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Fiscal 2023 2nd Quarter Financial Results – Supplementary Financial Summary –

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Focus of H1 2023 results and FY 2023 forecast

H1 2023 results	 Homes performed well but operating income decreased year-on-year with demand slowdown and lower market prices in Material, and increased costs and impact of an acquisition in the Health Care business category Results exceeding August forecast in all segments, especially Material and Homes, with enhanced marketing activity and cost reduction efforts bearing fruit
FY 2023 forecast	 Operating income increase year-on-year in all segments; challenging operating environment forecasted in Material but improved performance through enhanced marketing centered on growth businesses, lower amortization of goodwill and other intangible assets due to Polypore impairment, and firm performance of Critical Care expected Ongoing efforts to enhance earnings structure by passing on increased feedstock costs, reducing manufacturing costs, and reducing inventories and SG&A. H2 SG&A to be suppressed through productivity enhancement project launched in July 2023 Accelerating studies on structural transformation of business portfolio and advancing investment in growth businesses with more exacting scrutiny on profitability while reaping the fruits of past investments
Shareholder	 Interim dividend of ¥18 per share, full-year dividend forecast of ¥36 per share (no change from
returns	the previous forecast) based on shareholder returns policy
Progress	 Decision to add coating lines for Hipore wet-process LIB separator in the U.S., Japan, and
of MTP	Korea



1. Consolidated results for H1 2023

Financial results for H1 2023 (consolidated)

Although sales in Homes and Health Care were firm, consolidated net sales were flat year-on-year as Material had slower demand in China and lower market prices than expected; results in line with August forecast

Operating income in Homes was firm, but decreased year-on-year with demand slowdown and lower market prices in Material and with increased costs and impact of an acquisition in the Health Care business category; results exceeded August forecast

Net income decreased year-on-year with lower operating income and deterioration in equity in earnings/losses of affiliates

		H1 2022	H1 2023	Increase (decrease)	% change	H1 2023 forecast in Aug.	Increase (decrease)	% change
Net sales	(¥ billion)	1,351.2	1,345.9	(5.3)	-0.4%	1,345.0	0.9	0.1%
Operating income	(¥ billion)	85.8	55.9	(29.9)	-34.9%	46.0	9.9	21.5%
Operating marg	in	6.4%	4.2%			3.4%		
Operating income before goodwill amortization	(¥ billion)	103.9	70.3	(33.6)	-32.3%			
EBITDA	(¥ billion)	170.7	144.7	(26.0)	-15.3%			
EBITDA marg	in	12.6%	10.7%					
Net income attributable to owners of the parent	(¥ billion)	51.7	30.8	(20.9)	-40.4%	22.0	8.8	40.2%
¥/US\$ exchange rate (market averag ¥/€ exchange rate (market average) Naphtha price (¥/kL, domestic) Dividends per share (¥)	e)	134 139 83,800 18	141 153 65,600 18			139 150 63,800 18		

Results by segment (year-on-year)

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Operating income (YoY) Sales (YoY) -¥5.3 billion (-0.4%) -¥29.9 billion (-34.9%) (¥ billion) 1,351.2 1,345.9 85.8 +21.0245.5 266.5 (+8.6%) **Health Care** 25.8 -6.0 55.9 (-23.2%) +42.2 420.4 (+10.0%)462.6 Homes 19.8 33.6 +1.7 (+5.2%) 35.4 -68.6 678.8 **Material** 610.2 (-10.1%)40.6 -22.9 (-56.3%) 17.7 (14.3)6.6 (17.0) 6.5 Others/ corporate expenses and eliminations H1 2022 H1 2023 H1 2022 H1 2023

Health Care

Sales increase, but operating income decrease

- Decreased income in the Health Care business category with higher SG&A due to greater activity, and negative impact of Bionova consolidation
- Increased income in Critical Care with improved reimbursement conditions for LifeVest, higher sales price of defibrillators, and increased shipments of AEDs due to improvement of difficulty in parts procurement

	Homes Sales and operating income increase	
•	Although income in order-built homes decreased with lower volume of work, income in the Homes business category was steady with favorable performance in real estate	
•	Increased income in Construction Materials with	

 Increased income in Construction Materials with progress in passing on increased costs

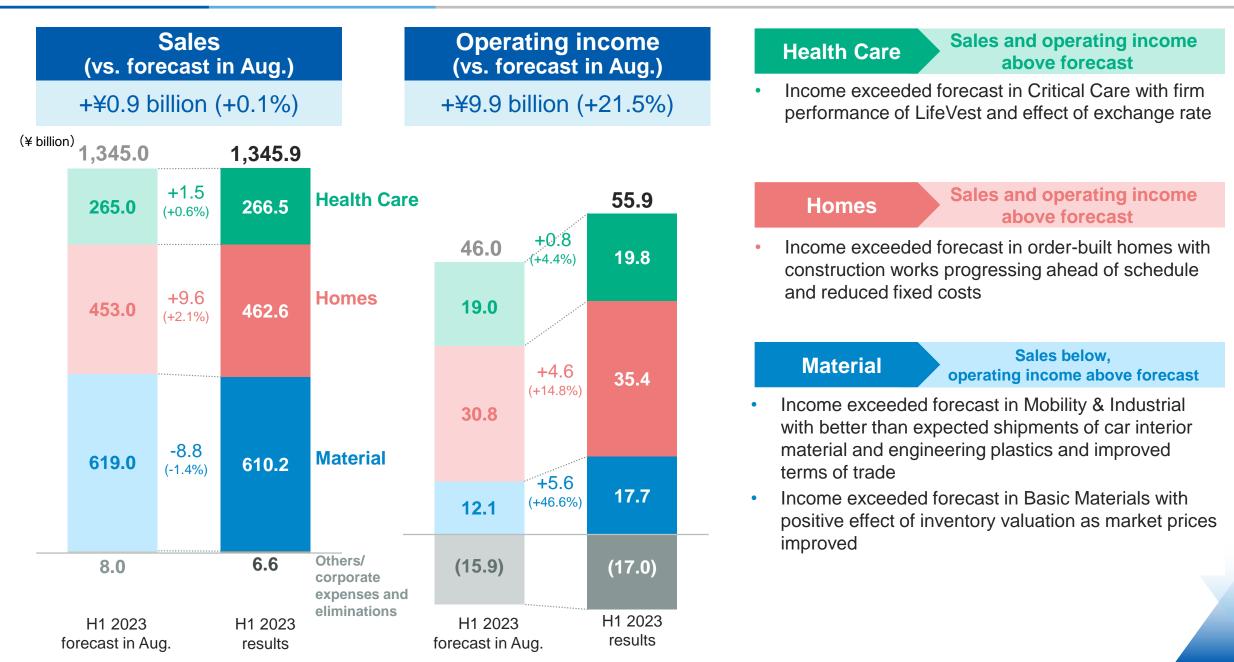
Material

Sales and operating income decrease

- Decreased income in Basic Materials with lower volumes due to demand slowdown, and impact of inventory valuation due to lower material prices
- Decreased income in Life Innovation with decreased sales volumes due to demand slowdown

Results by segment (vs. H1 2023 forecast in Aug.)

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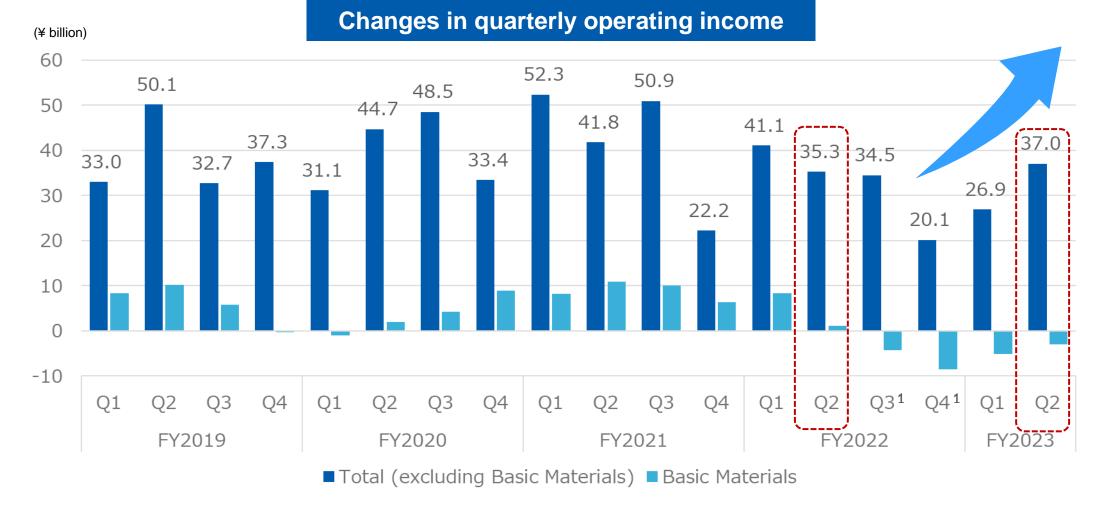


