



# Difference between Consolidated Forecasts and Actual Results for the Accumulated Second Quarter, and the Revision to Consolidated Forecasts for FY 2022

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SMC Corporation hereby announces the difference between consolidated financial forecasts and actual results for the accumulated second quarter, and revision to consolidated financial forecasts for the year ending March 31, 2023.

## 1. Difference between Consolidated Financial Forecasts and Actual Results for the Accumulated Second Quarter (from April 1, 2022 through September 30, 2022)

	Net Sales	Operating Profit	Ordinary Profit	Profit attributable to owners of parent	Net Income per share
Previous Forecasts (A) (announced on May 13, 2022)	(Millions of Yen)	(Millions of Yen)	(Millions of Yen)	(Millions of Yen)	(Yen)
	402,500	127,500	132,500	94,000	1,438.62
Actual Results (B)	421,529	133,649	180,725	133,054	2,036.32
Changes (B-A)	19,029 4.7%	6,149 4.8%	48,225 36.4%	39,054 41.5%	_
<reference> Results of the 2Q FY2021 (6months ended September 30, 2021)</reference>	358,691	118,035	126,074	90,269	1,366.16

### 2. Revision to Consolidated Financial Forecasts for the Year ending March 31, 2023 (Period from April 1, 2022 through March 31, 2023)

	Net Sales	Operating Profit	Ordinary Profit	Profit attributable to owners of parent	Net Income per share
Previous Forecasts (A) (announced on May 13, 2022)	(Millions of Yen)	(Millions of Yen)	(Millions of Yen)	(Millions of Yen)	(Yen)
	805,000	255,000	265,000	188,000	2,877.24
Revised Forecasts (B)	824,000	248,500	302,000	220,000	3,366.98
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Changes (B-A)	19,000 2.4%	(6,500) (2.5%)	37,000 14.0%	32,000 17.0%	

#### 3. Reason for the difference and revision

During the period up to the second quarter of the fiscal year 2022 (from April 1, 2022 to September 30, 2022) the demands for automation control equipment within the semi-conductor and secondary battery industries remained steady, and rapid depreciation of the Yen progressed.

Under such circumstances, both consolidated sales and profits exceeded recent forecasts.

Based on recent trends in orders received and foreign exchange rates, SMC revised the consolidated financial forecast for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2023.

The average exchange rates for the fiscal year based on the revised forecasts: 1 US\$ = 138 yen (previous forecast 123 yen), 1 EUR = 139 yen (133 yen), 1 CNY = 19.80 yen (18.50 yen).

#### **Cautionary statements**

The above forecasts contain forward-looking statements that are based on available data at the time of release of this announcement. Some factors could cause actual results to differ from expectations.