Consolidated Financial Results For the Third Quarter of the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2018 (Japanese GAAP)



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Supplemental materials prepared for financial results : No Earnings announcement for financial results : No

(Amounts less than one million yen are rounded down)

1. Consolidated Results for the Third Quarter of Fiscal Year 2018 (April 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017)

(1) Consolidated Financial Results (Percentage indicates change from the same period of the previous fiscal year) Profit attributable to Net sales Operating income Ordinary Income owners of parent Millions of yen Millions of yen Millions of yen Millions of yen FY2018 3rd quarter 481, 265 5.0 25, 570 (7, 6)27, 568 (6, 4)20, 372 (1.8)458, 333 27,688 20,739 FY2017 3rd quarter (3.5)29, 451 7.3 8.7 3.4

Note: Comprehensive income: FY2018 3rd quarter 26,592 million yen (31.0 %) FY2017 3rd quarter 20,297 million yen (47.8 %)

	Net income per share, Basic	Net income per share, Diluted
	Yen	Yen
FY2018 3rd quarter	85. 93	83. 49
FY2017 3rd quarter	85. 39	83. 02

(2) Consolidated Financial Position

	Total assets	Net assets	Shareholders' equity to total assets
	Millions of yen	Millions of yen	%
FY2018 3rd quarter	566, 845	311, 394	52. 4
FY2017	541, 741	292, 777	51. 6

Reference: Shareholders' equity (Net assets excluding non-controlling interests)
: FY2018 3rd quarter 296,984 million yen FY2017 279,699 million yen

2. Dividends

D. Dividonas					
	Cash dividends per share				
	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	Year-end	Full year
	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen
FY2017	_	11.00	_	12.00	23. 00
FY2018	_	11.00	_		
FY2018 (Forecast)				12.00	23. 00

Note: Revisions to the forecast of dividends since the latest announcement: No

3. Forecast of Consolidated Results for Fiscal Year 2018 (April 1, 2017 through March 31, 2018)

(Percentage indicates change from the same period of the previous fiscal year)

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	Net sa	les	Operating	income	Ordinary		Profit attr to owners of		Net income per share, Basic
	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Yen
Full year	654, 000	4.3	35, 000	(13.8)	37,000	(11. 1)	25, 000	(0.4)	105. 44

Note: Revisions to the forecast of consolidated results since the latest announcement: Yes

4. Others

(1) Changes of significant subsidiaries in the third quarter of fiscal year 2018 : Yes (Transfer of subsidiaries resulting in changes in the scope of consolidation)

Newly consolidated companies: NHK SPRING MEXICO, S. A. DE C. V.

Excluded companies: None

(2) Application of specific accounting for preparing the quarterly consolidated financial statements : No

(3) Changes in accounting policies, procedures and methods of presentation for preparing the consolidated financial statements

[1] Changes due to revisions of accounting standards: No[2] Changes due to other reasons: No[3] Changes of estimation due to accounting issues: No[4] Restatements: No

(4) Number of outstanding shares (Common Stock)

[1] Number of outstanding shares	As of December 31, 2017	244, 066, 144 shares	As of March 31, 2017	244, 066, 144 shares
[2] Number of treasury stock	As of December 31, 2017	6, 973, 741 shares	As of March 31, 2017	6,973,371 shares
[3] Average number of shares	3rd quarter of FY2018	237, 092, 492 shares	3rd quarter of FY2017	242, 890, 976 shares

^{*} This quarterly report is out of the scope of the quarterly review.

^{*} Explanation about appropriate use of the financial results forecasts, and other noteworthy matters

Statements related to the future, including the forecast of financial results, were based on the information
available as of the date when this document was released. Therefore, actual results may differ considerably
due to various factors that might occur in the future.

Quarterly consolidated Financial Statements (1) Quarterly consolidated Balance Sheets

	DV0017	(Unit: Millions of yen)
	FY2017	FY2018
	(As of 31 March, 2017)	(As of 31 December, 2017)
Assets		
Current assets		
Cash and deposits	82, 575	97, 43
Notes and accounts receivable - trade	140, 342	135, 73
Merchandise and finished goods	16, 402	18, 30
Work in process	8, 609	10, 25
Raw materials and supplies	14, 079	15, 95
Partly-finished goods	4, 945	6, 33
Deferred tax assets	5, 304	3, 92
0ther	22, 548	21, 49
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(56)	(8
Total current assets	294, 751	309, 36
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment		
Buildings and structures	137, 065	143, 22
Accumulated depreciation	(88, 893)	(91, 39
Buildings and structures, net	48, 172	51, 82
Machinery, equipment and vehicles	231, 875	242, 79
Accumulated depreciation	(181, 605)	(187, 97
Machinery, equipment and vehicles, net	50, 269	54, 81
Land	30, 699	30, 38
Leased assets	1, 188	1, 21
Accumulated depreciation	(612)	(58
Leased assets, net	576	62
Construction in progress	5, 989	11, 50
Other	66, 434	68, 49
Accumulated depreciation	(58, 325)	(60, 61
Other, net	8, 109	7, 88
Total property, plant and equipment	143, 817	157, 03
Intangible assets	3, 312	3, 12
Investments and other assets	0, 012	0, 12
Investment securities	72, 086	72,06
Long-term loans receivable	10, 383	8, 55
Deferred tax assets	5, 532	3, 88
Net defined benefit asset	2, 825	3, 35
Other	10, 116	10, 12
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(1, 084)	(67
	99, 858	
Total investments and other assets		97, 31
Total non-current assets	246, 989	257, 48
Total assets	541, 741	566, 84

