

2Q Results for the Fiscal Year 2024 Ending March 31, 2025

# Financial Results riefin

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#### **Overview**



 The consolidated financial result in the second quarter decrease in both sales and profit compared to the previously announced forecasts on May 8,2024

 The full-year financial results forecasts for the current fiscal year has been revised downward compared to the previously announced forecasts

 Dividend per share will be maintained as per the previously announced forecasts



# Consolidated Financial Results for the Six Months Ended September 30, 2024

#### Second quarter results compared to previous fiscal year



The financial result in the second quarter decrease in both sales and profit compared to the previous fiscal year.

Reasons for Decrease in sales Impacted by decreased sales volume and lower sales prices.

Reasons for Decrease in Profit Although energy prices fell, sales volumes decreased and spreads reduced.

(JPY Million)	Six months ended September 30, 2023	Six months ended September 30, 2024	J	Vs FY2023 /Decrease %
Net sales	32,709	30,531	-2,177	-6.7%
Operating profit	4,425	3,629	<del>- 7</del> 95	-18.0%
Ordinary profit	4,363	3,549	-814	-18.7%
Profit attributable to owners of parent	3,044	2,501	- 542	-17.8%
Sales volume (Thousand tons)	243	235	-7	-3.0%

# Second quarter results compared to previously announced forecasts



# Second quarter results showed lower revenue and profits compared to previously announced forecasts.

Reasons for Decrease in sales Decreasing sales volume and increasing sales prices since the beginning of the fiscal year.

Reasons for Decrease in Profit

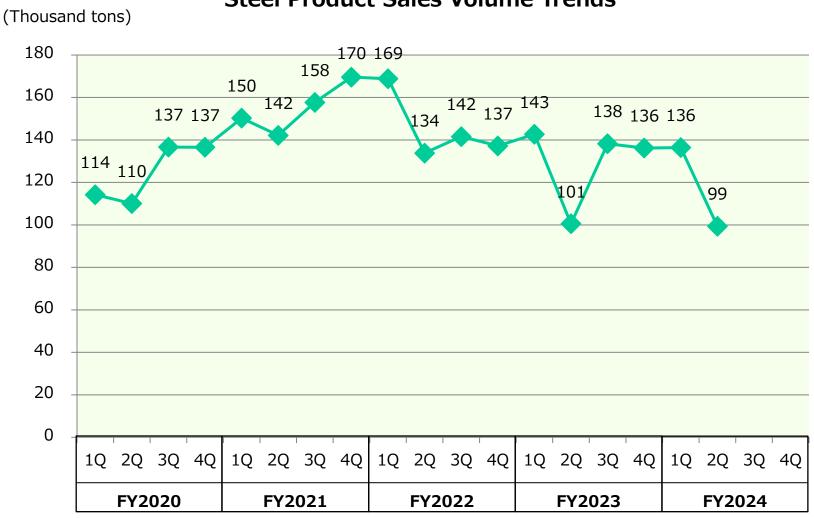
Decreasing sales volume, narrowing spreads and rising energy costs.

	Six months ended	September 30, 2024	Change Vs	Forecast
(JPY Million)	Previously announced forecasts	Results	Increase/[ Change	Decrease %
Net sales	31,100	30,531	- 568	-1.8%
Operating profit	4,100	3,629	-470	-11.5%
Ordinary profit	4,100	3,549	- 550	-13.4%
Extraordinary income	0	105	+105	_
Profit attributable to owners of parent	2,700	2,501	-198	-7.3%
Sales volume (Thousand tons)	244	236	-8	-3.3%

