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Consolidated Financial Results for the Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 2023 [Japanese GAAP]

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Scheduled date of Annual General Meeting of Shareholders: June 27, 2023

Scheduled date of commencing dividend payments: June 28, 2023 Scheduled date of filing annual securities report: June 27, 2023

Availability of supplementary briefing material on annual financial results: Yes

Schedule of annual financial results briefing session: Yes

(Amounts of less than one million yen are rounded down.)

1. Consolidated Financial Results for the Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 2023 (April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023)

(1) Consolidated Operating Results (% indicates changes from the previous corresponding period.)

	Total revenue		Operating income		Ordinary income		Net income attributable to owners of parent	
Fiscal year ended	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%
March 31, 2023	564,487	5.3	26,235	8.9	25,597	9.9	15,849	3.0
March 31, 2022	536,025	5.5	24,081	7.2	23,290	4.9	15,382	5.4

(Note) Comprehensive income: Fiscal year ended March 31, 2023: ¥16,029 million [2.0%] Fiscal year ended March 31, 2022: ¥15,711 million [3.0%]

	Basic earnings per share	Diluted earnings per share	Return on equity	Ratio of ordinary income to total assets	Ratio of operating income to total revenue
Fiscal year ended	Yen	Yen	%	%	%
March 31, 2023	407.99	383.17	11.7	8.2	4.6
March 31, 2022	396.08	372.04	12.5	8.1	4.5

(Reference) Equity in earnings of affiliated companies: Fiscal year ended March 31, 2023: ¥164 million Fiscal year ended March 31, 2022: ¥(154) million

(2) Consolidated Financial Position

	Total assets	Net assets	Equity ratio	Net assets per share	
	Million yen	Million yen	%	Yen	
As of March 31, 2023	318,231	141,613	44.5	3,644.95	
As of March 31, 2022	305,997	128,828	42.1	3,317.02	

(Reference) Equity: As of March 31, 2023: \(\frac{\pmathbf{4}}{141,613}\) million As of March 31, 2022: \(\frac{\pmathbf{4}}{128,828}\) million

(3) Consolidated Cash Flows

	Cash flows from operating activities	Cash flows from investing activities	Cash flows from financing activities	Cash and cash equivalents at end of period
Fiscal year ended	Million yen	Million yen	Million yen	Million yen
March 31, 2023	33,276	(10,516)	(8,251)	45,777
March 31, 2022	30,525	(46,909)	15,571	31,268

2. Dividends

		Annual	dividends pe	T 4 1	Payout	Dividend		
	1st quarter-end	2nd quarter-end	3rd quarter-end	Year-end	Total	Total dividends	ratio (consoli- dated)	on equity (consoli- dated)
	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen	Million yen	%	%
Fiscal year ended March 31, 2022	-	36.25	-	43.75	80.00	3,166	20.2	2.5
Fiscal year ended March 31, 2023	-	40.00	-	45.00	85.00	3,365	20.8	2.4
Fiscal year ending March 31, 2024 (Forecast)	-	42.50	-	42.50	85.00		20.6	

3. Consolidated Financial Results Forecast for the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2024 (April 1, 2023 to March 31, 2024)

(% indicates changes from the previous corresponding period.)

	Total reven	nue	Operating in	come	Ordinary in	come	Net inco attributab owners of	le to	Basic earnings per share
	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Yen
Full year	574,000	1.7	26,300	0.2	25,600	0.0	16,000	1.0	411.87

* Notes:

(1) Changes in significant subsidiaries during the fiscal year ended March 31, 2023 (changes in specified subsidiaries resulting in changes in scope of consolidation): No

New: - company (Name of company)

Exclusion: - company (Name of company)

- (2) Changes in accounting policies, changes in accounting estimates and retrospective restatement
 - 1) Changes in accounting policies due to the revision of accounting standards: No
 - 2) Changes in accounting policies other than 1) above: No
 - 3) Changes in accounting estimates: No
 - 4) Retrospective restatement: No
- (3) Total number of issued shares (common stock)
 - 1) Total number of issued shares at the end of the period (including treasury stocks):

