Non-operating expenses Interest expenses 87 90 Other 26 34 114 125 Total non-operating expenses 9,238 8,471 Ordinary profit Extraordinary income Gain on sale of non-current assets 4 1 Gain on sale of investment securities 46 Total extraordinary income 4 48 Extraordinary losses Loss on retirement of non-current assets 25 23 Impairment losses 279 Total extraordinary losses 25 303 Profit before income taxes 9,217 8,216 Income taxes - current 1,548 1,862 Income taxes - deferred 1,125 690 2,552 Total income taxes 2,673 Profit 6,543 5,663 Profit attributable to Profit attributable to owners of parent 6,530 5,624 Profit attributable to non-controlling interests 13 38 Other comprehensive income Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities 32 1,740 Foreign currency translation adjustment 7,322 4,333 Remeasurements of defined benefit plans, net of tax (47)(68)Total other comprehensive income 7,308 6,006 Comprehensive income 13,852 11,669 Comprehensive income attributable to Comprehensive income attributable to owners of parent 13,800 11,609 Comprehensive income attributable to non-controlling interests 51 59