#### **Steel Product Sales Volume Trends**

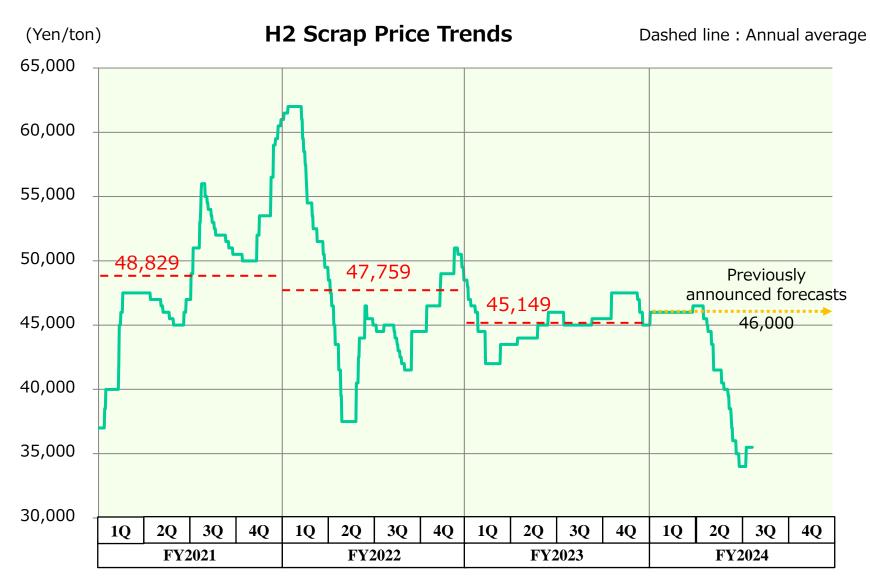






## **Steel Scrap Prices Trends**

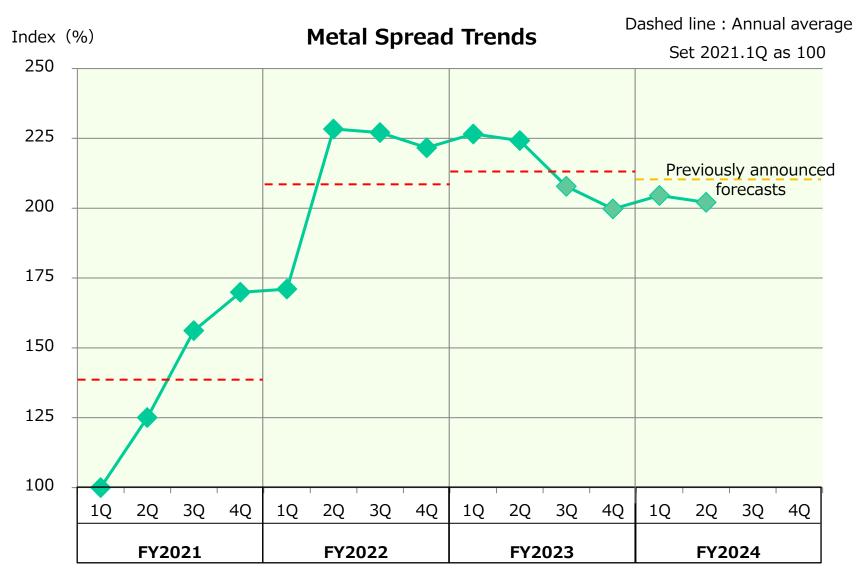




\* Purchase price for H2

## **Metal Spread Trends**

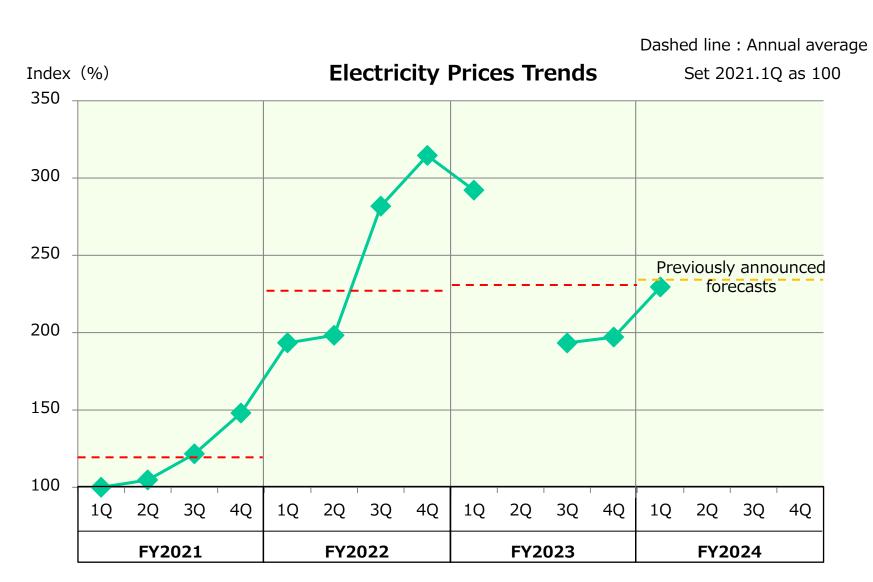




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## **Electricity Prices Trends**

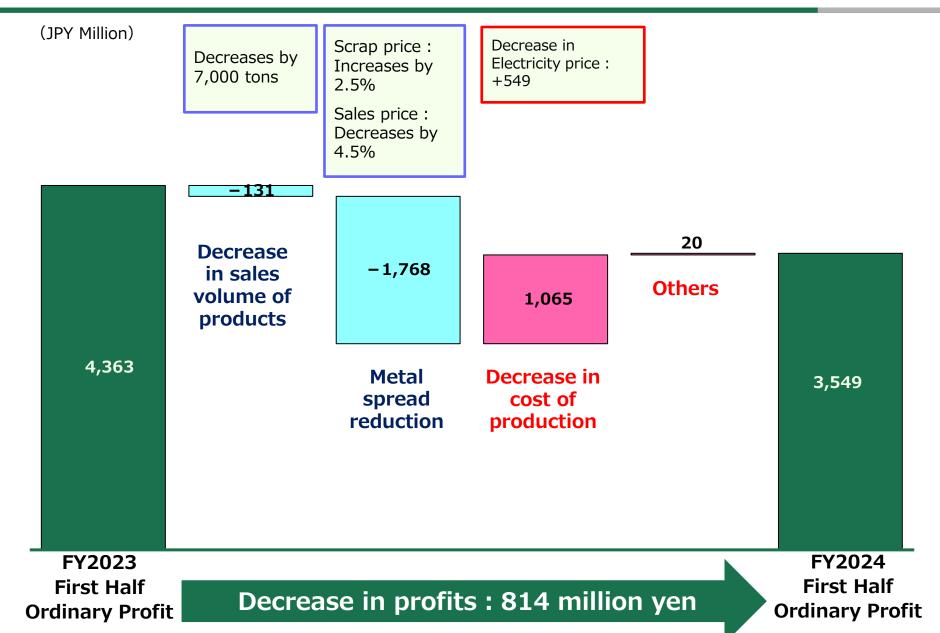




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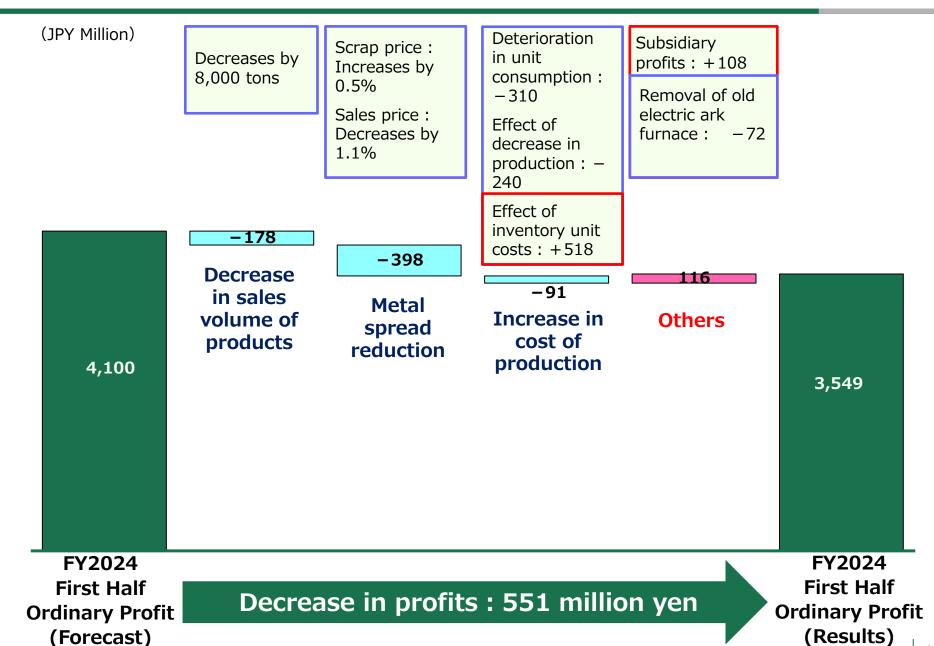
#### Factors for changes in Ordinary Profit(vs. FY23 First Half)





