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# Financial Highlights for the First Quarter of FY2024

**Net sales** 

+6.7% increase, mainly due to expansion on Financial Solutions and Manufacturing Solutions

Operating profit

+1.4% increase, absorbing increase in cost of sales and SG&A expenses due to increase in personnel and higher base salaries

**Orders** 

Orders received increased by +2.7% and order backlog increased by +2.8% mainly for Financial Solutions

Rate of progress

50.1% for net sales and 52.3% for operating profit against the 1H forecasts



# Consolidated Results for the First Quarter of FY2024

(Unit: Millions of yen)

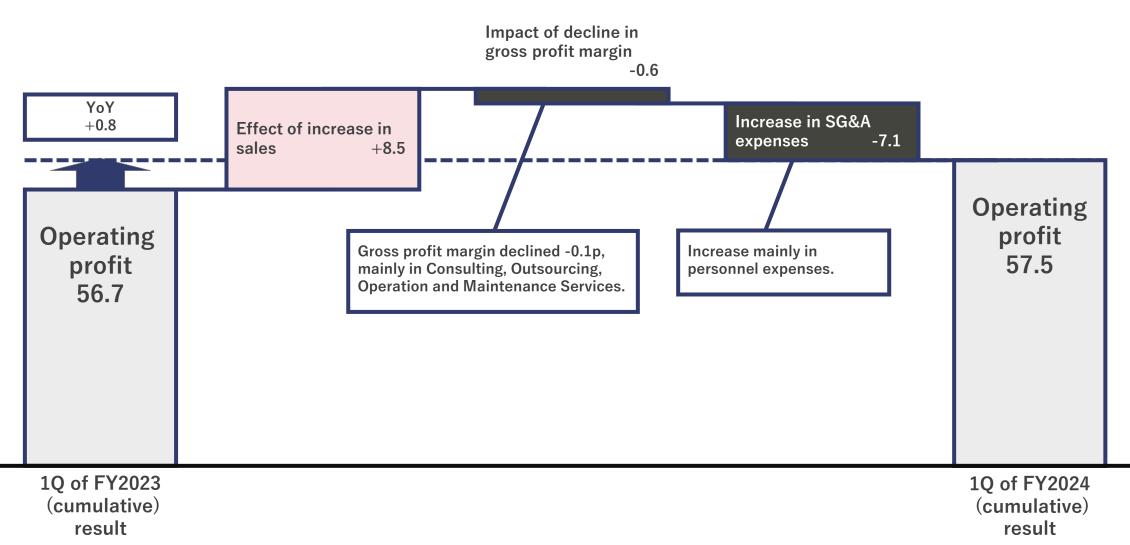
			YoY	
	1Q of FY2024 (cumulative)	1Q of FY2023 (cumulative)	Variance	% change
Net sales	37,099	34,779	+2,320	+6.7
Gross profit	13,566	12,774	+792	+6.2
Gross profit margin (%)	36.6	36.7	-0.1p	-
Selling, general and administrative expenses	7,809	7,098	+711	+10.0
Operating profit	5,757	5,676	+81	+1.4
Operating margin (%)	15.5	16.3	-0.8p	-
Ordinary profit	5,734	5,781	-47	-0.8
Profit attributable to owners of parent	4,118	3,837	+281	+7.3
Number of employees*	<b>3,683</b> people	3,397people	+286	+8.4

\*at the end of the first quarter



# Factors for Increase/Decrease in Operating Profit (YoY)

(Unit: 100 million of yen)





# Non-operating Income/Expenses and Extraordinary Income/Losses

- Non-operating income/expenses deteriorated due to the posting of foreign exchange losses, etc.
- Extraordinary income/loss improved due to the recording of gain on sale of investment securities and a decrease in loss on valuation of investment securities.