Results by segment (changes in quarterly operating income)

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Enhanced marketing activities and cost reductions bearing fruit, recovery of income since bottoming out in Q4 FY 2022

Excluding Basic Materials whose operating climate remains challenging, Q2 operating income increased year-on-year



¹ Figures for fiscal 2022 retroactively revised to reflect result of PPA (purchase price allocation) completed in Q1 2023 related to Focus Companies acquired on October 31, 2022

Statements of income

	SG&A	Increased value of overseas expenses due to weaker yen, impact of new consolidations, etc.
Year-on-year variations	Non-operating income/expense	Decreased equity in earnings of affiliates due to deteriorated earnings at PTT Asahi Chemical, etc.
variations	Extraordinary income/loss	Transition from loss to income with loss on fire recorded in previous year and transfer of pellicles business in current year
		(¥ billion)

H1 2022 H1 2023 Increase % change % of sales % of sales (decrease) Net sales 1,351.2 100.0% 1.345.9 100.0% (5.3)-0.4% Cost of sales 948.4 70.2% 956.7 71.1% 8.3 +0.9%389.2 Gross profit 402.8 29.8% 28.9% (13.6)-3.4% 317.0 333.3 16.3 +5.2% Selling, general and administrative expenses 23.5% 24.8% Operating income 85.8 6.4% 55.9 4.2% (29.9)-34.9% Net non-operating income (expenses) 0.6 (3.8)(4.4)2.3 (0.0)(2.3)of which, net equity in earnings (losses) of affiliates Ordinary income 86.4 6.4% 52.0 3.9% (34.3)-39.8% Net extraordinary income (loss) (5.7)1.9 7.6 54.0 4.0% (26.8)Income before income taxes 80.7 6.0% -33.1% Income taxes (28.3)(21.6)6.7 Net income attributable to non-controlling interests (0.7)(1.5)(0.8)Net income attributable to owners of the parent 51.7 3.8% 30.8 2.3% (20.9)-40.4% Transition from loss to income with loss on fire recorded in previous year and transfer of pellicles business in current year

Increase H1 2022 H1 2023 (decrease) Gain on sales of investment securities 2.2 3.9 1.7 (0.8)1.0 0.2 Gain on sales of noncurrent assets 0.2 1.8 2.0 Insurance income Gain on business transfer 3.0 3.0 9.0 Total extraordinary income 5.0 4.0 Loss on valuation of investment securities 0.5 (1.0)1.4 3.3 3.1 (0.2)Loss on disposal of noncurrent assets (0.0)Impairment loss 0.0 0.0 Loss on fire at plant facilities 4.1 (4.1)1.9 3.6 Business structure improvement expenses 1.7 10.7 7.1 (3.6)Total extraordinary loss Net extraordinary income (loss) (5.7)1.9 7.6

(¥ billion)

Balance sheets

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(¥ billion)

Total assets	Increased value of overseas assets due to weaker yen
Liabilities	Increased value of overseas liabilities due to weaker yen
Net assets	Increased accumulated other comprehensive income due to weaker yen

	At end of Mar. 2023	At end of Sep. 2023	Increase (decrease)		At end of Mar. 2023	At end of Sep. 2023	Increase (decrease)
Current assets	1,488.2	1,539.3	(decrease) 51.1	Liabilities	1,758.5	1,770.8	12.3
Cash and deposits	251.2	279.3	28.1	Current liabilities	912.2	895.8	(16.3
Notes, accounts receivable– trade, and contract assets	442.7	476.8	34.1	Notes and accounts payable-trade	180.6	197.7	17.
Inventories	642.6	664.3	21.7	Other current liabilities	731.6	698.1	(33.
Other current assets	151.8	119.1	(32.7)	Noncurrent liabilities	846.4	875.0	28.0
Noncurrent assets	1,965.7	2,079.1	113.4	Net assets	1,695.4	1,847.6	152.2
Property, plant and equipment	871.7	917.4	45.7	Shareholders' equity	1,317.5	1,323.9	6.4
Intangible assets ¹	736.2	780.9	44.7	Capital stock	103.4	103.4	-
Investments and other assets	357.8	380.8	23.0	Capital surplus	79.8	80.3	0.4
				Retained earnings ¹	1,141.7	1,147.5	5.9
				Treasury stock	(7.4)	(7.3)	0.1
				Accumulated other comprehensive income	342.8	487.1	144.:
				Non-controlling interests	35.1	36.6	1.
Total assets	3,453.9	3,618.4	164.5	Total liabilities and net assets	3,453.9	3,618.4	164.
Goodwill ¹	348.6	374.7	26.2				
Interest-bearing debt ²	939.5	932.3	(7.2)				
D/E ratio	0.57	0.51	(0.05)				

¹ Figures at the end of March 2023 retroactively revised to reflect result of PPA (purchase price allocation) completed in Q1 2023 related to Focus Companies acquired on October 31, 2022 ² Excluding lease obligations

Cash flows

Operating	Flow turned positive with reduced demand for working capital due to efforts to curtail inventories, etc. and decreased income tax payment, although income before income taxes decreased
Investing	Less cash used compared to previous year with impact of Bionova acquisition
Financing	Flow turned negative with repayment of interest-bearing debt

			(¥ billion)
	H1 2022	H1 2023	Increase (decrease)
a. Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	(3.7)	133.9	137.6
b. Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	(131.2)	(87.6)	43.7
Outlays for capital expenditure	(86.1)	(93.5)	(7.3)
Outlays for M&A	(42.4)	-	42.4
Others	(2.8)	5.9	8.7
c. Free cash flows [a+b]	(134.9)	46.4	181.3
d. Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	106.3	(43.1)	(149.4)
e. Effect of exchange rate change on cash and cash equivalents	26.8	24.4	(2.4)
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents [c+d+e]	(1.8)	27.7	29.5



2. Forecast for FY 2023

FY 2023 operating performance forecast (consolidated)

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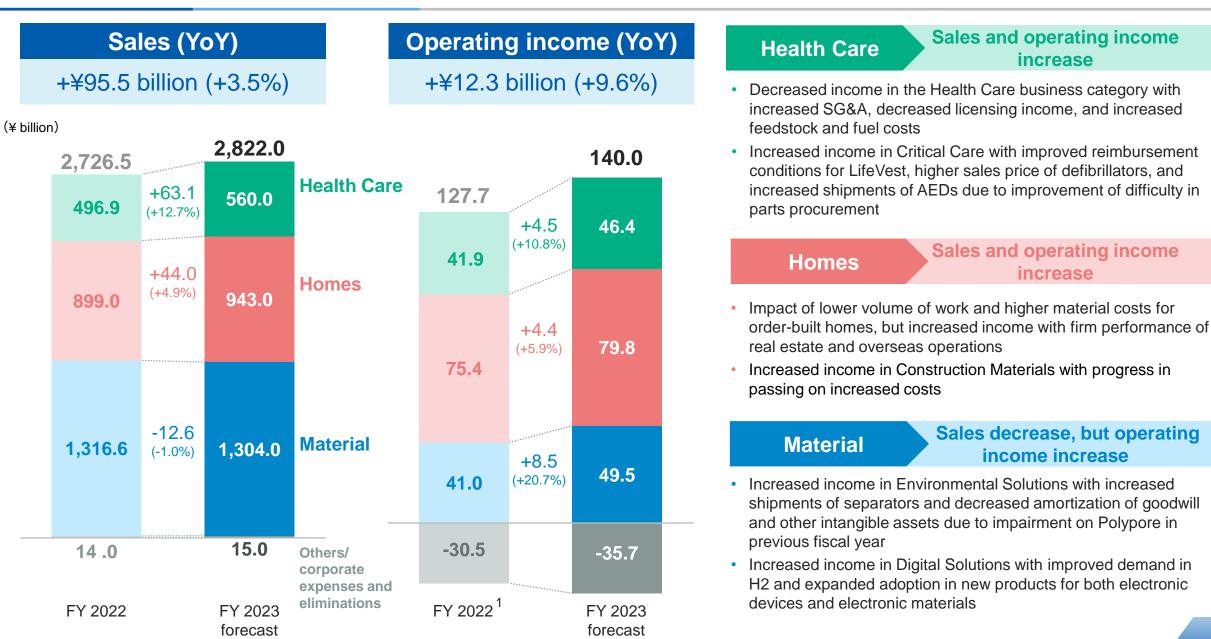
Operating income increase year-on-year in all segments; challenging operating environment forecasted in Material but improved performance through enhanced marketing centered on growth businesses, lower amortization of goodwill and other intangible assets due to Polypore impairment, and firm performance of Critical Care expected