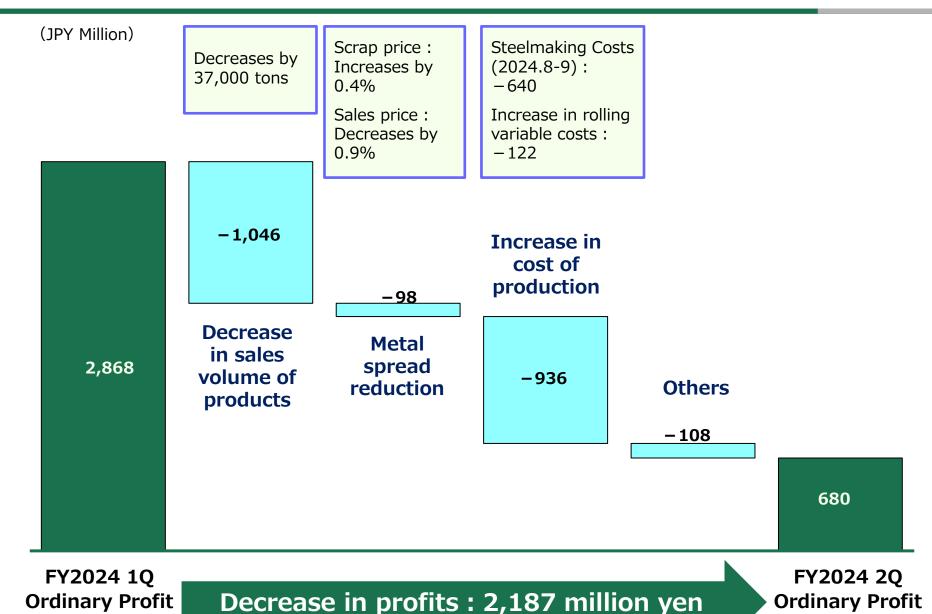
#### **Factors for changes in Ordinary Profit(vs. forecast)**





#### Factors for changes in Ordinary Profit(1Q vs. 2Q)



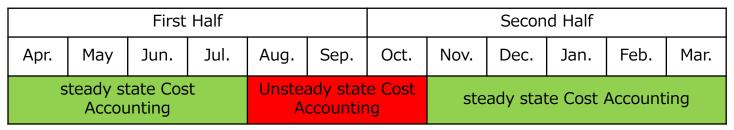


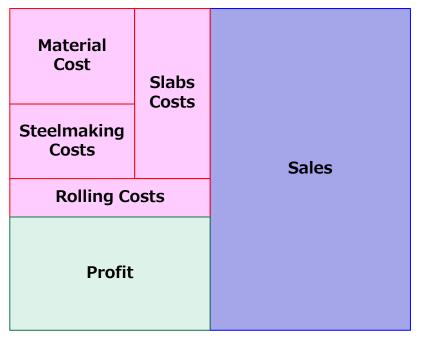
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## **Cost Accounting**

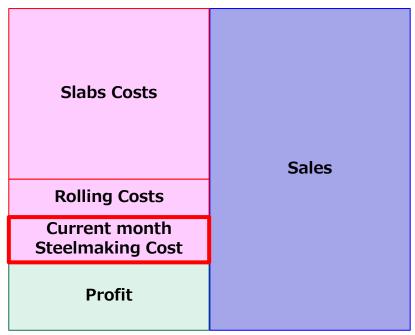


In August, September, and October, when steel making plant are closed, the cost of steelmaking for that month is added to the cost of sales.





steady state Cost Accounting (Apr.~Jul., Nov. onwards)



Unsteady state Cost Accounting (Aug.~Oct.)

**%**For October 2024, the cost for 28 days is added to the steelmaking cost for that month.

# Results by segment



					(JPY Million)		
	Six montl September		Six montl September		Increase/Decrease		
	Net sales to external customers	Operating profit	Net sales to external customers	Operating profit	Net sales to external customers	Operating profit	
Steel related business	31,304	4,244	29,104	3,414	-2,199	-830	
Rental business	337	32	373	33	+35	+0	
Logistics business	287	100	293	103	+5	+2	
Engineering business	779	17	760	49	-18	+31	
Inter-segment eliminations	_	28	_	29	_	+0	
Consolidated total	32,709	4,425	30,531	3,629	-2,177	<b>–</b> 795	

#### Semi-annual Consolidated Financial Statements Semi-annual Consolidated Balance Sheets



		As of March 31, 2024	As of September 30, 2024	(JPY Million) Increase /Decrease
Assets	Cash and deposits	13,516	•	-1,022
	Trade receivables	27,083	16,554	-10,528
	Securities	6,998	13,644	+6,645
	Inventory	13,575	11,099	-2,476
	Property, plant and equipment	21,382	22,899	+1,517
	Others	10,992	10,516	-476
	Total assets	93,548	87,208	-6,340
Liabilities	Notes and accounts payable - trade	8,071	3,337	-4,733
	Non-current liabilities	1,063	881	-181
	Others	6,918	5,029	-1,889
	Total liabilities	16,053	9,248	-6,804
Net assets	Shareholders' equity	74,444	75,315	+870
	Others	3,049	2,644	-405
	Total net assets	77,494	77,959	+464
Total liabili	ties and net assets	93,548	87,208	-6,340



# Consolidated Financial Forecast for Fiscal Year Ending March 31,2025

#### FY2024 Financial Forecast compared to previous fiscal year



The revised full-year financial forecast shows lower sales and profits compared to the previous fiscal year.

Reasons for Decrease in Sales

Falling sales prices and declining sales volumes.

Reasons for Decrease in Profit Decrease in sales volume, impact of production cuts and burden of inventory costs at the end of the first half.

