



Non-consolidated Financial Results for the Third Quarter of the Fiscal Year Ending November 20, 2023 (FY11/23) (Nine Months Ended August 20, 2023)

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(All amounts are rounded down to the nearest million yen)

1. Non-consolidated Financial Results for the Third Quarter of FY11/23 (from November 21, 2022 to August 20, 2023)

(1) Results of operations

(Percentages represent year-on-year changes)

	Net sales		Operating profit		Ordinary profit		Profit	
Nine months ended	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%
Aug. 20, 2023	45,967	1.9	692	15.5	844	15.2	589	25.9
Aug. 20, 2022	45,110	-	599	-	732	-	468	-

	Net income per share	Diluted net income per share
Nine months ended	Yen	Yen
Aug. 20, 2023	63.58	-
Aug. 20, 2022	50.49	-

Note: Financial information is consolidated for the third quarter of the fiscal year that ended in November 2021 and non-consolidated beginning with the fourth quarter of the fiscal year that ended in November 2021. As a result, year-on-year changes for the nine months ended August 20, 2022 are not presented.

(2) Financial position

	Total assets	Net assets	Equity ratio	
	Millions of yen	Millions of yen	%	
As of Aug. 20, 2023	27,440	13,136	47.9	
As of Nov. 20, 2022	28,697	12,816	44.7	

Reference: Shareholders' equity (millions of yen) As of Aug. 20, 2023: 13,136 As of Nov. 20, 2022: 12,816

2. Dividends

	Dividend per share				
	1Q-end	2Q-end	3Q-end	Year-end	Total
	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen
FY11/22	-	0.00	-	24.00	24.00
FY11/23	-	0.00	-		
FY11/23 (Forecast)				30.50	30.50

Note: Revisions to the most recently announced dividend forecast: None

Breakdown of the year-end dividend for the fiscal year ending November 20, 2023: Ordinary dividend: 24.00 yen; Commemorative dividend to celebrate 65th founding anniversary: 6.50 yen

3. Non-consolidated Forecast for FY11/23 (from November 21, 2022 to November 20, 2023)

(Percentages represent year-on-year changes)

	Net sales		Operating profit		Ordinary profit		Profit		Net income per share
	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Yen
Full year	63,800	4.8	830	0.9	1,010	0.5	642	0.1	69.20

Note: Revisions to the most recently announced earnings forecast: None

* Notes

- (1) Application of special accounting methods for presenting quarterly financial statements: None
- (2) Changes in accounting policies and accounting-based estimates, and restatements
 - 1) Changes in accounting policies due to revisions in accounting standards, others: None
 - 2) Changes in accounting policies other than 1) above: None
 - 3) Changes in accounting-based estimates: None
 - 4) Restatements: None
- (3) Number of shares outstanding (common stock)
 - 1) Number of shares outstanding at the end of the period (including treasury shares)

As of Aug. 20, 2023: 10,011,841 shares As of Nov. 20, 2022: 10,011,841 shares

2) Number of treasury shares at the end of the period

As of Aug. 20, 2023: 733,904 shares As of Nov. 20, 2022: 733,894 shares

3) Average number of shares outstanding during the period

Nine months ended Aug. 20, 2023: 9,277,942 shares Nine months ended Aug. 20, 2022: 9,278,037 shares

Forecasts of future performance in these materials are based on assumption judged to be valid and information available to the Kitakei's management at the time the materials were prepared, but are not promises by Kitakei regarding future performance. Actual results may differ materially from the forecasts for a number of reasons. Please refer to "1. Qualitative Information on Quarterly Financial Performance, (3) Explanation of Non-consolidated Forecast and Other Forward-looking Statements" on page 2 for forecast assumptions and notes of caution for usage.

^{*}The current quarterly financial report is not subject to quarterly review by certified public accountants or auditing firms.

^{*}Cautionary statement with respect to forward-looking statements and other special items

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1. Qualitative Information on Quarterly Financial Performance

(1) Explanation of Results of Operations

In the first nine months (November 21, 2022 to August 20, 2023) of the current fiscal year, economic activity in Japan returned to normal following the government's downgrade of the classification of COVID-19. Foreign tourists have returned and consumer spending and capital expenditures are recovering. However, there are difficulties due to inflation backed by higher wages and rising raw material and energy costs due to the prolonged Russia's aggression against Ukraine and the depreciation of the yen. Worldwide monetary tightening is another source of uncertainty. As a result, there is a risk of an economic downturn in Japan caused by a global economic decline caused by these events.

In Japan's housing sector, there are concerns about the negative effect of the rising cost of building homes caused by inflation and high prices of building materials on consumer sentiment about buying a home. Construction starts for houses by owners and houses for sale, the main markets of Kitakei, have been declining year-on-year on a monthly basis, resulting in a difficult business climate. Furthermore, although variable interest rates on home loans are still low, it will be necessary to keep a close eye on future trends.

In this challenging business climate, Kitakei is taking numerous actions for sales growth. Activities include measures to increase sales of housing fixtures that are environmentally responsible, conserve energy and can produce energy. In addition, Kitakei is using its construction expertise to expand operations to market sectors other than houses. These activities are aimed at strengthening relationships with current customers and adding new customers. Another priority is the development and sale of original products that help people enjoy their lives with confidence. For example, there are products designed for faster construction and the limitation of waste materials to only packaging materials, and wood flooring coated with an antiviral and antibacterial treatment certified by the Society of International sustaining growth for Antimicrobial Articles (SIAA). These measures help deal with the shortage of workers and environmental problems at construction sites, and meet the need for safety regarding the spread of diseases. To increase the interest of consumers in original products, we started rebranding activities that reflect current market trends, including the use of Instagram and a website redesign for the Sprout Universal Series of building materials. In addition to these sales initiatives, there are many activities for increasing the efficiency of business operations, such as the use of robotic process automation (RPA), for sales growth and higher earnings. Sales in the first nine months of the fiscal year were 45,967 million yen compared with 45,110 million yen one

Sales in the first nine months of the fiscal year were 45,967 million yen compared with 45,110 million yen one year earlier. Operating profit increased from 599 million yen to 692 million yen and ordinary profit increased from 732 million yen to 844 million yen. Profit was up from 468 million yen to 589 million yen.