Net income significantly recovering from net loss due to impairment on Polypore in the previous fiscal year

		H1	H2 ¹	FY 2022 ¹	H1	H2 forecast	FY 2023 forecast	Increase (decrease)	% change	FY 2023 forecast in May
Net sales	(¥ billion)	1,351.2	1,375.3	2,726.5	1,345.9	1,476.1	2,822.0	95.5	+3.5%	2,865.0
Operating income	(¥ billion)	85.8	41.9	127.7	55.9	84.1	140.0	12.3	+9.6%	160.0
Operating margir	ו	6.4%	3.0%	4.7%	4.2%	5.7%	5.0%			5.6%
Operating income before goodwill amortization	(¥ billion)	103.9	61.5	165.4	70.3	98.7	169.0	3.6	+2.2%	188.0
EBITDA	(¥ billion)	170.7	134.3	305.0	144.7	176.3	321.0	16.0	+5.2%	337.0
EBITDA margir	١	12.6%	9.8%	11.2%	10.7%	11.9%	11.4%			11.8%
Net income attributable to owners of the parent	(¥ billion)	51.7	(143.7)	(91.9)	30.8	54.2	85.0	176.9		100.0
EPS	(¥)	37.28	(103.58)	(66.30)	22.25	39.07	61.32	127.62		72.15
EPS before goodwill amortization	(¥)	50.33	(89.44)	(39.12)	32.68	49.57	82.24	121.36		92.35
¥/US\$ exchange rate (market ave	erage)	134	137	135	141	145	143			130
¥/€ exchange rate (market avera	ge)	139	143	141	153	155	154			135
Naphtha price (¥/kL, domestic)		83,800	69,500	76,700	65,600	74,000	69,800			68,000
Dividends per share (¥)		18	18	36	18	18 (forecast)	36 (forecast)			36 (forecast)

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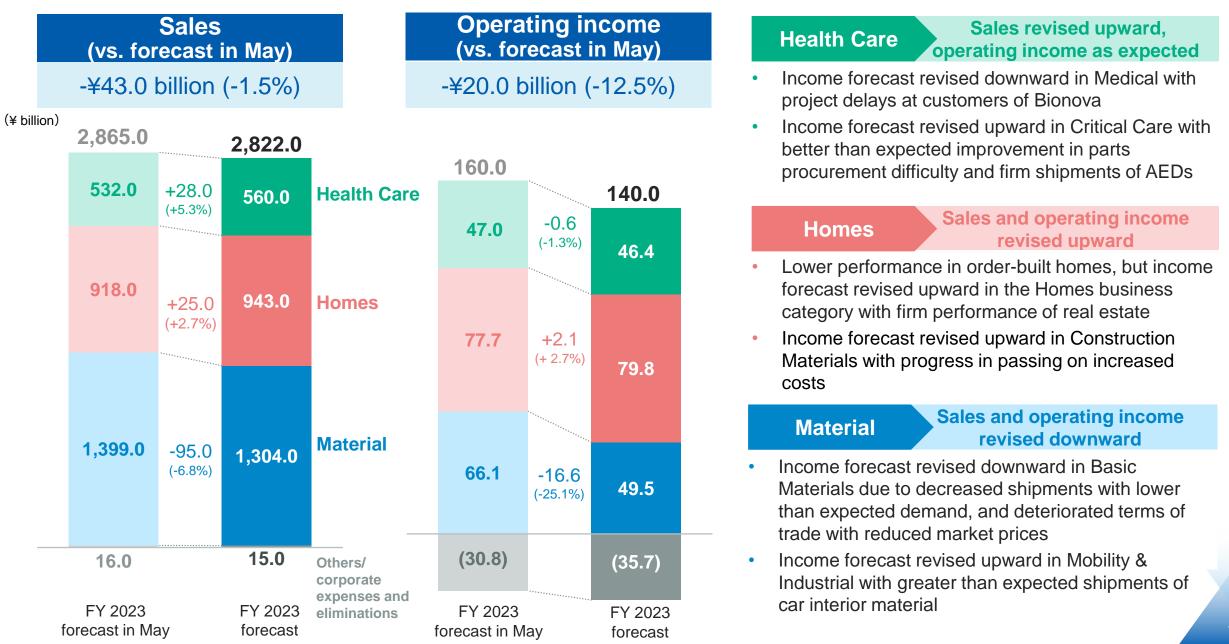
FY 2023 operating performance forecast by segment (year-on-year) AsahiKASEI



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FY 2023 operating performance forecast by segment (vs. forecast in May)

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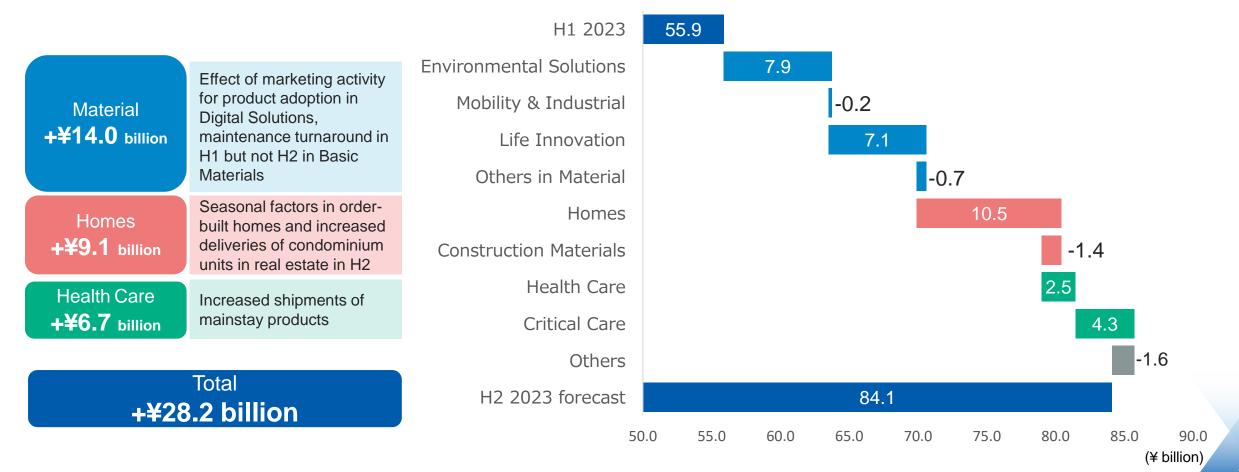


Operating performance forecast (Changes from H1 to H2 2023)

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Earnings improvement foreseen with enhanced marketing activities centered on growth businesses (see 3. Results by segment)

Changes in operating income from H1 to H2



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Shareholder returns

Share repurchase Dividends ----Net income (loss)

Interim dividend of ¥18 per share, full-year dividend forecast of ¥36 per share (no change from the previous forecast) based on shareholder returns policy



Shareholder returns policy



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Determining level of shareholder returns based on medium-term FCF outlook

Shareholder returns basically by dividends, aiming to maintain or increase dividends per share

With payout ratio of around 30–40% (3-year total), aiming to steadily increase level of shareholder returns

Share repurchases as appropriate based on comprehensive consideration of optimal debt/equity level, investment items, and share price

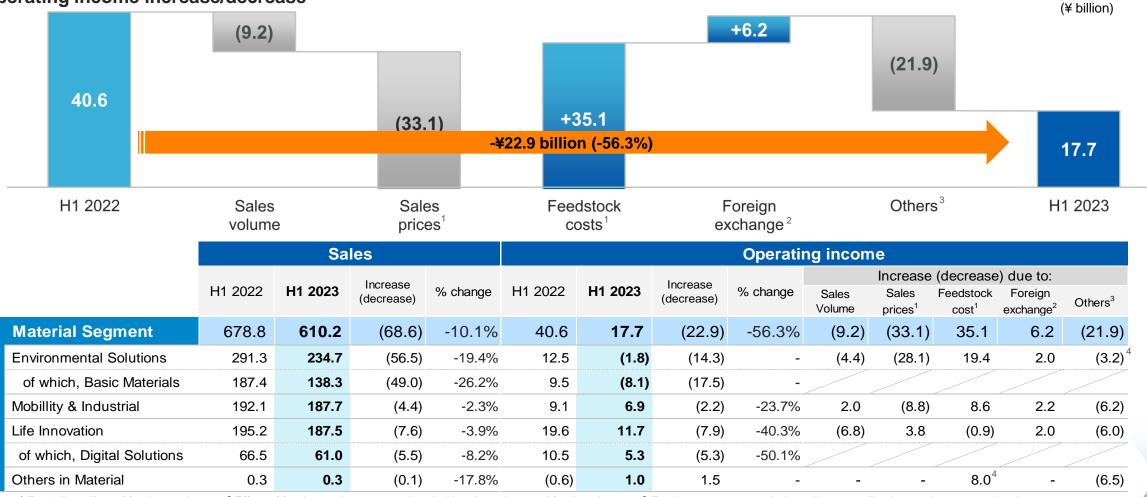


3. Results by segment

Material Sales and operating income increase/decrease

Terms of trade improved as negative impact of sales prices was offset by reduced feedstock costs and positive impact of foreign exchange, but operating income decreased with lower sales volume due to demand slowdown and negative impact of others (inventory valuation, operating rates, etc.)

