# Subsidiary Chuo Kagaku Co., Ltd. Revises its Earnings Forecasts for Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2016

Mitsubishi Corporation (MC) today announced that consolidated subsidiary Chuo Kagaku Co., Ltd. has revised its earnings forecasts for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2016 that were announced on May 13, 2015.

This will have no effect on MC's consolidated and non-consolidated earnings forecasts for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2016.

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## **Revision of Full-year Earnings Forecasts**

In light of recent trends in the company's financial results and other factors, Chuo Kagaku Co., Ltd, (Chuo) has made the following revisions to its earnings forecasts that were announced on May 13, 2015.

#### 1. Revisions Forecasts:

Revisions to first half consolidated earnings forecasts for the year ending March
2016 (for period beginning on April 1, 2015 and ending September 30, 2015)

	Net Sales	Operating	Ordinary	Net Income	Net
	(million	Income	Income	(million yen)	Income
	yen)	(million yen)	(million yen)		Per Share
					(yen)
Previous	31,300	100	0	0	0
Forecast (A)					
Revised	30,621	668	444	363	18.03
Forecast (B)			2.		
Difference	-679	568	444	363	_
(B-A)					
Difference (%)	-2.2%	568.0%	_	_	_
(Reference)	30,340	-938	-771	-899	-44.63
Previous					
Year*					

<sup>\*</sup> Previous Year - April 1, 2014 to September 30, 2014

(2) Revisions to full-year consolidated earnings forecasts for year ending March 2016 (for period beginning on April 1, 2015 and ending on March 31, 2016)

Net Sales	Operating	Ordinary	Net Income	Net Income

	(million	Income	Income	(million yen)	Per Share
	yen)	(million yen)	(million yen)		(yen)
Previous	63,500	600	600	350	17.37
Forecast (A)					
Revised	63,500	800	800	600	29.78
Forecast (B)					
Difference	0	200	200	250	-
(B-A)					
Difference	0.0	33.3%	33.3%	71.4%	
(%)					
(Reference)	61,001	-1,519	-1,152	-1,478	-73.36
Previous					
Year*					

<sup>\*</sup> Previous Year - April 1, 2014 to March 31, 2015

(3) Revisions to first half non-consolidated earnings forecasts for the year ending March 2016 (for period beginning on April 1, 2015 and ending September 30, 2015)

	Net Sales	Operating	Net Income	Net
	(million	Income	(million yen)	Income
	yen)	(million yen)		Per Share
				(yen)
Previous	27,000	0	0	0
Forecast (A)		-		
Revised	26,712	409	351	17.45
Forecast (B)				
Difference	-288	409	351	
(B-A)				
Difference (%)	-1.1%	=	=	_
(Reference)	26,514	-939	-1,019	-50.58
Previous				
Year*				

<sup>\*</sup> Previous Year - April 1, 2014 to September 30, 2014

(4) Revisions to full-year non-consolidated earnings forecasts for year ending March

	Net Sales	Ordinary	Net Income	Net
	(million	Income	(million	Income
	yen)	(million yen)	yen)	Per Share
				(yen)
Previous	55,000	500	300	14.89
Forecast (A)				
Revised	55,000	700	500	24.81
Forecast (B)				
Difference(B-A)	0	200	200	_
Difference (%)	0.0	40.0%	66.7%	
(Reference)	53,059	-1,594	-1,800	-89.36
Previous Year*				

<sup>\*</sup> Previous Year - April 1, 2014 to March 31, 2015

#### 2. Reasons for Revision

#### (1) Consolidated figures

Although net sales saw a slight drop due to a decrease in yen sales figures at overseas consolidated subsidiaries, itself a result of the deprecation of the Chinese yuan against the yen, consolidated figures for the first half of the year are expected to be roughly the same as originally planned.

As to profit figures, operating income, ordinary income and net income for the first half of the year are expected to be higher than the previous forecast due to the progress the company has made in the reduction of raw material costs, improvements in the margins of unprofitable sales and the reduction of various expenses.

Full-year consolidated forecasts have been revised in consideration for the effects of the revision of forecasts for the first half.

## (2) Non-consolidated figures

Reasons for the revision of non-consolidated figures are roughly the same as those for consolidated figures, excepting for the reduction in yen sales figures at overseas consolidated subsidiaries.

# Remark

Please note that the above-mentioned forecasts were prepared on the basis of information available as of the date of this announcement and that the actual results may differ from the forecasts due to subsequent developments in the business environment.