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Summary of Consolidated Financial Results for the Six Months Ended September 30, 2022 (Based on Japanese GAAP)

November 2, 2022

Company name: CUBE SYSTEM INC.

Stock exchange listing: Tokyo

Stock code: 2335 URL https://www.cubesystem.co.jp/en/

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Scheduled date to file Quarterly Securities Report: November 9, 2022 Scheduled date to commence dividend payments: December 2, 2022

Preparation of supplementary material on quarterly financial results: Yes

Holding of quarterly financial results meeting: Yes (for institutional investors and analysts)

(Amounts less than one million yen are rounded down)

1. Consolidated financial results for the six months ended September 30, 2022 (from April 1, 2022 to September 30, 2022)

(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	%
Six months ended September 30, 2022	7,892	(2.1)	598	(19.9)	594	(21.0)	388	(22.6)
Six months ended September 30, 2021	8,060	13.8	746	35.1	752	24.6	501	25.3

	Earnings per share	Diluted earnings per share
	Yen	Yen
Six months ended September 30, 2022	28.73	=
Six months ended September 30, 2021	37.00	_

(2) Consolidated financial position

	Total assets	Net assets	Equity ratio	Net assets per share
	Millions of yen	Millions of yen	%	Yen
As of September 30, 2022	10,270	7,533	73.4	556.76
As of March 31, 2022	10,064	7,214	71.2	531.14

2. Cash dividends

	Annual dividends per share							
	1st quarter-end	1st quarter-end 2nd quarter-end 3rd quarter-end Fiscal year-end Total						
	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen			
Year ended March 31, 2022	_	8.00	_	15.00	23.00			
Year ending March 31, 2023	_	23.00						
Year ending March 31, 2023 (Forecast)			_	27.00	50.00			

(Note)

Breakdown of interim dividend for the six months ended September 30, 2022:

Ordinary dividend of ¥11.00, and 50th anniversary commemorative dividend of ¥12.00

Breakdown of year-end dividend for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2023(Forecasts):

Ordinary dividend of \(\frac{\pmathbf{\text{\tinin\text{\texi}\text{\text{\text{\texi}\text{\text{\texicl{\text{\texi}\text{\text{\texi}\text{\texitt{\text{\text{\texit{\texi{\text{\text{\text{\tex{

3. Forecast of consolidated financial results for the year ending March 31, 2023 (from April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023)

Percentages indicate year-on-year changes

	Net sales		Operating profit		Ordinary profit		Profit attributable to owners of parent		Earnings per share
	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Yen
Full year	17,300	7.5	1,530	7.9	1,545	7.8	1,000	5.9	73.91

4. Notes

(1) Changes in significant subsidiaries during the six months ended September 30, 2022 (changes in specified subsidiaries resulting in the change in scope of consolidation):

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:

Changes in accounting policies due to other reasons:

No

No

No

Restatement of prior period financial statements:

No

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(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 September 30, 2022	14,500,000 shares	As of March 31, 2022	14,500,000 shares
Number of treasury shares at the end of the	period		
As of September 30, 2022	968,792 shares	As of March 31, 2022	1,000,392 shares
Average number of shares during the perio	d (cumulative from the beg	ginning of the fiscal year)	
Six months ended September 30, 2022	13,518,041 shares	Six months ended September 30, 2021	13,559,941 shares

Quarterly consolidated financial statements Consolidated balance sheets

	As of March 31, 2022	As of September 30, 2022
Assets	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Current assets		
Cash and deposits	5,058,095	5,046,843
Accounts receivable-trade and contract assets	2,584,355	2,457,566
Securities	_	100,000
Work in process	16,439	23,138
Other	147,277	160,884
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(667)	_
Total current assets	7,805,500	7,788,432
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment	169,139	147,841
Intangible assets	4,954	4,142
Investments and other assets		
Investment securities	1,278,721	1,532,283
Retirement benefit asset	194,324	196,082
Other	611,890	601,514
Total investments and other assets	2,084,936	2,329,880
Total non-current assets	2,259,029	2,481,864
Total assets	10,064,530	10,270,297
Liabilities		
Current liabilities		
Accounts payable-trade	753,109	727,893
Short-term borrowings	240,000	240,000
Income taxes payable	231,054	242,611
Provision for bonuses	364,188	420,000
Provision for bonuses for directors (and other officers)	10,200	5,092
Provision for loss on orders received	3,382	4,287
Other	597,483	388,337
Total current liabilities	2,199,418	2,028,222
Non-current liabilities		
Provision for share-based compensation	309,136	316,859
Asset retirement obligations	138,558	138,812
Other	203,097	252,778
Total non-current liabilities	650,792	708,450
Total liabilities	2,850,211	2,736,672