	•	FY2024	Changes Vs FY2023			
(JPY Million)	FY2023	[Revised forecast]	Increase, Changes	/Decrease %		
(JPY MIIIIOH)			Chariges	70		
Net sales	67,785	60,800	-6,985	-10.3%		
Operating profit	10,425	6,200	-4,225	-40.5%		
Ordinary profit	10,228	6,100	-4,128	-40.4%		
Income taxes	3,095	1,700	Tax Credit 267			
Profit attributable to owners of parent	7,133	4,400	-2,733	-38.3%		
Basic earnings per share (yen)	259.34	162.48	-96.86	-37.3%		
Annual dividends	91	101	_	_		
Sales volume (thousand tons)	518	492	-26	-5.0%		

# FY2024 Financial Forecast compared to previously announced forecasts



The revised full-year financial forecast is for lower sales and profits compared to previously announced forecasts.

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	FY2	024	Changes Vs Previously announced forecasts		
(JPY Million)	Previously announced forecasts	Revised forecast	Increase/ Changes	Decrease %	
Net sales	68,000	60,800	-7,200	-10.6%	
Operating profit	9,500	6,200	-3,300	-34.7%	
Ordinary profit	9,100	6,100	-3,000	-33.0%	
Income taxes	2,900	1,700 ·	Tax Credit 267		
Profit attributable to owners of parent	6,100	4,400	-1,700	-27.9%	
Basic earnings per share (yen)	225.30	162.48	-62.82	-27.9%	
Annual dividends <sub>(yen)</sub>	101	101	_	_	
Sales volume(thousand tons)	530	492	-38	-7.2%	

## FY2024 Quarterly consolidated forecast



[First Half] 1Q results were in line with previously announced forecasts. In 2Q, profit decreased due to a decrease in sales volume due to a shortage of stockpiled materials and an increase in costs.

[Second Half] Profit decreased due to the decrease in sales volume (decrease in production volume) and lower sales prices. In 3Q, the impact of the loss on retirement of electric arc furnaces will disappear, but the impact of the inventory burden at the end of September will also put

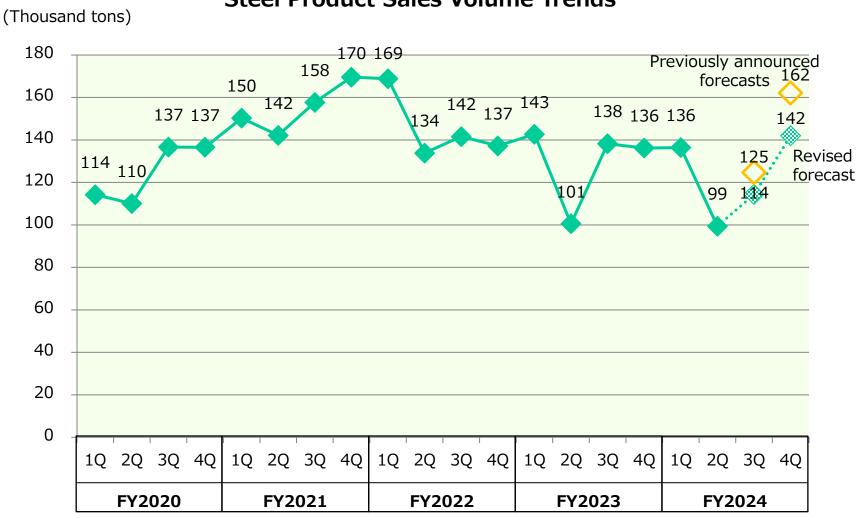
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(JPY Million)		1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	Full year
Net sales	Previously announced forecasts	16,900	14,200	16,100	20,700	68,000
Net sales	Results/ Revised forecast	17,487	13,043	14,000	16,200	60,800
Ordinary profit	Previously announced forecasts	2,900	1,100	1,500	3,500	9,100
	Results/ Revised forecast	2,868	680	600	1,900	6,100
Sales	Previously announced forecasts	130	110	120	160	530
volume (thousand tons)	Results/ Revised forecast	140	100	110	140	490
EAF renewal work schedule			7/22	10/29start  → ★		

#### **Steel Product Sales Volume Trends**

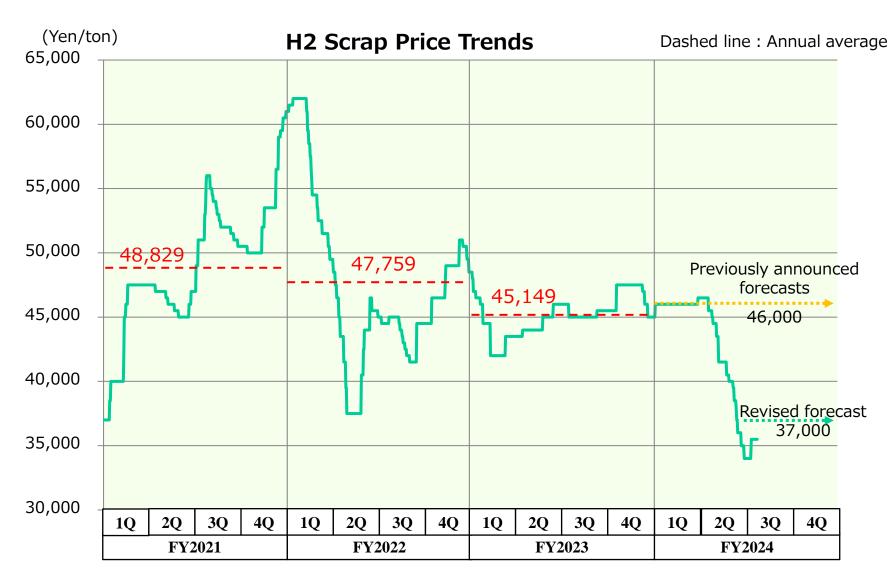






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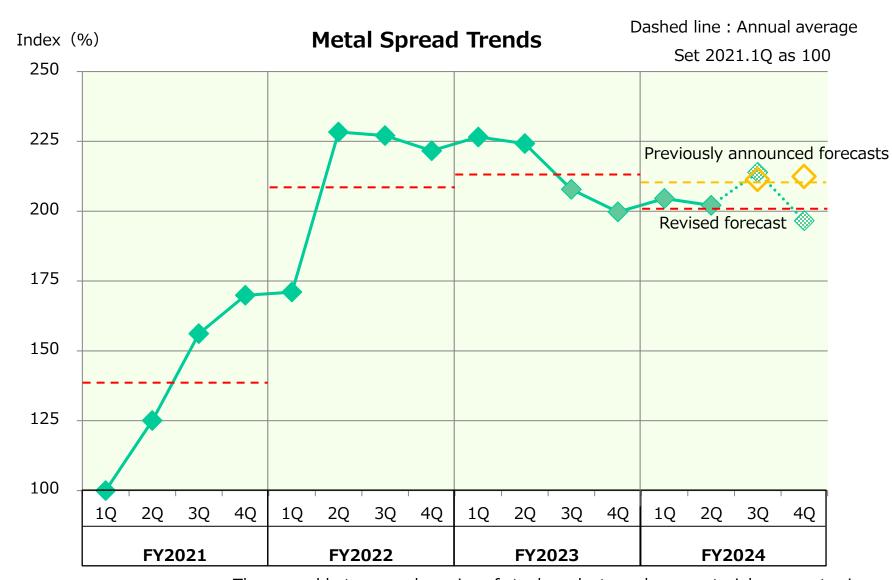