(2) Explanation of Financial Position

Assets

Total assets decreased 1,257 million yen from the end of the previous fiscal year to 27,440 million yen as of the end of the third quarter. The main factors were decreases of 1,100 million yen in notes and accounts receivable-trade, and contract assets and 326 million yen in cash and deposits.

Liabilities

Total liabilities decreased 1,577 million yen from the end of the previous fiscal year to 14,303 million yen as of the end of the third quarter. The main factor was a decrease of 2,054 million yen in notes and accounts payable-trade, while there was an increase of 754 million yen in electronically recorded obligations-operating.

Net assets

Total net assets increased 320 million yen from the end of the previous fiscal year to 13,136 million yen as of the end of the third quarter. The main factor was an increase of 367 million yen in retained earnings.

(3) Explanation of Non-consolidated Forecast and Other Forward-looking Statements

The full-year non-consolidated forecasts announced on December 28, 2022 remain unchanged.

2. Quarterly Non-consolidated Financial Statements and Notes

(1) Quarterly Non-consolidated Balance Sheet

		(Thousands of yen)
	FY11/22	Third quarter of FY11/23
Assets	(As of Nov. 20, 2022)	(As of Aug. 20, 2023)
Assets		
Current assets	10 252 770	0.027.007
Cash and deposits Notes and accounts receivable-trade, and contract	10,253,770	9,927,007
assets	11,293,490	10,192,688
Merchandise	849,868	775,962
Costs on construction contracts in progress	938,526	905,861
Other	1,785,359	2,059,151
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(4,799)	(4,249)
Total current assets	25,116,215	23,856,422
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment	1,689,339	1,671,211
Intangible assets	164,689	185,634
Investments and other assets		
Other	1,778,858	1,778,166
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(51,192)	(51,242)
Total investments and other assets	1,727,665	1,726,923
Total non-current assets	3,581,695	3,583,769
Total assets	28,697,910	27,440,191
Liabilities		
Current liabilities		
Notes and accounts payable-trade	9,692,683	7,638,487
Electronically recorded obligations-operating	3,990,427	4,745,050
Income taxes payable	267,939	126,875
Provision for bonuses	-	170,000
Provision for bonuses for directors (and other officers)	20,000	-
Other	937,661	614,208
Total current liabilities	14,908,711	13,294,622
Non-current liabilities		
Provision for retirement benefits for directors (and other officers)	292,450	307,340
Provision for retirement benefits	108,144	108,742
Asset retirement obligations	6,659	6,691
Other	565,350	586,037
Total non-current liabilities	972,604	1,008,810
Total liabilities	15,881,315	14,303,432

	FY11/22 (As of Nov. 20, 2022)	(Thousands of yen) Third quarter of FY11/23 (As of Aug. 20, 2023)
Net assets	, ,	
Shareholders' equity		
Share capital	2,220,082	2,220,082
Capital surplus	2,851,427	2,851,427
Retained earnings	7,801,075	8,168,283
Treasury shares	(206,458)	(206,465)
Total shareholders' equity	12,666,127	13,033,328
Valuation and translation adjustments		
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	150,468	103,430
Total valuation and translation adjustments	150,468	103,430
Total net assets	12,816,595	13,136,758
Total liabilities and net assets	28,697,910	27,440,191

(2) Quarterly Non-consolidated Statement of Income

For the Nine-month Period

	(Thousands of yen)			
	First nine months of FY11/22	First nine months of FY11/23		
	(Nov. 21, 2021 – Aug. 20, 2022)	(Nov. 21, 2022 – Aug. 20, 2023)		
Net sales	45,110,722	45,967,069		
Cost of sales	40,756,628	41,257,116		
Gross profit	4,354,094	4,709,952		
Selling, general and administrative expenses	3,754,241	4,017,206		
Operating profit	599,853	692,746		
Non-operating income				
Interest income	1,410	1,609		
Dividend income	9,997	10,099		
Purchase discounts	97,350	94,846		
Rental income	20,362	20,389		
Other	14,446	33,031		
Total non-operating income	143,567	159,975		
Non-operating expenses				
Rental costs on real estate	6,959	6,107		
Other	3,484	2,311		
Total non-operating expenses	10,444	8,418		
Ordinary profit	732,976	844,303		
Extraordinary income				
Gain on sale of investment securities	2,083	76,660		
Total extraordinary income	2,083	76,660		
Profit before income taxes	735,060	920,963		
Income taxes-current	259,323	305,872		
Income taxes-deferred	7,319	25,211		
Total income taxes	266,643	331,084		
Profit	468,416	589,879		

(3) Notes to Quarterly Non-consolidated Financial Statements

Going Concern Assumption

Not applicable.

Significant Changes in Shareholders' Equity

Not applicable.

Segment and Other Information

Business segment information is omitted because Kitakei has only a single business segment and therefore there is no segment subject to disclosure requirements. Kitakei is engaged in the sale (including sales with installation) of materials and equipment used for homebuilding, such as new building materials and a variety of housing fixtures, and in activities associated with these sales. These products are sold to stores that sell wood products and building materials, construction companies, homebuilding companies and other buyers.

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