Operating income increase/decrease



¹ Excluding effect of foreign exchange. ² Effect of foreign exchange associated with sales prices and feedstock costs. ³ Foreign currency translation adjustment, fixed costs, inventory valuation, etc. ⁴ "Others" in operating income of Environmental Solutions includes increase/decrease related to internal sales price which correlates with "Feedstock cost" for the segment; to compensate, corresponding positive and negative figures are shown as "Feedstock cost" and "Others" of Others in Material.

Material Overview by business

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Operating income Environmental Solutions					bility & Industr	ial					
(¥ billion)	12.5	ooraale			9.1	6.9	6.7	19.6		18.8	
Of which,	9.5			6.0					11.7		
Basic Materials		(1.8) which, Basic (8.1)		2.0				Of which, Digital Solutions	5.3	11.8	
	H1 2022	H1 202	23	H2 2023 forecast	H1 2022	H1 2023	H2 2023 forecas		H1 2023	H2 2023 forecast	
Main b	ousinesses	s		H1 202	23 vs H1 2022 (YoY)	H2 2023 forecast vs H1 2023				
Environmental Solutions	Separator	rs	0	increase with increase applications and d	operating rates, but op eased shipments for au lecreased amortization ssets due to impairmen ar	itomotive of goodwill and	•	Increased shipments in autom new vehicle models, but unch with inventory valuation and pr	anged operating inc	come forecasted	
Colutions	Basic Mat	terials	0	Operating income	decrease with reduced impact of inventory val			Operating income increase for and measures to improve marg turnaround in H1 but not H2		-	
Mobility &	Car interio material	or		recovery from imp effect of increased	increase with greater s act of reduced vehicle capacity, and improve	production and ed terms of trade	0	Operating income decrease fo firm and with impacts of low-de workers' union strikes in North	emand period in H2		
Industrial	Engineerii plastics &	0	0	applications, but o	ady with firm shipments operating income decre n and lower operating r nents.	ase with impact of		Operating income increase for in automotive and solar power	applications		
Life Innovation	Digital Sol	lutions	\bigcirc		ing income with fewer selectronics and semicon			Operating income increase for due to higher demand in electr and adoption in new products			

Material Performance trend

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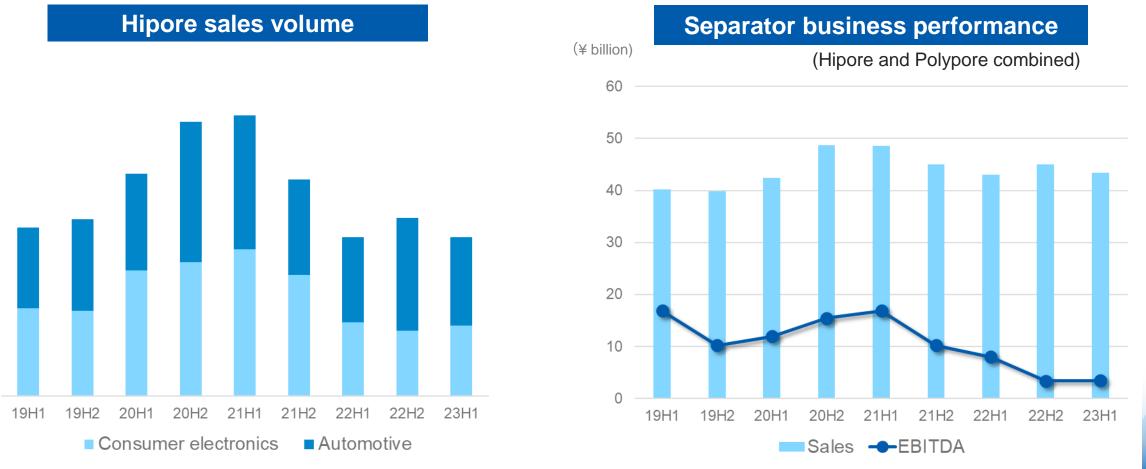
									H2 2023	(¥ billion) FY 2023
Sales	H1	H2	FY 2022	H1	H2 forecast	FY 2023 forecast	Increase (decrease)	% change	forecast vs H1 2023	forecast in May
Material Segment	678.8	637.8	1,316.6	610.2	693.8	1,304.0	(12.6)	-1.0%	83.6	1,399.0
Environmental Solutions	291.3	268.6	559.8	234.7	287.3	522.0	(37.8)	-6.8%	52.6	613.0
of which, Basic Materials	187.4	174.5	361.9	138.3	175.7	314.0	(47.9)	-13.2%	37.3	398.0
Mobility & Industrial	192.1	186.3	378.4	187.7	197.3	385.0	6.6	+1.7%	9.5	379.0
Life Innovation	195.2	182.6	377.7	187.5	208.5	396.0	18.3	+4.8%	21.0	407.0
of which, Digital Solutions	66.5	56.0	122.5	61.0	75.0	136.0	13.5	+11.1%	13.9	139.0
Others in Material	0.3	0.4	0.7	0.3	0.7	1.0	0.3	+50.0%	0.5	-

						FY 2023	Increase		H2 2023	FY 2023
Operating Income	H1	H2	FY 2022	H1	H2 forecast	forecast	(decrease)	% change	forecast vs H1 2023	forecast in May
Material Segment	40.6	0.4	41.0	17.7	31.8	49.5	8.5	+20.7%	14.0	66.1
Environmental Solutions	12.5	(14.8)	(2.3)	(1.8)	6.0	4.2	6.5	-	7.9	16.4
of which, Basic Materials	9.5	(12.7)	(3.2)	(8.1)	2.0	(6.1)	(2.9)	-	10.0	3.1
Mobility & Industrial	9.1	1.7	10.8	6.9	6.7	13.6	2.8	+25.8%	(0.2)	12.3
Life Innovation	19.6	8.2	27.8	11.7	18.8	30.5	2.7	+9.6%	7.1	30.5
of which, Digital Solutions	10.5	3.7	14.2	5.3	11.8	17.1	2.9	+20.2%	6.6	19.8
Others in Material	(0.6)	5.2	4.6	1.0	0.2	1.2	(3.4)	-74.1%	(0.7)	6.9

Material Trends in separator business

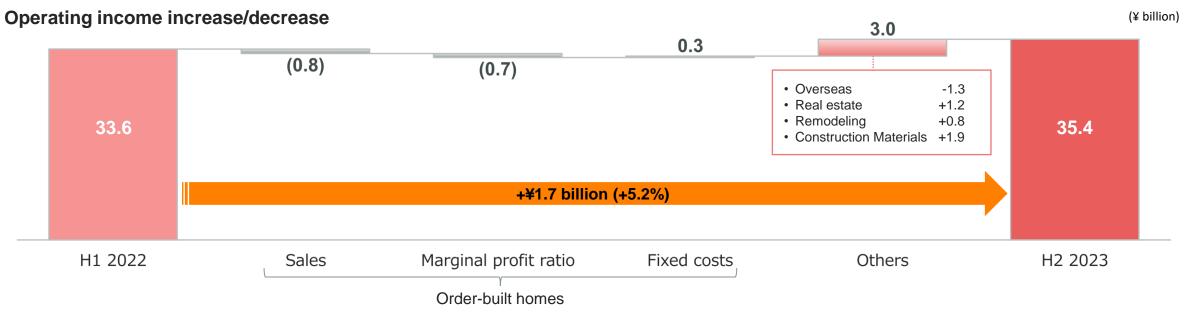
Hipore wet-process LIB separator expanded along with market growth, but volume decreased in H2 FY 2021 with automotive applications impacted by reduced vehicle production and consumer electronics applications impacted by economic slowdown in China; demand recovery forecasted in FY 2023

EBITDA declined with lower volumes and decreased operating rates; improvement expected from FY 2023 with higher volumes and increased operating rates



Homes Sales and operating income increase/decrease

Negative impacts in sales factor due to reduced volume of work and in marginal profit ratio factor due to increased material costs in order-built homes, but increased operating income with firm performance in real estate and remodeling