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## **Metal Spread Trends**

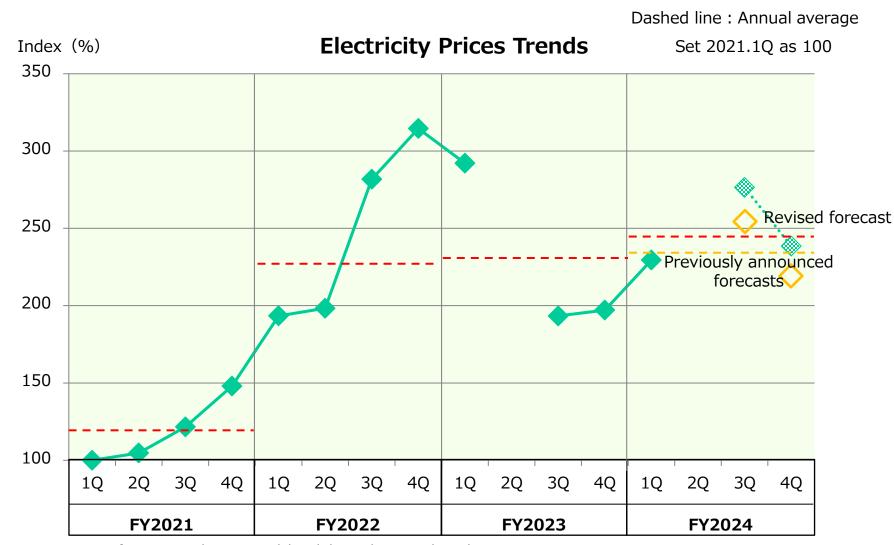




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## **Electricity Prices Trends**





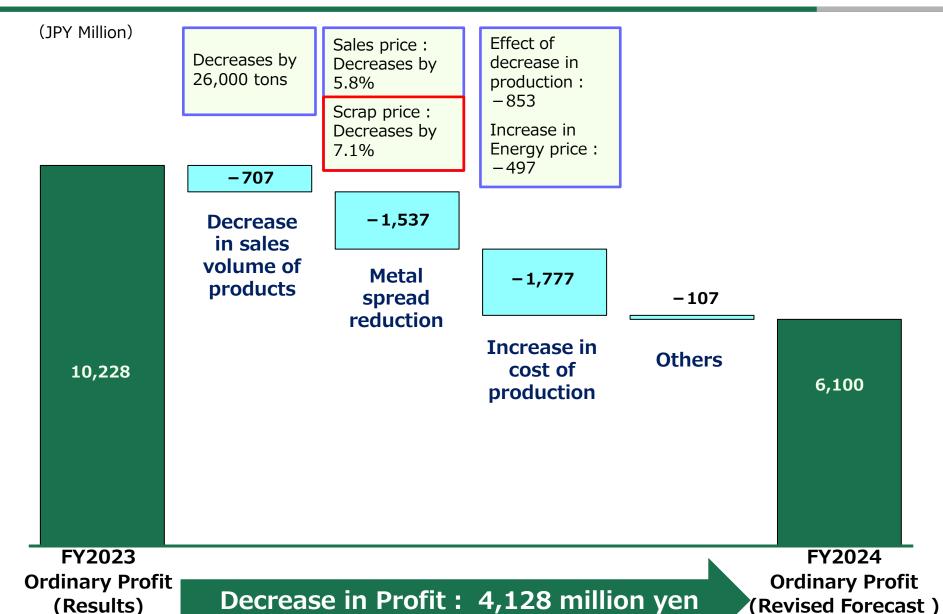
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<sup>\*</sup>FY2024 3Q is affected by one-month suspension

<sup>\*</sup>Our electricity purchase price

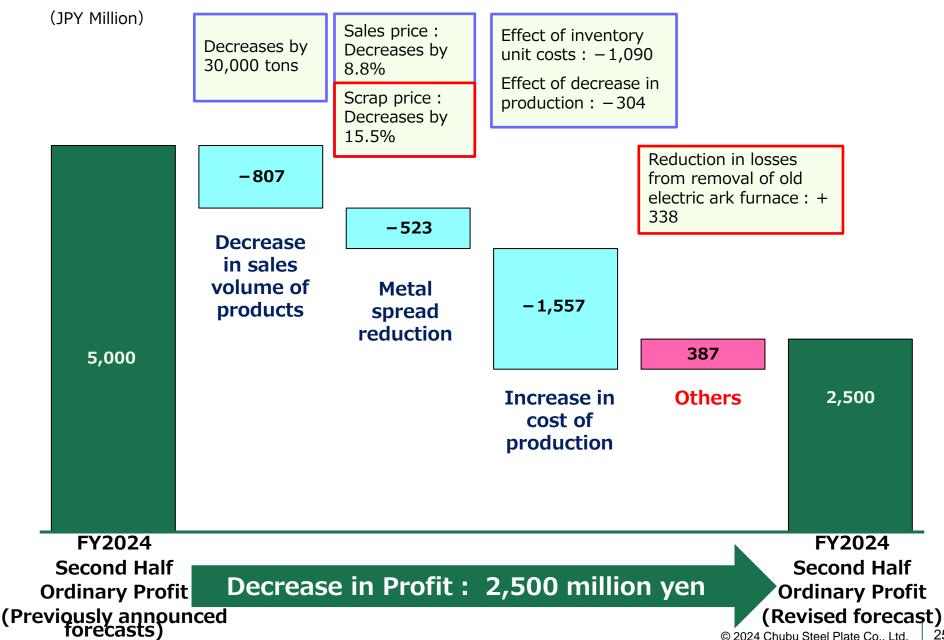
#### Factors for changes in Ordinary Profit guidance(Y/Y)