March 31, 2023: 40,013,722 shares March 31, 2022: 40,013,722 shares

2) Total number of treasury stocks at the end of the period:

March 31, 2023: 1,161,834 shares March 31, 2022: 1,174,975 shares

3) Average number of shares during the period:

Fiscal year ended March 31, 2023: 38,847,080 shares Fiscal year ended March 31, 2022: 38,837,603 shares

(Reference) Summary of Non-consolidated Financial Results

1. Non-consolidated Financial Results for the Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 2023 (April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023)

(1) Non-consolidated Operating Results (% indicates changes from the previous corresponding period.)

	Total revenue		Operating income		Ordinary income		Net income	
Fiscal year ended	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%
March 31, 2023	487,891	4.3	22,837	5.0	22,415	4.5	14,291	2.5
March 31, 2022	467,838	5.8	21,753	10.3	21,451	8.4	13,937	4.7

	Basic earnings per share	Diluted earnings per share
Fiscal year ended	Yen	Yen
March 31, 2023	367.89	345.48
March 31, 2022	358.88	337.07

(2) Non-consolidated Financial Position

	Total assets	Net assets	Equity ratio	Net assets per share
	Million yen	Million yen	%	Yen
As of March 31, 2023	301,647	135,026	44.8	3,475.41
As of March 31, 2022	290,367	123,961	42.7	3,191.70

(Reference) Equity: As of March 31, 2023: \(\frac{2}{135,026}\) million
As of March 31, 2022: \(\frac{2}{123,961}\) million

2. Non-consolidated Financial Results Forecast for the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2024 (April 1, 2023 to March 31, 2024)

(% indicates changes from the previous corresponding period.)

	Total rever	nue	Operating in	come	Ordinary in	come	Net inco	ome	Basic earnings per share
	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Yen
Full year	495,000	1.5	23,000	0.7	22,500	0.4	14,400	0.8	370.68

^{*} These financial results are outside the scope of audit by certified public accountants or audit firms.

The earnings forecasts and other forward-looking statements herein are based on certain assumptions in light of information currently available and deemed reasonable and are not a guarantee of future performance. Actual results may differ significantly from these forecasts due to a wide range of factors. For details on conditions for the assumptions of financial results forecasts and notes for the use of financial results forecasts, please refer to page 4 of the Japanese version of the Attachment, "1. Summary of Operating Results, etc., (4) Future outlook."

^{*} Explanation of the proper use of financial results forecast and other notes

Consolidated Financial Statements and Primary Notes (1) Consolidated Balance Sheets

	As of March 31, 2022	As of March 31, 2023
Assets		
Current assets		
Cash and bank deposits	31,268	45,777
Accounts receivable—trade	8,255	8,608
Merchandise and finished products	9,112	9,660
Raw materials and supplies	311	394
Other	11,355	12,184
Total current assets	60,303	76,625
Non-current assets		
Tangible fixed assets		
Buildings and structures	138,279	145,126
Accumulated depreciation	(55,937)	(61,883)
Buildings and structures (net)	82,341	83,243
Vehicles	41	43
Accumulated depreciation	(31)	(34)
Vehicles (net)	9	8
Tools, furniture and fixtures	39,969	43,436
Accumulated depreciation	(22,641)	(24,967)
Tools, furniture and fixtures (net)	17,328	18,469
Land	93,176	83,159
Leased assets	3,922	4,670
Accumulated depreciation	(1,405)	(1,645)
Leased assets (net)	2,516	3,024
Construction in progress	3,260	4,675
Total tangible fixed assets	198,633	192,581
Intangible fixed assets	170,033	172,501
Leasehold rights	1,708	1,708
Leased assets	56	27
Other	4,747	4,449
Total intangible fixed assets	6,512	6,184
Investments and other assets	0,312	0,104
Investment securities	429	454
Long-term loans receivable	952	945
Retirement benefit asset	329	339
Deferred tax assets	7,547	7,850
Deferred tax assets for land revaluation	8	7,650
Guarantee deposits paid	21,245	22,475
Other	10,013	10,764
Total investments and other assets	40,527	42,829
Total non-current assets	245,673	241,595
Deferred assets	240,073	241,393
Bond issuance costs	20	11
Total deferred assets	20	11
Total assets Total assets	305,997	
Total assets	303,99/	318,231