	1Q of FY2024	YoY			
	(cumulative)	1Q of FY2023 (cumulative)	Variance	% change	
Operating profit	5,757	5,676	+81	+1.4	
Non-operating income	73	115	-42	-36.5	
Non-operating expenses	96	11	+85	+772.7	
Ordinary profit	5,734	5,781	-47	-0.8	
Extraordinary income	265	-	+265	-	
Extraordinary losses	25	377	-352	-93.4	
Profit before income taxes	5,974	5,403	+571	+10.6	
Total income taxes	1,856	1,565	+291	+18.6	
Profit attributable to non-controlling interests	-	0	-0	-	
Profit attributable to owners of parent	4,118	3,837	+281	+7.3	



# **Net Sales and Operating Profit by Reportable Segment**

(Unit: Millions of yen)

		1Q of FY2024	Yo	Υ	Overview
		(cumulative)	Variance	% change	Overview
	Net sales	7,886	+571	+7.8	Net sales and operating profit increased due to expanded sales
Financial Solutions	Operating profit	967	+444	+84.9	and implementation of third-party software in the accounting area to the banking industry and increased provision of custom system development service in the customer contact point area,
	%	12.3	+5.2p	-	mainly to general business companies.
	Net sales	5,606	-68	-1.2	Although sales and implementation of the POSITIVE expanded mainly for the service industry, in the accounting area, sales and
<b>Business Solutions</b>	Operating profit	1,235	-336	-21.4	implementation of solutions were sluggish due to the peak-out of several projects. As a result, net sales remained on a par the same
	%	22.0	-5.7p	-	period of the previous year. Profit decreased due to a significant increase in personnel expenses accompanying strategic staffing.
	Net sales	11,712	+1,557	+15.3	Net sales and operating profit increased due to the expansion
Manufacturing Solutions	Operating profit	1,847	+563	+43.8	of consulting to support system grand design and engineering, as well as sales and implementation of the Teamcenter mainly to the transportation equipment and electric appliances and
	%	15.8	+3.2p	-	precision instruments industries.
	Net sales	11,893	+260	+2.2	Net Sales increased due to expanded implementation of SAP solutions mainly in the machinery industry. Profit decreased
Communication IT	Operating profit	1,706	-591	-25.7	due to factors such as an increase in personnel expenses associated with an increase in the number of employees and
	%	14.3	-5.4p	-	the impact of the continued low profitability of projects that were unprofitable in the previous fiscal year.

\*POSITIVE: human capital management, Teamcenter: product lifecycle management solution



# **Net Sales by Service Category and Dentsu Group**

Service category	1Q of FY2024	YoY			
	(cumulative)	Variance	% change		
Consulting Services	2,671	+480	+21.9		
Custom System Development	7,531	-422	-5.3		
In-house Software	7,496	+294	+4.1		
Third-party Software	13,289	+1,912	+16.8		
Outsourcing, Operation and Maintenance Services	4,078	-35	-0.9		
IT Equipment Sales and Others	2,031	+89	+4.6		

Counterparty	1Q of FY2024	YoY		
Counterparty	(cumulative)	Variance	% change	
Dentsu Group Inc. and its subsidiaries	5,355	+26	+0.5	



# **Net Sales by Industry**

	1Q of FY2024	(cumulative)	YoY		
Industry	Net sales	Composition ratio (%)	Variance	% change	
Banks	5,703	15.4	+113	+2.0	
Other financial institutions	1,854	5.0	+351	+23.4	
Financial	7,558	20.4	+465	+6.6	
Transportation equipment	6,537	17.6	+372	+6.0	
Electric appliances Precision instruments	4,204	11.3	+661	+18.7	
Machinery	2,837	7.6	+418	+17.3	
Other products	2,701	7.3	-352	-11.5	
Manufacturing	16,280	43.8	+1,098	+7.2	
Services and public offices	10,265	27.7	+691	+7.2	
Distributions and others	2,994	8.1	+66	+2.3	



# Orders Received and Order Backlog

			eceived	Order backlog		
		1Q of FY2024 (cumulative)	YoY % change	End of 1Q of FY2024	YoY % change	
Total		45,996	+2.7	63,382	+2.8	
	Financial Solutions	8,948	+30.4	9,312	+27.0	
Reportable	Business Solutions	5,914	+3.6	8,296	-19.2	
segment	Manufacturing Solutions	15,456	+4.4	26,858	+18.1	
	Communication IT	15,676	-10.0	18,915	-11.2	
	Consulting Services	2,564	+16.6	1,272	+28.1	
	Custom System Development	8,804	+10.7	6,459	-7.2	
Service	In-house Software	7,644	-1.1	10,919	-17.4	
category	Third-party Software	17,422	+6.3	31,522	+16.0	
	Outsourcing, Operation and Maintenance Services	7,087	-5.6	7,265	+5.2	
	IT Equipment Sales and Others	2,472	-17.4	5,943	-7.1	