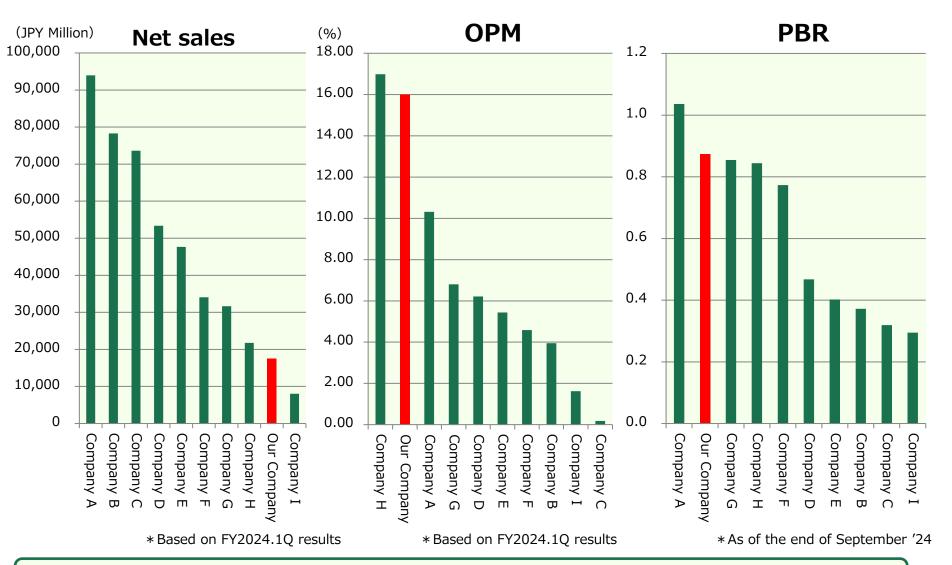
#### **Factors for changes in Ordinary Profit** (vs. Second Half Previously announced forecasts)





#### Comparison with other EAF companies(FY2024.1Q)





Although sales are low, OPM and PBR are both ranked high.

### FY2024 Dividend policy



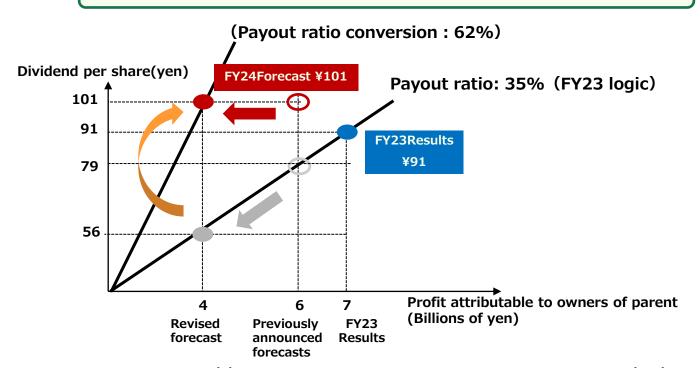
#### **Dividend policy**

#### (Dividend policy in FY2024)

**DOE3.5%** 

\*Annual dividend for FY24 is expected to be around 101 yen/share. (END of 2Q:50 yen/share, Year-end:51 yen/share)

#### Interim dividend of 50 yen will be paid as planned



<sup>&</sup>gt; D O E = Total annual dividend amount  $\div$  ( (Equity capital beginning of period + Equity capital end of period) /2)

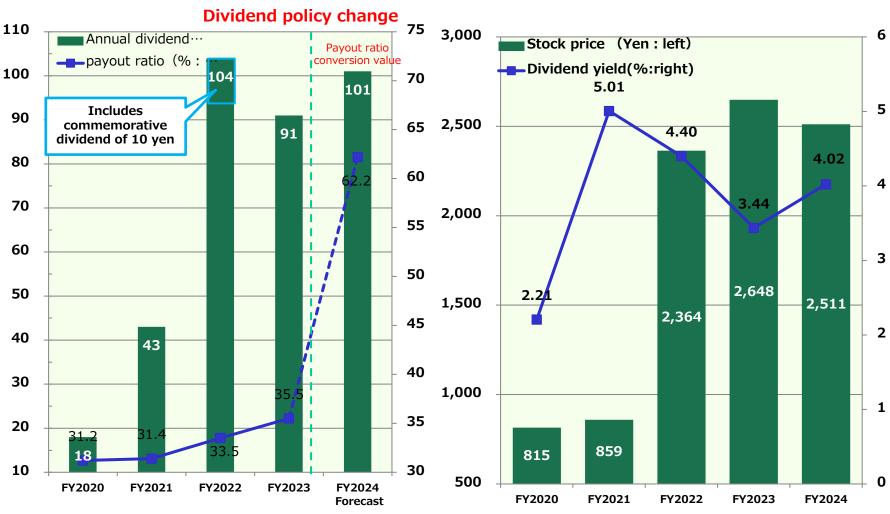
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#### FY2024 Dividend forecast





#### **Stock price and Dividend yield**



\*FY 2024 : as of the end of September 2024

Other FY: as of the end of each fiscal year (end of March)

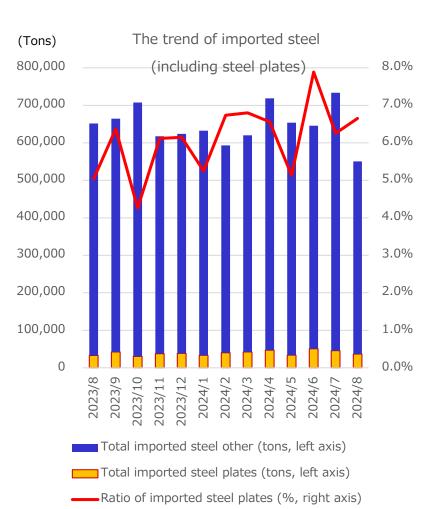


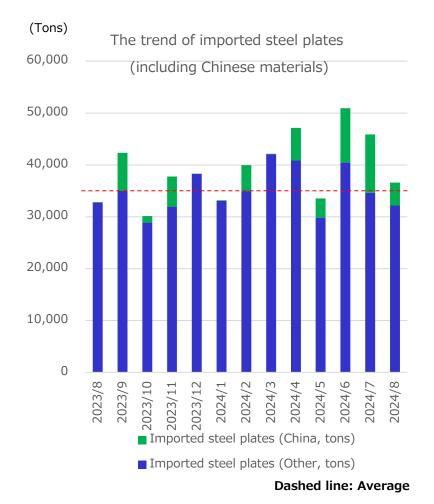
# **Topics**

#### **Trends in Imported Steel Materials**



- Due to the economic slowdown in China, overproduced steel products are flowing into the domestic market in Japan.
- **>**On the other hand, the import scale of steel plates is originally small, and the inflow from China remains limited.