	As of March 31, 2022	As of March 31, 2023
Liabilities		
Current liabilities		
Accounts payable—trade	34,069	35,293
Current portion of long-term loans payable	4,671	4,288
Lease obligations	273	328
Income taxes payable	4,712	4,625
Provision for bonuses for employees	2,733	2,887
Provision for point card certificates	-	71
Other	18,483	19,724
Total current liabilities	64,942	67,218
Long-term liabilities		
Bonds payable	15,032	15,017
Long-term loans payable	72,766	68,478
Lease obligations	4,510	5,114
Deferred tax liabilities	1,106	1,121
Deferred tax liabilities on revaluation	-	34
Provision for retirement benefits for directors	228	230
Provision for retirement benefits for executive officers	34	26
Provision for stock compensation for employees	2,524	2,885
Provision for stock compensation for directors	160	189
Liability for retirement benefits	4,100	4,209
Asset retirement obligations	5,360	5,834
Other	6,402	6,257
Total long-term liabilities	112,226	109,400
Total liabilities	177,168	176,618
Net assets		
Shareholders' equity		
Common stock	4,199	4,199
Capital surplus	7,160	7,160
Retained earnings	125,180	137,713
Treasury stock	(4,888)	(4,817)
Total shareholders' equity	131,652	144,255
Accumulated other comprehensive income		
Unrealized gains on available-for-sale securities	171	192
Revaluation reserve for land	(2,939)	(2,939)
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans	(55)	103
Total accumulated other comprehensive income	(2,823)	(2,642)
Total net assets	128,828	141,613
Total liabilities and net assets	305,997	318,231

(2) Consolidated Statements of Income and Comprehensive Income Consolidated Statements of Income

		Fiscal year ended March 31, 2023	
	(April 1, 2021 – March 31, 2022) (April 1, 20	· ·	
Net sales	514,029	541,824	
Cost of sales	384,259	405,790	
Gross profit	129,769	136,034	
Operating revenue	21,996	22,662	
Operating gross profit	151,766	158,696	
Selling, general and administrative expenses			
Distribution expenses	9,577	9,937	
Advertising and promotion expenses	2,669	2,840	
Salaries and allowances	53,089	54,895	
Provision for bonuses for employees	2,987	3,180	
Retirement benefit expenses	1,148	1,573	
Provision for retirement benefits for directors	3	2	
Provision for retirement benefits for executive officers	2	1	
Provision for stock compensation for employees	565	387	
Provision for stock compensation for directors	37	29	
Legal welfare expenses	8,303	8,458	
Utilities	5,282	7,553	
Rent	14,166	14,728	
Depreciation and amortization	10,303	10,863	
Amortization of goodwill	1,015	-	
Other	18,530	18,008	
Total selling, general and administrative expenses	127,684	132,461	
Operating income	24,081	26,235	
Non-operating income			
Interest income	105	110	
Dividend income	8	9	
Share of profit of entities accounted for using equity method	<u>-</u>	164	
Subsidy income	98	14	
Other	67	58	
Total non-operating income	279	357	
Non-operating expenses			
Interest expenses	896	959	
Share of loss of entities accounted for using equity method	154	-	
Other	19	35	
Total non-operating expenses	1,070	995	
Ordinary income	23,290	25,597	