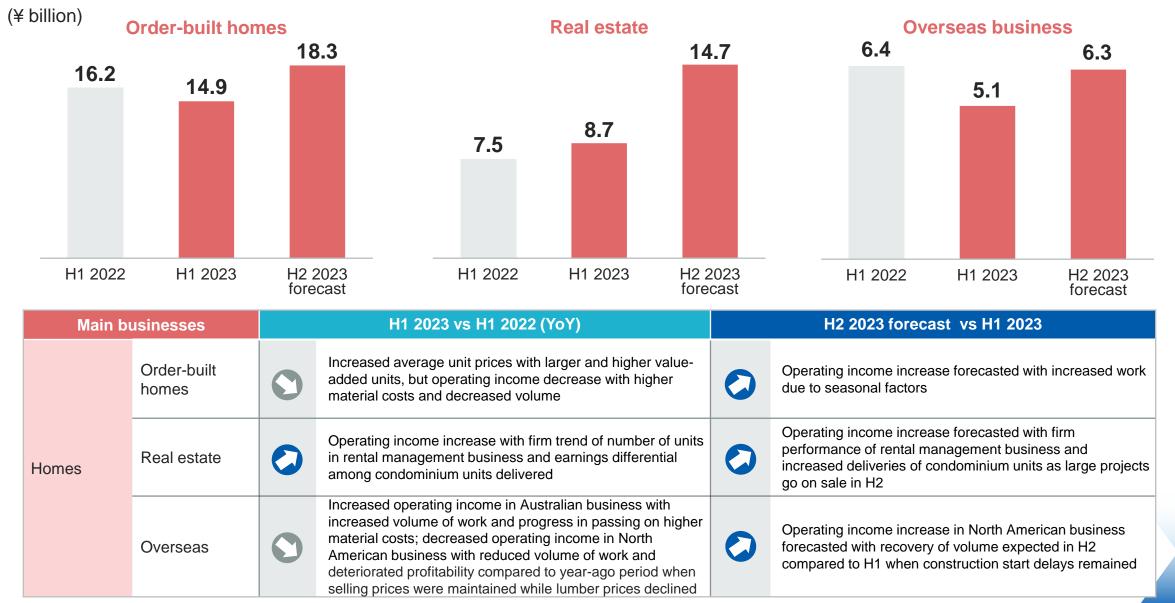


	Sales							Operating i	ncome			Others 0.3 3.0 0.3 1.1 ¹			
									Ir	ncrease (dec	rease) due to	:			
	H1 2022	H1 2023	Increase (decrease)	% change	H1 2022 H1 2023	Increase (decrease)	% change	Order-built homes		ies					
	(((decrease)							Marginal profit ratio	Fixed costs					
Homes segment	420.4	462.6	42.2	+10.0%	33.6	35.4	1.7	+5.2%	(0.8)	(0.7)	0.3	3.0			
Homes	401.0	440.6	39.6	+9.9%	32.9	32.7	(0.2)	-0.5%	(0.8)	(0.7)	0.3	1.1 ¹			
Construction Materials	19.4	22.0	2.6	+13.2%	0.7	2.6	1.9	+262.1%	-	-	-	1.9			

¹ Real estate, Remodeling, Overseas, etc.

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Operating income



Homes Performance trend

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										(¥ billion) H1 2023
Sales	H1	H2	FY 2022	H1	H2 forecast	FY 2023 forecast	Increase (decrease)	% change	forecast vs H1 2023	forecast in May
lomes Segment	420.4	478.5	899.0	462.6	480.4	943.0	44.0	+4.9%	17.7	918.0
Homes	401.0	458.2	859.2	440.6	459.4	900.0	40.8	+4.7%	18.7	875.0
Order-built homes	196.6	214.1	410.7	195.6	204.4	400.0	(10.7)	-2.6%	8.8	404.0
Real estate	81.1	108.4	189.5	87.1	112.9	200.0	10.5	+5.5%	25.9	200.0
Remodeling	26.1	28.3	54.4	27.9	29.1	57.0	2.6	+4.8%	1.1	59.0
Overseas business	96.8	106.6	203.4	129.4	110.6	240.0	36.6	+18.0%	(18.9)	210.0
Others	0.4	0.8	1.2	0.6	2.4	3.0	1.8	+155.6%	1.8	2.0
Construction Materials	19.4	20.3	39.7	22.0	21.0	43.0	3.3	+8.2%	(1.0)	43.0

Operating income	H1	H2 ¹	FY 2022 ¹	H1	H2 forecast	FY 2023 forecast	Increase (decrease)	% change	H2 2023 forecast vs H1 2023	H1 2023 forecast in May
Homes Segment	33.6	41.8	75.4	35.4	44.4	79.8	4.4	+5.9%	9.1	77.7
Homes	32.9	41.0	73.9	32.7	43.3	76.0	2.1	+2.8%	10.5	75.5
Order-built homes	16.2	20.8	37.0	14.9	18.3	33.2	(3.8)	-10.2%	3.4	34.1
Real estate	7.5	14.2	21.7	8.7	14.7	23.4	1.7	+8.0%	5.9	22.8
Remodeling	2.5	3.3	5.8	3.2	3.4	6.6	0.8	+14.4%	0.1	6.6
Overseas business	6.4	2.1	8.6	5.1	6.3	11.4	2.8	+33.1%	1.2	11.4
Others	0.3	0.6	0.9	0.8	0.6	1.4	0.5	+51.6%	(0.1)	0.6
Construction Materials	0.7	0.7	1.5	2.6	1.2	3.8	2.3	+158.8%	(1.4)	2.2

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Homes Breakdown of order-built homes and real estate

Orders for order-built homes decreased year-on-year in Q1 but improved in Q2 with a new marketing initiatives; progress to larger and higher added-value units continuing in H2, annual order increase of 5% targeted

					Order-buil	t homes				Real estate	
			Orders			Sal	es			Sales ¹	
			new orders the term	Order backlog	Unit homes	Multi-dwelling homes	Other	Total	Development	Rental/ brokerage	Total
FY 2021	I H1	206.3	(+42.0%)	563.5	127.4	51.0	10.6	189.0	21.8	64.2	86.0
	H2	178.0	(-1.8%)	533.3	142.3	60.6	11.6	214.5	29.5	67.0	96.5
	annual	384.3	(+17.7%)		269.7	111.6	22.2	403.5	51.3	131.2	182.5
FY 2022	2 Q1	92.4	(+1.3%)	546.8	63.0	27.1	4.9	95.1	7.8	34.0	41.7
	Q2	98.8	(-14.2%)	548.1	67.9	28.4	5.2	101.5	3.9	35.5	39.4
	H1	191.2	(-7.3%)		130.9	55.5	10.2	196.6	11.7	69.4	81.1
	H2	164.4	(-7.6%)	503.0	134.9	65.5	13.7	214.1	35.2	73.2	108.4
	annual	355.6	(-7.5%)		265.8	121.0	23.9	410.7	46.9	142.6	189.5
FY 2023	3 Q1	77.2	(-16.4%)	509.0	55.1	32.4	6.6	94.2	3.6	36.7	40.3
	Q2	109.3	(+10.7%)	525.0	58.6	36.9	5.9	101.4	9.1	37.7	46.8
	H1	186.5	(-2.4%)		113.7	69.3	12.5	195.6	12.7	74.4	87.1
	H2 forecast	186.8	(+13.6%)	499.8				204.4	32.3	80.6	112.9
	annual forecast	373.3	(5.0%)					400.0	45.0	155.0	200.0

(¥ billion, % indicates year-on-year comparison)

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¹ Within real estate business, condominiums business is shown as "Development" while brokerage business and rental management are shown together as "Rental/brokerage" (FY 2021-2022 revised accordingly)

