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Summary of Consolidated Financial Results for the Nine Months Ended December 31, 2016 (Based on Japanese GAAP)

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Scheduled date to file Q	Quarterly Securities Repo	ort:	February 14, 2017		
Scheduled date to comr	nence dividend payments	ts:	-		
Preparation of supplem	entary material on quarte	erly financial results:	No		
Holding of quarterly fir	nancial results meeting:		No		

(Amounts less than one million yen are rounded down)

1. Consolidated financial results for the nine months ended December 31, 2016 (from April 1, 2016 to December 31, 2016) (1) Consolidated operating results (cumulative)

(1) Consolidated operating results (cullu	reicentage	es muica	ite year-on-year c	nanges				
	Net sales		Net sales Operating income		Ordinary income		Profit attributable to owners of parent	
	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%
Nine months ended December 31, 2016	13,591	(12.3)	(357)	-	(386)	-	(476)	-
Nine months ended December 31, 2015	15,502	(12.6)	(80)	-	18	(95.8)	(13)	—

	Earnings per share	Diluted earnings per share
	Yen	Yen
Nine months ended December 31, 2016	(38.10)	-
Nine months ended December 31, 2015	(1.09)	-

(2) Consolidated financial position

	Total assets	Net assets	Equity ratio	Net assets per share
	Millions of yen	Millions of yen	%	Yen
As of December 31, 2016	24,116	15,336	63.5	1,224.32
As of March 31, 2016	25,177	15,583	61.8	1,243.97

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, 2016	-	0.00	-	20.00	20.00				
Year ending March 31, 2017	-	0.00	-						
Year ending March 31, 2017 (Forecast)				20.00	20.00				

3. Forecast of consolidated financial results for the year ending March 31, 2017 (from April 1, 2016 to March 31, 2017)

 Percentages indicate year-on-year changes									
	Net sales		Operating inc	come	Ordinary income		Profit attributa owners of pa		Earnings per share
	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Yen
Full year	18,700	(16.4)	(470)	-	(460)	-	(550)	_	(43.94)

4. Notes				
(1) Changes in significant subsidiaries during th	(1) Changes in significant subsidiaries during the nine months ended December 31, 2016			
(changes in specified subsidiaries resulting in	(changes in specified subsidiaries resulting in the change in scope of consolidation):			
(2) Application of special accounting methods for preparing quarterly consolidated financial statements:				
(3) Changes in accounting policies, changes in a	ccounting estimates, and r	estatement of prior period financ	ial stateme	nts
Changes in accounting policies due to revis	tions to accounting standar	ds and other regulations:	Yes	
Changes in accounting policies due to other	r reasons:		No	
Changes in accounting estimates:	Changes in accounting estimates:			
Restatement of prior period financial statem	nents:		No	
(4) Number of issued shares (common shares)				
Total number of issued shares at the end of	the period (including treas	sury shares)		
As of December 31, 2016	12,548,134 shares	As of March 31, 2016		12,548,134 shares
Number of treasury shares at the end of the	period			
As of December 31, 2016	31,135 shares	As of March 31, 2016	1	30,821 shares
Average number of shares during the period	d (cumulative from the beg	ginning of the fiscal year)		
Nine months ended December 31, 2016	12,517,159 shares	Nine months ended December	31, 2015	12,517,568 shares

Quarterly consolidated financial statements Consolidated balance sheets

		(Millions of yen
	As of March 31, 2016	As of December 31, 2016
Assets		
Current assets		
Cash and deposits	3,052	3,100
Notes and accounts receivable - trade	7,263	4,814
Electronically recorded monetary claims - operating	1,376	1,77
Securities	20	2
Merchandise and finished goods	206	32
Work in process	3,138	3,55
Raw materials and supplies	285	28
Deferred tax assets	146	14
Other	297	29
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(5)	(
Total current assets	15,780	14,31
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment		
Buildings and structures, net	2,555	2,50
Other, net	2,145	1,99
Total property, plant and equipment	4,701	4,49
Intangible assets	128	10
Investments and other assets		
Investment securities	3,683	4,64
Other	953	62
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(70)	(7
Total investments and other assets	4,566	5,19
Total non-current assets	9,396	9,80
Total assets	25,177	24,11
Liabilities		,
Current liabilities		
Accounts payable - trade	3,345	2,55
Short-term loans payable	637	44
Current portion of bonds	100	6
Accounts payable - other	41	11
Accrued expenses	877	70
Income taxes payable	50	2
Accrued consumption taxes	51	19
Provision for bonuses	361	20
Provision for loss on construction contracts	49	5
Other	202	23
Total current liabilities	5,718	4,60

		(Millions of yen)
	As of March 31, 2016	As of December 31, 2016
Non-current liabilities		
Bonds payable	60	30
Long-term loans payable	738	915
Deferred tax liabilities	475	680
Provision for environmental safety measures	43	43
Net defined benefit liability	1,988	1,970
Asset retirement obligations	83	84
Other	486	452
Total non-current liabilities	3,875	4,177
Total liabilities	9,593	8,780
Vet assets		
Shareholders' equity		
Capital stock	9,019	9,019
Retained earnings	5,408	4,554
Treasury shares	(27)	(27)
Total shareholders' equity	14,400	13,546
Accumulated other comprehensive income		
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	1,061	1,561
Deferred gains or losses on hedges	(0)	0
Foreign currency translation adjustment	_	107
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans	109	108
Total accumulated other comprehensive income	1,170	1,778
Non-controlling interests	12	11
Total net assets	15,583	15,336
Total liabilities and net assets	25,177	24,116

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

Consolidated statements of income (cumulative)

		(Millions of yen)
	Nine months ended	Nine months ended
	December 31, 2015	December 31, 2016
Net sales	15,502	13,591
Cost of sales	13,243	11,618
Gross profit	2,259	1,973
Selling, general and administrative expenses	2,339	2,331
Operating loss	(80)	(357)
Non-operating income		
Interest income	3	2
Dividend income	123	111
Miscellaneous income	47	33
Total non-operating income	175	147
Non-operating expenses		
Interest expenses	4	4
Insurance expenses	18	18
Maintenance cost for idle assets	19	17
Foreign exchange losses	2	84
Miscellaneous loss	31	52
Total non-operating expenses	76	176
Ordinary income (loss)	18	(386)
Extraordinary income		
Gain on sales of non-current assets	11	1
Insurance income	11	_
Gain on liquidation of subsidiaries and associates	21	-
Other	0	0
Total extraordinary income	43	1
Extraordinary losses		
Loss on disposal of non-current assets	1	1
Impairment loss	27	66
Compensation for damage	14	-
Other	_	0
Total extraordinary losses	43	67
Profit (loss) before income taxes	18	(452)
Income taxes	33	24
Loss	(14)	(477)
Loss attributable to non-controlling interests	(1)	(1)
Loss attributable to owners of parent	(13)	(476)
	(10)	(1,0)

		(Millions of yen)
	Nine months ended	Nine months ended
	December 31, 2015	December 31, 2016
Loss	(14)	(477)
Other comprehensive income		
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	205	500
Deferred gains or losses on hedges	_	0
Foreign currency translation adjustment	_	(13)
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans, net of tax	(45)	(0)
Total other comprehensive income	160	486
Comprehensive income	146	8
Comprehensive income attributable to		
Comprehensive income attributable to owners of parent	147	9
Comprehensive income attributable to non-controlling	(1)	(1)
interests	(1)	(1)