Liabilities Current liabilities Notes and accounts payable - trade Electronically recorded obligations - operating Short-term loans payable Income taxes payable	FY2017 (As of 31 March, 2017) 76,911 38,992 13,996 7,245	FY2018 (As of 31 December, 2017) 79,019 45,186
Current liabilities Notes and accounts payable - trade Electronically recorded obligations - operating Short-term loans payable	76, 911 38, 992 13, 996	79, 019
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Short-term loans payable	13, 996	10, 100
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Income toyog neveble	7 9/15	13, 970
		1, 56
Deferred tax liabilities	812	85'
Provision for directors' bonuses	278	190
Notes payable - facilities	2, 904	4, 46'
Other	39, 384	34, 396
Total current liabilities	180, 525	179, 65
Non-current liabilities		
Convertible bond-type bonds with	11, 219	11, 30
subscription rights to shares		
Long-term loans payable	20, 176	29, 08
Lease obligations	519	59
Deferred tax liabilities	12, 978	13, 52
Net defined benefit liability	13, 926	14, 98
Provision for directors' retirement benefits	579	48
Provision for officers' retirement		
benefits	746	80
Other	8, 293	5, 03
Total non-current liabilities	68, 438	75, 79
Total liabilities	248, 963	255, 45
Net assets	,	,
Shareholders' equity		
Capital stock	17,009	17, 00
Capital surplus	19, 579	19, 57
Retained earnings	216, 232	229, 04
Treasury stock	(7,515)	(7, 51
Total shareholders' equity	245, 305	258, 11
Accumulated other comprehensive income	,	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Valuation difference on available-for-	00.170	00.00
sale securities	30, 176	32, 69
Foreign currency translation adjustment	6, 570	8, 02
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans	(2, 353)	(1, 84)
Total accumulated other comprehensive income	34, 394	38, 87
Non-controlling interests	13, 077	14, 40
Total net assets	292, 777	311, 39
Total liabilities and net assets	541, 741	566, 84

(2) Quarterly Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income (Quarterly Consolidated Statements of Income) (Nine Months Ended December 31, 2017)

	DV0017	(Unit: Millions of yen)
	FY2017	FY2018
	(9 months ended	(9 months ended
AT	December 31, 2016)	December 31, 2017)
Net sales	458, 333	481, 26
Cost of sales	398, 078	422, 42
Gross profit	60, 254	58, 84
Selling, general and administrative expenses	32, 566	33, 27
Operating income	27, 688	25, 57
Non-operating income		
Interest income	712	60
Dividend income	960	1, 56
Foreign exchange gains	-	20
0ther	1, 538	1, 82
Total non-operating income	3, 212	4, 20
Non-operating expenses		
Interest expenses	123	22
Foreign exchange losses	306	
0ther	1,018	1, 97
Total non-operating expenses	1, 448	2, 20
Ordinary income	29, 451	27, 50
Extraordinary income		
Gain on revision of retirement benefit plan	1,064	
Gain on sales of investment securities	_	2, 38
Total extraordinary income	1,064	2, 38
Extraordinary losses		
Impairment loss	689	-
Total extraordinary losses	689	
Profit before income taxes	29, 826	29, 95
income taxes	7, 890	8, 05
Profit -	21, 936	21, 90
Profit attributable to non-controlling interests	1, 196	1, 53
Profit attributable to owners of parent	20, 739	20, 37

(Quarterly Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income) (Nine Months Ended December 31, 2017)

(Wife Months Ended December 31, 2017)			
		(Unit: Millions of yen)	
	FY2017	FY2018	
	(9 months ended	(9 months ended	
	December 31, 2016)	December 31, 2017)	
Profit	21, 936	21, 903	
Other comprehensive income			
Valuation difference on available-for- sale securities	9, 040	2, 537	
Foreign currency translation adjustment	(11, 852)	1, 446	
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans, net of tax	1, 545	510	
Share of other comprehensive income of entities accounted for using equity method	(373)	194	
Total other comprehensive income	(1, 639)	4, 688	
Comprehensive income	20, 297	26, 592	
Comprehensive income attributable to:			
Owners of parent	20, 303	24, 822	
Non-controlling interests	(6)	1,770	