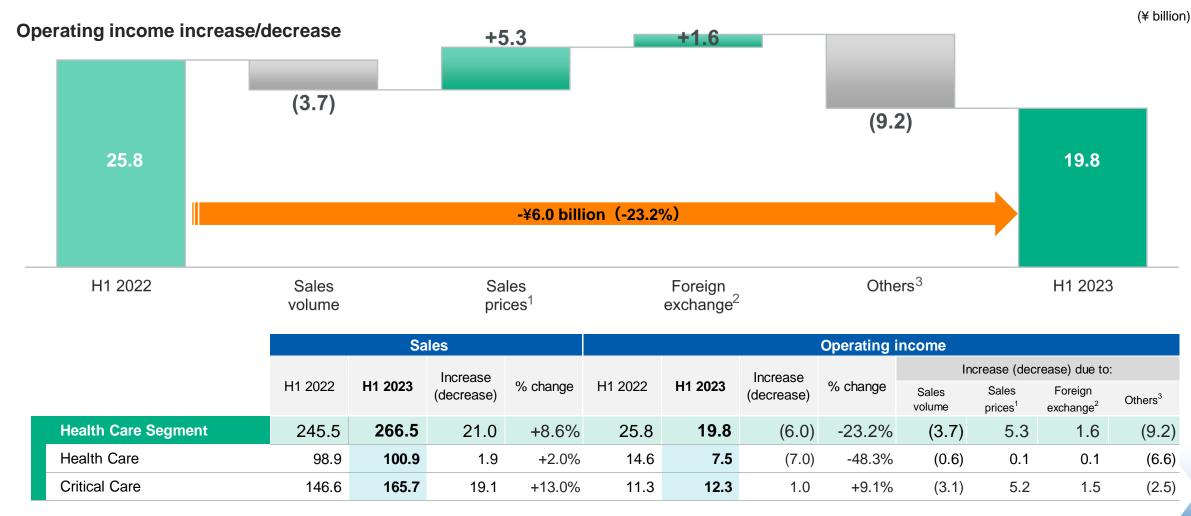
Homes Orders and deliveries of order-built homes

				(% change fr	om previous year)
	Orders rec	eived		Number of un	its delivered
(¥ billion)	(% change)	(units)	(% change)	(units)	(% change)
115.7	-5.0%	2,523	-11.1%	2,777	-17.8%
70.8	+2.2%	2,728	-8.4%	2,880	-4.3%
_	_	_	_	16	+33.3%
186.5	-2.4%	5,251	-9.7%	5,673	-11.3%
				(% change fr	om previous year)
	Orders rec	eived		Number of un	its delivered
(¥ billion)	(% change)	(units)	(% change)	(units)	(% change)
223.3	-0.6%	4,820	-7.4%	5,990	-18.3%
150.0	+14.6%	5,730	+6.6%	6,840	+2.9%
_	_	_	_	40	+21.2%
373.3	+5.0%	10,550	-0.3%	12,870	-8.2%
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Note: Data for domestic Japanese business shown. As the Accounting Standard for Revenue Recognition is applied beginning with FY 2021, sales do not correspond with deliveries.

Health Care Sales and operating income increase/decrease

In Critical Care, positive sales prices factor with progress in passing on higher costs to defibrillator prices, but negative sales volume factor due to defibrillator product mix; in the Health Care business category, negative others factor due to consolidation of Bionova and increased SG&A



¹ Excluding effect of foreign exchange. ² Effect of foreign exchange associated with sales prices.

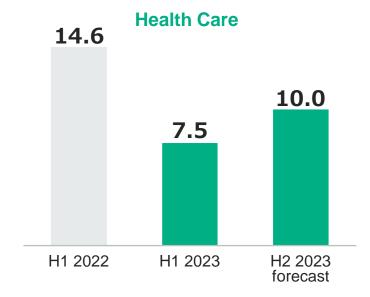
³ Including foreign currency translation adjustment, fixed cost variance, and nonrecurring income/expense related to licensing, new consolidations, etc.

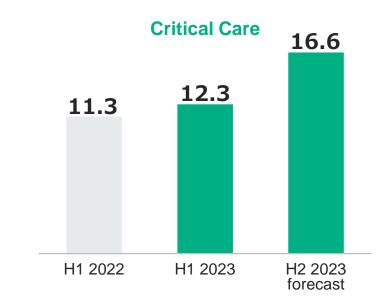
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Health Care Overview by business

Operating income

(¥ billion)





Main	businesses		H1 2023 vs H1 2022 (YoY)		H2 2023 forecast vs H1 2023
Health			Favorable sales trend for Envarsus XR, but operating income decrease with increased costs associated with new product launch and increased R&D expenses		Operating income increase forecasted with steady expansion of Envarsus XR and other mainstay products
Care		0	Operating income decrease with consolidation of Bionova and decreased shipments of Planova due to inventory adjustments by customers.		Operating income increase forecasted with recovery of shipments of Planova, etc.
Critical	LifeVest	0	Operating income increase with improved reimbursement status, etc.	0	Increased revenue forecasted toward H2 with increased salesforce, but slight operating income decrease forecasted due to increased SG&A
Care	Defibrillators		Operating income increase with progress in passing on increased costs and increased shipments of AEDs along with recovery from difficulty in parts procurement		Increased operating income forecasted with increased shipments on AEDs

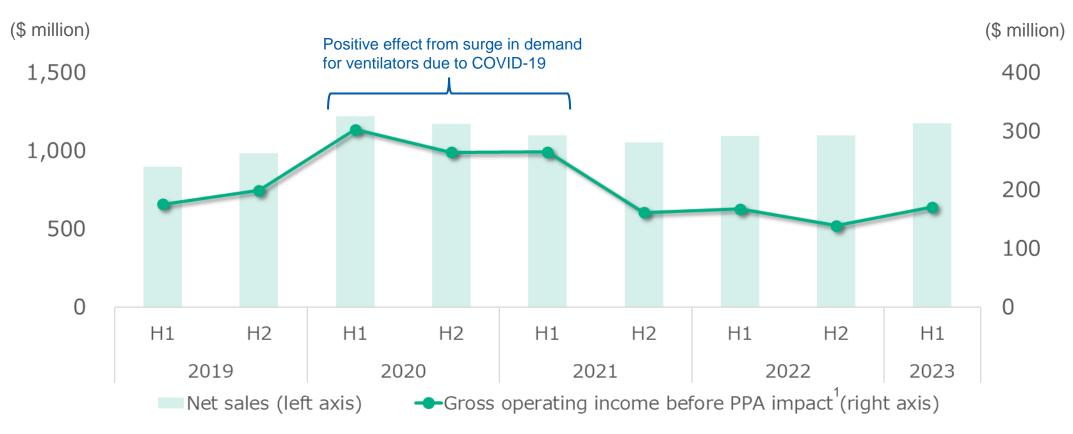
										(¥ billion)
Sales	H1	H2	FY 2022	H1	H2 forecast	FY 2023 forecast	Increase (decrease)	% change	H2 2023 forecast vs H1 2023	FY 2023 forecast in May
Health Care Segment	245.5	251.4	496.9	266.5	293.5	560.0	63.1	+12.7%	27.0	532.0
Health Care	98.9	101.3	200.2	100.9	112.1	213.0	12.8	+6.4%	11.3	218.0
Pharmaceuticals	53.6	56.4	110.0	56.3	61.7	118.0	8.0	+7.3%	5.4	117.5
Medical	45.3	44.9	90.2	44.5	50.5	95.0	4.8	+5.3%	5.9	100.5
Critical Care	146.6	150.1	296.7	165.7	181.3	347.0	50.3	+17.0%	15.7	314.0

Operating income	H1	H2	FY 2022	H1	H2 forecast	FY 2023 forecast	Increase (decrease)	% change	H2 2023 forecast vs H1 2023	FY 2023 forecast in May
Health Care Segment	25.8	16.0	41.9	19.8	26.6	46.4	4.5	+10.8%	6.7	47.0
Health Care	14.6	8.4	22.9	7.5	10.0	17.5	(5.4)	-23.6%	2.5	21.1
Critical Care	11.3	7.7	18.9	12.3	16.6	28.9	10.0	+52.6%	4.3	25.9

EBITDA	H1	H2	FY 2022	H1	H2 forecast	FY 2023 forecast	Increase (decrease)	% change	H2 2023 forecast vs H1 2023	FY 2023 forecast in May
Health Care Segment	57.2	49.2	106.4	54.0	60.3	114.3	7.9	+7.4%	6.3	111.5
Health Care	27.2	22.2	49.4	21.7	24.4	46.1	(3.3)	-6.6%	2.7	48.9
Critical Care	30.0	27.0	57.0	32.3	35.8	68.1	11.2	+19.6%	3.6	62.6

Health Care Performance trend in Critical Care (dollar-based)

Operating income declined with decreased shipments of defibrillators due to difficulty in parts procurement, increased procurement costs, etc., since H2 FY 2021, and decreased orders for defibrillators for professional use mainly in North America due to economic slowdown in Q3 FY 2022; improvement from Q4 FY 2022 onward and firm performance in H1 FY 2023



¹ Gross operating income before PPA (purchase price allocation) impact is operating income excluding the following amortization expense of goodwill and other intangible assets, etc.
 •Amortization of goodwill and other intangible assets, etc. based on Japan GAAP and US GAAP in relation to acquisition of ZOLL by Asahi Kasei in April 2012
 •Amortization of goodwill and other intangible assets, etc. based on Japan GAAP in relation to acquisitions by ZOLL after April 2012

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Health Care Main pharmaceuticals