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#### Note:

Forecasts of business results in this document are based on judgments and assumptions made in light of industry trends, customer conditions, and other information currently available, and are not intended as a guarantee that they will be achieved. Actual results may differ from these forecasts due to uncertainties inherent in forecasts, changes in internal and external conditions, and other factors.

# **Earnings Forecasts for FY2024**

• There is no changes in the forecasts announced on February 14, 2024.

	EV2024	YoY				
	FY2024 (cumulative)	FY2023 (cumulative)	Variance	% change		
Net sales	153,000	142,608	+10,392	+7.3		
Operating profit	22,500	21,028	+1,472	+7.0		
Operating margin(%)	14.7	14.7	-0.0p	-		
Ordinary profit	22,500	21,244	+1,256	+5.9		
Profit attributable to owners of parent	15,700	14,663	+1,037	+7.1		
Number of employees*	4,000 people	3,652 people	+348	+9.5		

1H of		YoY	
FY2024 (cumulative)	1H of FY2023 (cumulative)	Variance	% change
74,000	69,849	+4,151	+5.9
11,000	10,652	+348	+3.3
14.9	15.3	-0.4p	-
11,000	10,785	+215	+2.0
7,700	7,446	+254	+3.4



<sup>\*</sup> at the end of the fiscal year

# Net Sales Forecasts by Reportable Segment for FY2024

	EV0004	YoY 1H of						
	FY2024 (cumulative)	FY2023 (cumulative)	Variance	% change	FY2024 (cumulative)	1H of FY2023 (cumulative)	Variance	% change
Financial Solutions	33,000	30,598	+2,402	+7.9	16,000	14,721	+1,279	+8.7
<b>Business Solutions</b>	25,000	23,107	+1,893	+8.2	12,300	11,653	+647	+5.6
Manufacturing Solutions	45,000	41,118	+3,882	+9.4	21,700	19,795	+1,905	+9.6
Communication IT	50,000	47,784	+2,216	+4.6	24,000	23,678	+322	+1.4



# **Net Sales Forecasts by Service Category for FY2024**

	EV0004		YoY		1H of		YoY	
	FY2024 (cumulative)	FY2023 (cumulative)	Variance	% change	FY2024 (cumulative)	1H of FY2023 (cumulative)	Variance	% change
Consulting Services	9,500	8,611	+889	+10.3	4,600	3,999	+601	+15.0
Custom System Development	32,000	30,913	+1,087	+3.5	16,000	15,738	+262	+1.7
In-house Software	34,000	30,237	+3,763	+12.4	16,400	15,054	+1,346	+8.9
Third-party Software	53,000	48,184	+4,816	+10.0	25,300	23,059	+2,241	+9.7
Outsourcing, Operation and Maintenance Services	17,000	17,108	-108	-0.6	8,000	8,216	-216	-2.6
IT Equipment Sales and Others	7,500	7,553	-53	-0.7	3,700	3,780	-80	-2.1



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## **M&A Implementation**

- Acquired all the shares of Mitsue-Links Co., Ltd, UI/UX design company.
- Strengthen the support business that many company aims to "Creating Value" and "Improving Customer Experiences," through synergy with the company.
- The impact on our forecasts for the current fiscal year is minimal.

Company Name	Mitsue-Links Co., Ltd.
Head Office	8-17-1 Nishi-Shinjuku, Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo
Corporate Representative	Masashi Takahashi (CEO)
Capitalization	99,800,000 yen
Incorporation	July 1990
Employees	465 people
<b>Business Activities</b>	Web Integration, Web Consulting, System Development, Audio/Video Content
FY2023 Results	Net sales: 4,064 million yen, Ordinary profit: 699 million yen



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