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	As of March 31, 2022	As of September 30, 2022
Net assets		
Shareholders' equity		
Share capital	768,978	768,978
Capital surplus	705,435	704,842
Retained earnings	6,006,514	6,182,426
Treasury shares	(759,459)	(731,977
Total shareholders' equity	6,721,467	6,924,269
Accumulated other comprehensive income		
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	370,912	526,104
Foreign currency translation adjustment	21,851	41,759
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans	55,932	41,490
Total accumulated other comprehensive income	448,696	609,354
Non-controlling interests	44,155	
Total net assets	7,214,319	7,533,624
Total liabilities and net assets	10,064,530	10,270,297

Consolidated statements of income (cumulative) and consolidated statements of comprehensive income (cumulative)

Consolidated statements of income (cumulative)

		(Thousands of yen)
	Six months ended	Six months ended
	September 30, 2021	September 30, 2022
Net sales	8,060,499	7,892,164
Cost of sales	6,342,228	6,241,203
Gross profit	1,718,270	1,650,961
Selling, general and administrative expenses		
Provision for bonuses for directors (and other officers)	5,125	5,092
Salaries and allowances	249,099	289,518
Provision for bonuses	73,865	66,633
Retirement benefit expenses	10,001	13,584
Provision of allowance for share-based compensation	42,278	35,205
Other	590,999	642,467
Total selling, general and administrative expenses	971,369	1,052,501
Operating profit	746,900	598,459
Non-operating income		
Interest income	1,290	1,586
Dividend income	4,449	4,850
Difference on consumption tax	4,682	2,221
Other	1,415	1,877
Total non-operating income	11,837	10,535
Non-operating expenses		
Interest expenses	876	716
Foreign exchange losses	2,771	9,282
Other	2,696	4,321
Total non-operating expenses	6,344	14,319
Ordinary profit	752,393	594,675
Profit before income taxes	752,393	594,675
Income taxes	249,083	206,304
Profit	503,309	388,371
Profit attributable to non-controlling interests	1,635	=
Profit attributable to owners of parent	501,674	388,371
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Consolidated statements of comprehensive income (cumulative)

		(The wall was of July)
	Six months ended	Six months ended
	September 30, 2021	September 30, 2022
Profit	503,309	388,371
Other comprehensive income		
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	71,235	155,192
Foreign currency translation adjustment	4,881	19,908
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans, net of tax	(24,946)	(15,190)
Total other comprehensive income	51,170	159,910
Comprehensive income	554,480	548,281
Comprehensive income attributable to		
Comprehensive income attributable to owners of parent	553,017	548,281
Comprehensive income attributable to non-controlling	1,463	_
interests		

Consolidated statements of cash flows

		(Thousands of yen)
	Six months ended	Six months ended
	September 30, 2021	September 30, 2022
Cash flows from operating activities		
Profit before income taxes	752,393	594,675
Depreciation	29,352	25,444
Increase (decrease) in provisions	138,058	85,193
Increase (decrease) in assets and liabilities related to	(44,070)	(23,794)
retirement benefits	(44,070)	(23,7)4)
Interest and dividend income	(5,739)	(6,436)
Interest expenses	876	716
Decrease (increase) in trade receivables	36,042	129,322
Decrease (increase) in inventories	62,543	(5,939)
Increase (decrease) in trade payables	(18,359)	(25,803)
Increase (decrease) in accrued consumption taxes	(36,153)	(74,548)
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable - other	(75,328)	(89,818)
Increase (decrease) in deposits received	(39,454)	(48,400)
Other, net	32,971	(38,634)
Subtotal	833,131	521,975
Interest and dividends received	8,975	8,155
Interest paid	(861)	(714)
Income taxes paid	(337,710)	(201,161)
Income taxes refund	_	1,086
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	503,534	329,341
Cash flows from investing activities		
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(29,842)	(7,776)
Purchase of investment securities	(29,026)	(139,041)
Proceeds from sale of investment securities	8,936	6,396
Purchase of membership	(5,000)	_
Other, net	(13,823)	4,295
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	(68,755)	(136,126)
Cash flows from financing activities		
Repayments of short-term borrowings	(40,000)	_
Dividends paid	(169,672)	(211,170)
Dividends paid to non-controlling interests	(600)	(700)
Repayments of lease liabilities	(419)	(419)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	(210,692)	(212,290)
Effect of exchange rate change on cash and cash equivalents	1,344	4,200
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	225,431	(14,874)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	4,447,541	5,015,727
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	4,672,972	5,000,853
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	4,072,972	3,000,633