

The 3rd quarter Results for FYE March 2024

	3Q for FYE March 2023		3Q for FYE March 2024			
	Amount (JPYmn)	Ratio	Initial plan	Amount (JPYmn)	Ratio	YoY
Net sales	65,919	-	68,929	68,651	-	+4.1 %
Gross profit	20,616	31.3 %	21,516	21,242	30.9 %	+3.0 %
SG&A expenses	12,376	18.8 %	14,090	13,708	20.0 %	+10.8 %
Operating profit	8,239	12.5 %	7,425	7,533	11.0 %	(8.6) %
Ordinary profit	8,415	12.8 %	7,697	7,871	11.5 %	(6.5) %
Profit	5,829	8.8 %	5,297	5,422	7.9 %	(7.0) %

	(JPYmn)	※()YoY	(JPYmn)
Net sales	68,651	[+4.1%	+2,731]
I. Division			
[1]Research and Industrial Instruments Division	56,183	[+8.5%	+4,387]
①Scientific Sector	42,031	[+9.2%	+3,524]
②Industrial Sector	14,152	[+6.5%	+863]
[2]Medical Instruments Division	12,051	[(12.0)%	(1,636)]
[3]Others[Fees for T21 system use]	416	[(4.3)%	(18)]
II. Medium-term Management Plan			
[1]E-commerce	19,980	[+15.4%	+2,671]
①Consolidated Purchasing	9,488	[+13.3%	+1,111]
②Wave	935	[+85.3%	+430]
③AXEL	1,550	[+4.9%	+73]
④E-commerce companies	8,005	[+15.2%	+1,055]
[2]Overseas	3,755	[+1.3%	+46]
①China	2,403	[(1.5)%	(37)]
②Other Overseas	1,351	[+6.7%	+84]

Gross profit	21,242	[+30.9%	+626]
Gross profit margin	30.9	%		[(0.3) p.]

Main reasons for increase and decrease

- Along with rising procurement costs, flexible pricing is implemented.
- On the other hand, the gross profit margin declined slightly in the Medical Division due to sluggish market conditions following the reactionary impact of the corona incident.

SG&A Expenses	13,708	[+10.8%	+1,332]
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Main reasons for increase and decrease

(1) Freight & warehouse cost	3,480	[0.0%	(1)]
(2) Personnel expenses	4,712	[+8.4%	+365]
(3) Real estate rental expenses	1,500	[+54.1%	+526]
(4) Depreciation	666	[+5.9%	+37]

Main reasons for increase and decrease

- SG&A expenses increased by ¥230 million over a six-month period, with the addition of a consolidated subsidiary from July.
 - Rent expenses on real estate increased due to the opening of a new distribution base in Hanshin DC in April.
- Freight and warehousing work fees declined slightly despite an increase in sales.
- In terms of freight rates, we adopted a variety of shipping methods and implemented cost reductions.
- Warehousing charges are due to the fact that Smart DC of existing logistics bases with state-of-the-art facilities are becoming more efficient.

Complementary information

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Net sales: Increased in income consecutive for 14 years and Recorded high for the past 13 consecutive fiscal years

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Medium-term Management Plan: Sales of 2 Growth Targets: vs plan (2.3)%

E-commerce sales: vs plan (1.9)%

Overseas sales: vs plan (4.5)%