		FY 2	FY 2022		H1 2023 vs	H1 2022
	(Sales region, monetary unit)	H1		H1	Increase (decrease)	% change
Asahi Kasei Pharma						
Teribone	(Japan, ¥ billion)	20.7	39.9	19.4	(1.3)	-6.4%
Recomodulin	(Japan, ¥ billion)	4.2	8.4	4.1	(0.1)	-1.8%
Kevzara	(Japan, ¥ billion)	4.5	9.3	5.4	0.9	+19.8%
Reclast	(Japan, ¥ billion)	0.7	1.4	0.6	(0.0)	-2.7%
Plaquenil	(Japan, ¥ billion)	2.7	5.4	2.9	0.2	+7.9%
Veloxis Pharmaceutical	S					
Envarsus XR	(US, \$ million)	88	186	107	19	+21.1%

	Generic name	Classification	Indication	Formulation
Teribone	Teriparatide acetate	Synthetic human parathyroid hormone (PTH)	Osteoporosis with high risk of fracture	Injection
Reclast	Zoledronic acid	Osteoporosis drug	Osteoporosis	Injection
Recomodulin	Recombinant thrombomodulin alfa	Anticoagulant	Disseminated intravascular coagulation	Injection
Kevzara	Sarilumab (rDNA origin)	Interleukin-6 inhibitor	Rheumatoid arthritis not responding well to conventional treatments	Injection
Plaquenil	Hydroxychloroquine sulfate	Immunomodulator	Cutaneous lupus erythematosus, systemic lupus erythematosus	Tablet
Envarsus XR	Tacrolimus extended-release tablets	Immunosuppressant drug	Kidney transplantation	Tablet

Health Care Pharmaceuticals pipeline

Development stage	Code name, generic name	Indication	Origin	Development	Region/remarks
Market launch (Q1 FY 2023)	AK1820, isavuconazonium	Aspergillosis, mucormycosis and	Licenced	In-house	Brand name: Cresemba
Filed	sulfate	cryptococcosis	LICENCEU	III-II003e	Additional formulation
Phase III	TA799, apraglutide	Short bowel syndrome	Licensed	Licensor	Phase I in Japan was conducted by Asahi Kasei Pharma
Phase II	ART-123, recombinant thrombomodulin alfa	Chemotherapy-induced peripheral neuropathy (CIPN)	In-house	In-house	Additional indication Joint U.SJapan Phase I study in progress
Phase II		Pain associated with osteoarthritis	Licensed		
Phase II	AK1830	Chronic low back pain	Licensed	In-house	
Phase III (overseas)	ART-123, recombinant thrombomodulin alfa	Severe sepsis with coagulopathy	In-house	In-house	United States, Europe, etc.
Phase I (overseas)	ART-123, recombinant thrombomodulin alfa	Chemotherapy-induced peripheral neuropathy (CIPN)	In-house	In-house	United States
Phase I (overseas)	AK1320	Spinal fusion surgery	In-house	In-house	North America
Phase I (overseas)	VEL-101	SOT (solid organ transplant)	Licensed	In-house	United States,etc.
Phase II (licensed out)	LY3857210	Chronic pain	Co-development	Licensee	Global (Asahi Kasei Pharma has promotion rights in Japan and China)



4. Appendix

	H1 2	022	H1 2	023	Increase	% change
	Overseas sales	% of total	Overseas sales	% of total	(decrease)	% change
Material Segment	402.1	59.2%	372.7	61.1%	(29.5)	-7.3%
Environmental Solutions	158.6	54.5%	137.6	58.6%	(21.1)	-13.3%
Mobility & Industrial	156.2	81.3%	150.9	80.4%	(5.3)	-3.4%
Life Innovation	86.9	44.5%	83.9	44.7%	(3.0)	-3.5%
Others in Material	0.3	100.0%	0.3	98.4%	(0.1)	-19.1%
Homes Segment	96.8	23.0%	129.4	28.0%	32.6	+33.7%
Homes	96.8	24.1%	129.4	29.4%	32.6	+33.7%
Construction Materials	-	-	-	-	-	-
Health Care Segment	191.0	77.8%	212.7	79.8%	21.7	+11.4%
Health Care	46.5	47.0%	49.4	49.0%	3.0	+6.4%
Critical Care	144.5	98.6%	163.3	98.5%	18.7	+13.0%
Others	0.5	8.1%	0.6	9.7%	0.1	+21.4%
Consolidated	690.4	51.1%	715.4	53.2%	25.0	+3.6%
Overseas sales by region						
Asia	276.9	20.5%	247.1	18.4%	(29.7)	-10.7%
of which, sales to China	128.1	9.5%	121.6	9.0%	(6.5)	-5.1%
The Americas	254.6	18.8%	280.8	20.9%	26.1	+10.3%
Europe	84.8	6.3%	92.5	6.9%	7.6	+9.0%
Other countries	74.1	5.5%	95.0	7.1%	20.9	+28.3%

(¥ billion)

Capex, depreciation/amortization, R&D

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	Сар	ital expendit	ures	Depreciat	tion and amo	ortization ¹	R&D expenditures			
	FY 2022	H1 2023	FY 2023 forecast	FY 2022 ²	H1 2023	FY 2023 forecast	FY 2022	H1 2023	FY 2023 forecast	
laterial segment	106.5	55.0	130.0	72.1	35.1		41.8	21.3		
Environmental Solutions	50.5	27.5		34.5	15.4		10.5	6.1	•	
Mobility & Industrial	18.4	13.2		16.6	9.1		11.2	5.7		
Life Innovation	37.4	14.3		20.8	10.6		19.1	9.2		
Others in Material	0.2	0.0		0.1	0.0		1.0	0.3		
lomes segment	25.7	13.4	22.0	17.2	9.7		3.9	1.7		
Homes	23.2	12.0		14.8	8.5		3.3	1.4		
Construction Materials	2.5	1.3		2.4	1.1		0.6	0.2		
lealth Care segment	25.1	12.4	45.0	43.4	23.0		46.6	23.8		
Health Care	13.0	5.5		22.2	11.7		20.1	10.3		
Critical Care	12.1	6.8		21.2	11.2		26.5	13.5		
Others	0.6	0.6	1.0	0.8	0.5		0.1	0.1		
Corporate expenses and eliminations	16.9	4.9	19.0	6.5	6.2		12.6	5.4		
Total	174.9	86.3	217.0	140.0	74.3	152.0	105.0	52.2	113.0	
				Amortizatio	n of goodwill					
				37.3	14.5					

¹ Amortization of goodwill is excluded and shown separately below the table.

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Segment	Business category	Project	Completion of construction/ Start-up	Capacity	Location	
		Renovation of hydroelectric power plants (Suigasaki power plant)	H1 2025	_	Nishiusuki-gun, Miyazaki, Japan	
Material	aterial Environmental Solutions	Capacity increase for Hipore LIB separator	H1 2024	350 million m /y	Hyuga-shi, Miyazaki, Japan	
		Capacity increase for Celgard LIB separator	FY 2024 or later	150 million m /y	North Carolina, the U.S.	
Health	Uselth Care	Construction of new assembly plant for Planova virus removal filters	FY 2023	_	Nobeoka-shi, Miyazaki, Japan	
Care	Health Care	Capacity increase at biologics CDMO Bionova	FY 2025	_	California, the U.S.	

Segment	Business category	Company	Operations	Consolidation on statements of income	Cost	Goodwill
Homes	Homes	Focus Companies (Focus Plumbing LLC and 5 other companies)	Residential construction work in North America	Nov.1, 2022	¥36.2 billion	¥12.8 billion
Health Care	Health Care	Bionova Holdings, Inc.	Biopharmaceutical manufacturing process development, GMP-compliant manufacturing of current and next-generation antibody drugs	Jul. 1, 2022	¥42.9 billion	¥35.5 billion