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	Fiscal year	Fiscal year
	ended March 31, 2022	ended March 31, 2023
	(April 1, 2021 – March 31, 2022) (April 1, 2022 – March 31,2023)
Extraordinary income		
Gain on sales of fixed assets	4	8
Penalty income on lease contracts	4	17
Gain on reversal of asset retirement obligations	43	-
Total extraordinary income	52	25
Extraordinary losses		
Loss on sales of fixed assets	9	1,296
Loss on disposal of fixed assets	151	84
Loss on impairment	693	739
Other	111	23
Total extraordinary losses	966	2,143
Income before income taxes	22,376	23,479
Income taxes - current	7,651	7,940
Income taxes - deferred	(657)	(309)
Total income taxes	6,993	7,630
Net income	15,382	15,849
Net income attributable to owners of parent	15,382	15,849

Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income

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	Fiscal year	Fiscal year
	ended March 31, 2022	ended March 31, 2023
	(April 1, 2021 – March 31, 2022) (April 1, 2022 – March 31,2023)
Net income	15,382	15,849
Other comprehensive income		
Unrealized gains on available-for-sale securities	(26)	18
Revaluation reserve for land	43	-
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans	309	132
Share of other comprehensive income of entities accounted for using equity method	2	29
Total other comprehensive income	329	180
Comprehensive income	15,711	16,029
Comprehensive income attributable to		
Owners of parent	15,711	16,029

(3) Consolidated Statements of Changes in Net Assets Fiscal year ended March 31, 2022 (April 1, 2021 – March 31, 2022)

	Shareholders' equity				
	Common stock	Capital surplus	Retained earnings	Treasury stock	Total shareholders' equity
Balance, April 1, 2021	4,199	7,017	113,716	(4,767)	120,166
Changes during the year					
Cash dividends			(3,531)		(3,531)
Net income attributable to owners of parent			15,382		15,382
Purchase of treasury stock				(174)	(174)
Disposal of treasury stock		142		53	196
Reversal of revaluation reserve for land			(387)		(387)
Other changes during the year—net					
Total changes during the year	-	142	11,463	(120)	11,486
Balance, March 31, 2022	4,199	7,160	125,180	(4,888)	131,652

	Accumulated other comprehensive income				
	Unrealized gains on available-for- sale securities	Revaluation reserve for land	Remeasurements of defined benefit plans	Total accumulated other comprehensive income	Total net assets
Balance, April 1, 2021	194	(3,370)	(364)	(3,540)	116,625
Changes during the year					
Cash dividends					(3,531)
Net income attributable to owners of parent					15,382
Purchase of treasury stock					(174)
Disposal of treasury stock					196
Reversal of revaluation reserve for land					(387)
Other changes during the year—net	(23)	430	309	716	716
Total changes during the year	(23)	430	309	716	12,202
Balance, March 31, 2022	171	(2,939)	(55)	(2,823)	128,828

Fiscal year ended March 31, 2023 (April 1, 2022 – March 31,2023)

	Shareholders' equity				
	Common stock	Capital surplus	Retained earnings	Treasury stock	Total shareholders' equity
Balance, April 1, 2022	4,199	7,160	125,180	(4,888)	131,652
Changes during the year					
Cash dividends			(3,316)		(3,316)
Net income attributable to owners of parent			15,849		15,849
Purchase of treasury stock				(1)	(1)
Disposal of treasury stock				71	71
Reversal of revaluation reserve for land					-
Other changes during the year—net					
Total changes during the year	-	-	12,533	70	12,603
Balance, March 31, 2023	4,199	7,160	137,713	(4,817)	144,255