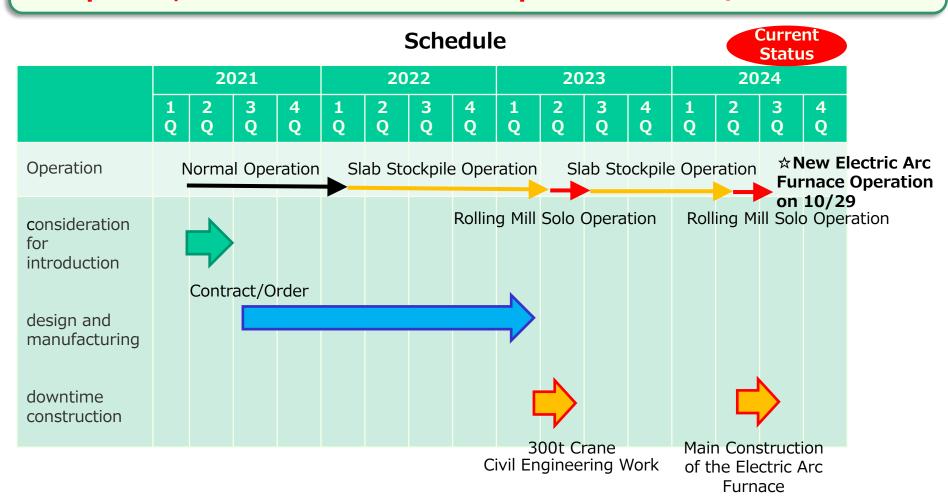




#### **Construction Schedule for the New Electric Arc Furnace**



The installation of the new Electric Arc Furnace was successfully completed, and it started normal operation on 10/29



# Status of New Electric Furnace Replacement Work 1 Removal of Old Electric Arc Furnace



Photo: Removed Old Electric Arc Furnace

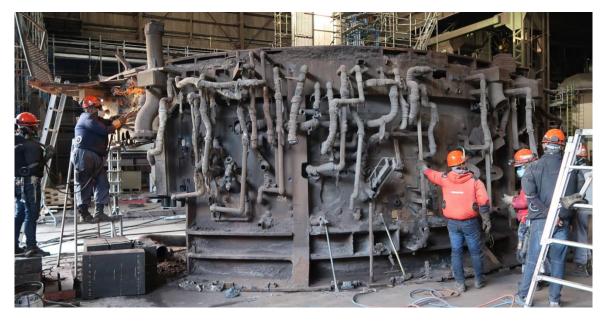


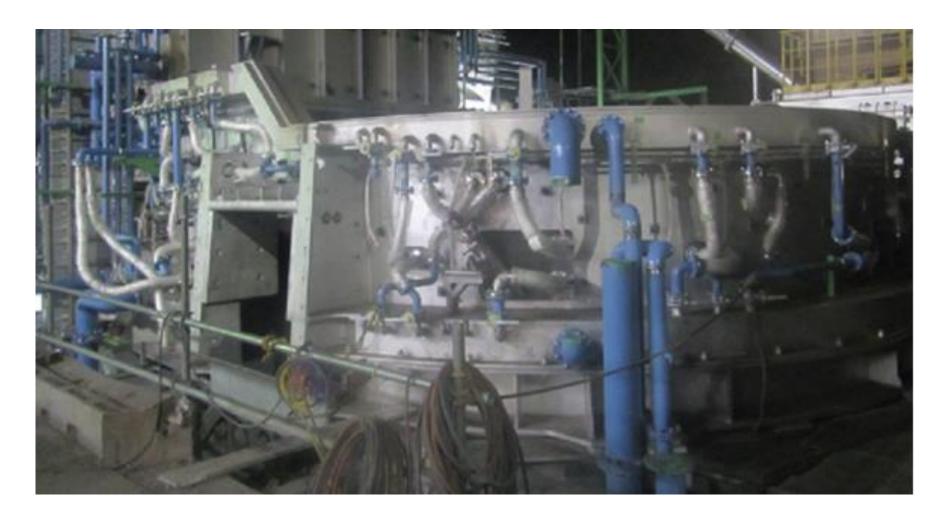
Photo: Site After Removal



#### **Status of New Electric Arc Furnace Renovation**

#### **2** Installation of New Electric Arc Furnace





**Photo: New Electric Arc Furnace** 

#### Status of New Electric Arc Furnace Renovation Work





Photo: Scrap Loading Crane



Photo: Scrap Transport Cart



# Increase in Production Capacity with the Introduction of a New Electric Arc Furnace



- New Electric Arc Furnace operational from 10/29
  - > Various adjustments to be made, aiming for full operation in Q4