															(¥ billion)
	FY	2020 (re	ecalculate	ed)	FY 2021 (recalculated)				FY 2022				FY 2023		
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	H2 forecast
Material Segment	208.0	236.8	271.0	289.0	279.6	296.3	315.2	318.9	339.4	339.4	327.0	310.8	296.8	313.4	693.8
Environmental Solutions	89.0	95.1	106.5	123.7	119.1	129.0	137.3	137.2	149.9	141.4	136.8	131.8	114.6	120.1	287.3
of which, Basic Materials	53.7	55.9	64.4	77.1	72.4	82.3	90.2	90.0	100.1	87.3	88.7	85.9	66.2	72.1	175.7
Mobility & Industrial	39.1	55.6	71.6	76.8	75.4	76.5	80.7	89.6	92.5	99.7	94.0	92.3	91.8	96.0	197.3
Life Innovation	79.9	85.9	92.7	88.3	85.0	90.5	97.1	91.9	96.9	98.3	96.0	86.5	90.3	97.3	208.5
of which, Digital Solutions	28.0	28.1	30.7	27.5	28.6	30.6	31.3	30.9	34.2	32.3	29.9	26.1	29.4	31.7	75.0
Others in Material	(0.0)	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.7
Homes Segment	147.8	184.8	170.2	177.1	195.1	197.9	218.3	211.2	206.6	213.8	230.1	248.4	221.1	241.6	480.4
Homes	139.1	175.3	161.0	169.4	187.2	188.6	208.5	202.2	197.5	203.5	219.5	238.8	210.5	230.2	459.4
Construction Materials	8.8	9.5	9.2	7.6	7.9	9.3	9.8	9.0	9.2	10.3	10.7	9.6	10.6	11.4	21.0
Health Care Segment	95.7	109.2	103.0	100.0	105.8	100.1	107.0	103.0	121.4	124.1	128.6	122.8	129.4	137.1	293.5
Health Care	36.5	37.8	40.7	39.4	42.8	42.6	46.8	42.1	50.5	48.5	54.5	46.8	51.1	49.8	112.1
Critical Care	59.2	71.4	62.3	60.6	63.0	57.5	60.3	60.9	71.0	75.6	74.1	76.0	78.3	87.3	181.3
Others	3.6	3.5	3.0	3.3	3.0	3.3	3.2	3.5	3.0	3.5	3.4	4.1	3.4	3.1	8.4
Consolidated	455.2	534.2	547.3	569.4	583.4	597.6	643.7	636.6	670.4	680.8	689.2	686.1	650.7	695.2	1,476.1

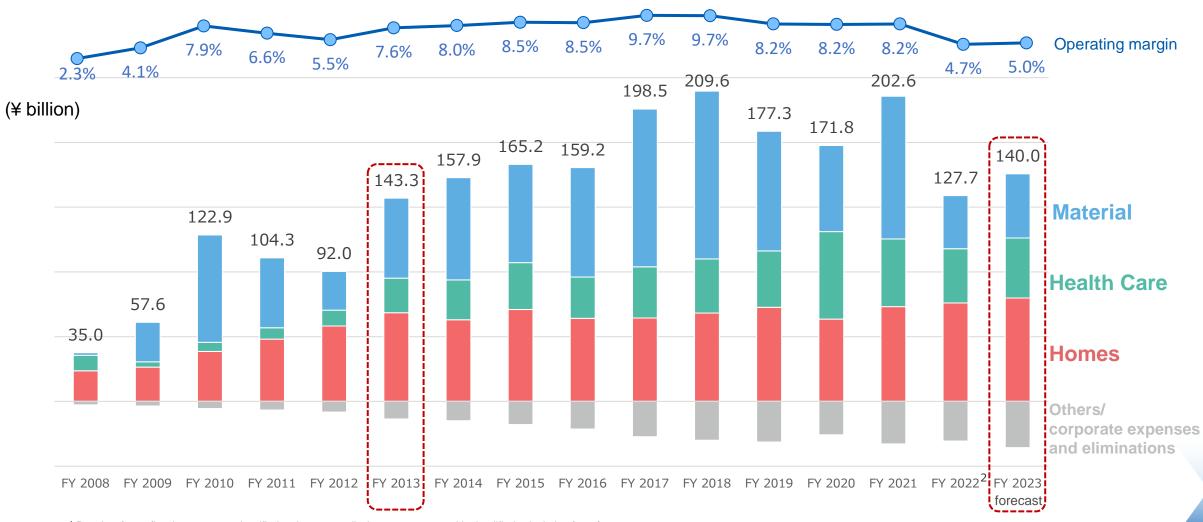
Quarterly operating income

														(¥ billion
	FY	2020 (re	calculate	ed)	FY 2021 (recalculated)			ed)	FY 2022				FY 2023		
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3 ¹	Q4 ¹	Q1	Q2	H2 forecast
Material Segment	8.0	11.0	20.9	23.0	31.1	27.5	29.8	17.6	26.8	13.9	8.1	(7.7)	7.6	10.1	31.8
Environmental Solutions	1.9	4.4	8.2	13.0	14.3	14.5	13.8	6.2	10.2	2.4	(2.6)	(12.2)	(0.7)	(1.1)	6.0
of which, Basic Materials	(1.0)	2.0	4.2	8.9	8.2	10.8	10.0	6.4	8.3	1.2	(4.2)	(8.5)	(5.1)	(2.9)	2.0
Mobility & Industrial	(3.3)	0.8	3.9	6.3	8.2	5.0	5.4	7.1	5.2	3.9	0.5	1.2	3.0	3.9	6.7
Life Innovation	8.2	6.6	9.0	5.5	10.2	8.9	10.8	4.9	12.1	7.5	7.7	0.6	4.5	7.2	18.8
of which, Digital Solutions	3.1	2.8	3.8	3.6	4.3	4.6	4.6	3.4	6.7	3.8	3.2	0.5	2.0	3.3	11.8
Others in Material	1.2	(0.8)	(0.3)	(1.8)	(1.6)	(1.1)	(0.2)	(0.6)	(0.6)	0.1	2.5	2.7	0.8	0.2	0.2
Homes Segment	10.6	20.9	16.4	15.2	15.1	18.1	22.3	17.3	15.3	18.3	18.5	23.3	13.4	21.9	44.4
Homes	9.8	19.6	15.5	14.8	14.7	17.3	21.3	17.3	15.0	17.9	17.9	23.1	12.5	20.2	43.3
Construction Materials	1.0	1.3	1.1	0.0	0.4	0.8	1.0	0.0	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.1	0.9	1.7	1.2
Health Care Segment	15.5	19.9	20.4	11.8	20.5	13.8	15.9	2.0	14.8	11.0	11.4	4.6	9.6	10.3	26.6
Health Care	5.7	5.1	8.8	3.4	7.6	5.9	9.0	(0.7)	10.0	4.5	7.9	0.5	5.1	2.4	10.0
Critical Care	9.8	14.8	11.7	8.4	12.9	7.8	6.9	2.7	4.8	6.5	3.5	4.1	4.5	7.9	16.6
Others	0.8	1.0	0.9	1.5	0.5	1.2	0.9	1.5	0.6	1.2	0.8	1.7	0.6	1.0	0.9
Corporate expenses and eliminations	(4.8)	(6.1)	(5.8)	(9.2)	(6.7)	(7.9)	(8.0)	(9.8)	(8.1)	(7.9)	(8.6)	(10.2)	(9.4)	(9.2)	(19.6
Consolidated	30.1	46.7	52.7	42.3	60.5	52.6	60.9	28.6	49.4	36.4	30.3	11.7	21.8	34.1	84.1

¹ Figures for fiscal 2022 are retroactively revised to reflect result of PPA (purchase price allocation) completed in Q1 2023 related to Focus Companies acquired on October 31, 2022.

Operating income trend¹

With steady income growth in Homes and income expanding in Health Care, overall income structure in FY 2023 is more resilient than in FY 2013 when a similar level of total operating income was recorded; profitability in Material is the issue for income growth moving forward



¹ Results of past fiscal years are reclassified to the current disclosure segments with simplified calculation for reference

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Business categories

Segments	Business categories	Businesses						
		Separators						
	Environmental Solutions	Membrane solutions						
		Synthetic rubber & elastomers						
		Basic Mater	ials Petrochemical-related business					
		Car interior m	aterial					
Material	Mobility & Industrial	Engineering p	blastics					
Waterial		Performance coating materials						
		Digital	Electronic materials					
	Life Innovation	Solutions	Electronic devices					
		Comfort Life	High-performance materials (functional additives, etc.)					
			Fibers (apparel, etc.)					
			Consumables					
		Order-built homes (unit homes, multi-dwelling homes)						
	Homes	Real estate (condominiums, rental management)						
Homes	nomes	Remodeling						
		Overseas business (North American, Australian)						
	Construction Materials	Construction materials						
	Health Care	Pharmaceutic	cals (therapeutic drugs)					
Health Care		Medical (biop	rocess, blood purification)					
Health Care	Critical Care	Defibrillators						
		LifeVest (wea	rable cardioverter defibrillator)					

- For comparison purposes, results of past fiscal years are recalculated in accordance with the new classifications from FY 2022
- The Accounting Standard for Revenue Recognition is applied beginning with FY 2021.
- Figures for operating income by business category include intrasegment transactions which are eliminated from the segment totals.
- EBITDA = operating income, depreciation, and amortization (tangible, intangible, and goodwill)

Schedule for announcement of financial results for 3rd quarter fiscal 2023

February 7, 2024 (JST)

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