	Accumulated other comprehensive income				
	Unrealized gains on available-for- sale securities	Revaluation reserve for land	Remeasurements of defined benefit plans	Total accumulated other comprehensive income	Total net assets
Balance, April 1, 2022	171	(2,939)	(55)	(2,823)	128,828
Changes during the year					
Cash dividends					(3,316)
Net income attributable to owners of parent					15,849
Purchase of treasury stock					(1)
Disposal of treasury stock					71
Reversal of revaluation reserve for land					-
Other changes during the year—net	21		159	180	180
Total changes during the year	21	-	159	180	12,784
Balance, March 31, 2023	192	(2,939)	103	(2,642)	141,613

	Fiscal year ended March 31, 2022 (April 1, 2021 – March 31, 2022) (Apri	Fiscal year ended March 31, 2023 1, 2022 – March 31,2023
Cash flows from operating activities		
Income before income taxes	22,376	23,479
Depreciation and amortization	11,250	12,128
Loss on impairment	693	739
Amortization of goodwill	1,015	-
Increase (decrease) in provision for retirement benefits for directors	3	2
Increase (decrease) in provision for retirement benefits for executive officers	2	(7)
Increase (decrease) in provision for stock compensation for employees	543	360
Increase (decrease) in provision for stock compensation for directors	(18)	29 300
Increase (decrease) in liability for retirement benefits		
Interest and dividend income	(113) 896	(119)
Interest expenses Share of loss (profit) of entities accounted for using equity method	154	959 (164)
Loss (gain) on sales of fixed assets	5	1,287
Loss on disposal of fixed assets	151	84
Decrease (increase) in trade receivables	(1,210)	(352)
Decrease (increase) in inventories	(1,053)	(631)
Increase (decrease) in trade payables	2,754	1,224
Net change in consumption taxes payable or receivable	(803)	2,063
Other—net	1,625	806
Subtotal	38,580	42,190
Interest and dividend income received	24	67
Interest expenses paid	(873)	(944)
Income taxes paid	(7,205)	(8,036)
Net cash provided by operating activities	30,525	33,276
Cash flows from investing activities		23,270
Purchase of tangible fixed assets	(38,826)	(19,672)
Proceeds from sales of tangible fixed assets	7	12,740
Purchase of intangible fixed assets	(902)	(1,111)
Proceeds from sale and redemption of investment securities	- -	0
Purchase of shares of subsidiaries and associates	(5,656)	-
Loan advances	(400)	(500)
Payments of guarantee deposits	(2,293)	(2,192)
Collection of guarantee deposits paid	1,068	783
Other—net	93	(563)
Net cash used in investing activities	(46,909)	(10,516)
Cash flows from financing activities		<u> </u>
Proceeds from long-term loans payable	32,000	-
Repayments of long-term loans payable	(12,639)	(4,671)
Purchase of treasury stock	(174)	(1)
Proceeds from sales of treasury stock	177	23
Payment of cash dividends	(3,530)	(3,316)
Repayments of lease obligations	(261)	(286)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities		
	15,571	(8,251)
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(811)	14,508
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of the year	32,080	31,268
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	31,268	45,777

(5) Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements

Notes on going concern assumption

Not applicable.

Segment information, etc.

Segment information

This information is omitted because the Group operates in a single business segment, the supermarket business, mainly handling food.

Related information

1. Information by products and services

This information is omitted because net sales to customers under a single product and service category exceeded 90% of net sales in the consolidated statements of income.

2. Information by geographical area

(1) Net sales

Not applicable since the Company does not sell to customers outside Japan.

(2) Tangible fixed assets

Not applicable since the Company does not have tangible fixed assets located outside Japan.

3. Information by major customer

This information is omitted because no customer accounted for 10% or more of net sales in the consolidated statements of income.

Information about loss on impairment loss on fixed assets by reportable segment

This information is omitted because the Group operates in a single business segment, the supermarket business, mainly handling food.

Information concerning amortization and unamortized balance of goodwill by reportable segment

This information is omitted because the Group operates in a single business segment, the supermarket business, mainly handling food.

Gain on bargain purchase by reportable segment

Not applicable.