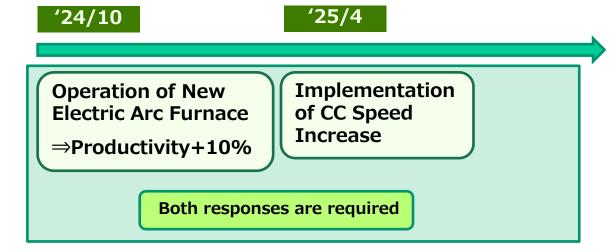
Improvement in Productivity



Extended uptime



Improvement in Production Capacity

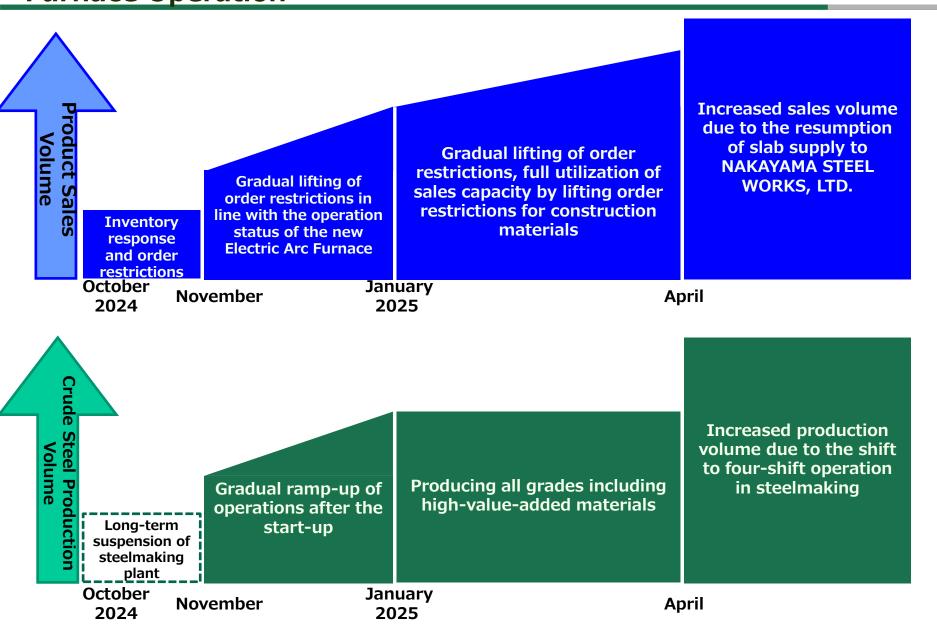


Start of Four-Shift Operation in Steelmaking

- ⇒ Previously: Weekday nights + 24 hours on weekends and holidays
- → Theoretically, it is possible to operate 24 hours a day, 7 days a week

# Manufacturing and Sales after the New Electric Arc Furnace Operation





#### **Publication of the Integrated Report**



- Efforts to Address Climate Change
  - > Initiatives for Climate Change
  - > Information Disclosure in Line with TCFD Recommendations
  - > Commitment to Carbon Neutrality
- **Efforts to Reduce Environmental Impact** 
  - > Environmental Policy
  - > Environmental Management
  - > Environmental Control
  - ➤ Recycling (Contribution to a Circular Economy)
- Initiatives Related to Human Capital
  - > Overview of Human Capital Initiatives
  - > Efforts to Realize the Fundamental Concepts of Talent Management



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- O Efforts in Occupational Health and Safety and Disaster Prevention
  - > Occupational Health and Safety
  - > Business Continuity Planning (BCP) Initiatives
- O Contribution to Society through Local Communities, Customers, and Business Partners
  - > Coexistence with Local Communities
  - > Engagement with Customers
  - > Quality Assurance
  - > Engagement with Suppliers
- **○** Governance
  - > Fundamental Concepts
  - > Effectiveness Evaluation of the Board of Directors
  - > Executive Compensation
  - Compliance initiatives and Development of Risk Management Systems

#### **Agreement on the Introduction of PPA Services**



#### **Introduction of Off-Site PPA (Note)**

(Note) PPA: A system where operators establish solar power plants and supply electricity to contracted consumers.

• Establishing a power generation facility outside our premises to procure renewable energy

[ Target ] Power generation capacity of 10 MW scale

(Equivalent to 13,000 MWh/year)

CO2 emissions equivalent to 5,000 tons/year (calculated using an emission factor of 0.388 kg-CO2/kWh)

#### Introduction of off-site PPA services using agricultural solar power plants, etc.

We have signed a purchase agreement (PPA) with Chubu Electric Power Miraiz Company, Incorporated to purchase electricity generated from a solar power plant in the Chubu region.

(Contract to be executed in June 2024. Supply to start from August 1 as the first phase, with subsequent operations planned thereafter.)



Head office factory
(Aichi , Nagoya )



Multiple power plants in the Chubu region (Total panel output about 4,700 kW)



#### Overview

Location	Chubu region
Panel capacity	4.7MW
Estimated power generation amount	5,145MWh/year
Estimated CO <sub>2</sub> reduction amount	2,400t/year

#### Current Status

Currently operational at 7 locations

Power generation: 1,231 MWh/year

Achieved 24% of the plan

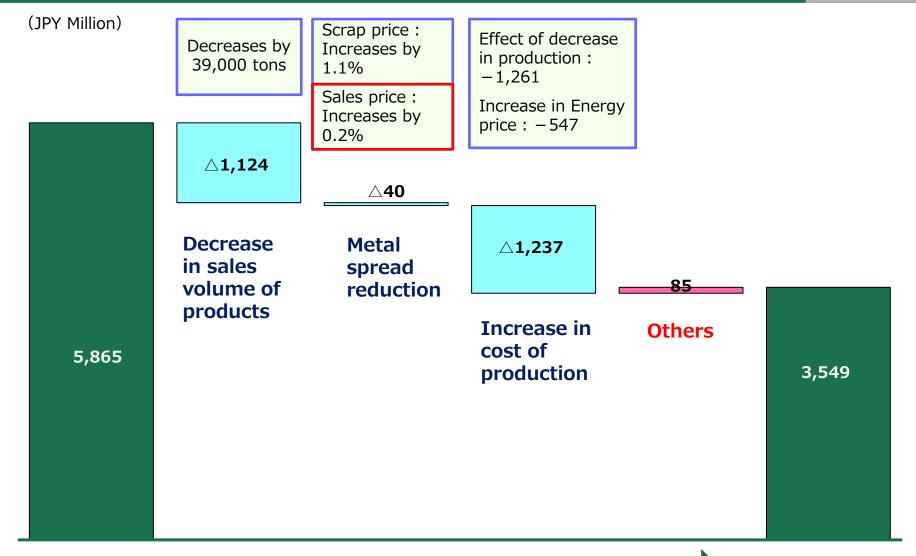




# Reference materials

# Factors for changes in Ordinary Profit (FY23 Second Half vs. FY24 First Half, Consolidated)





FY2023 Second Half Ordinary Profit

Decrease in profits: 2,316 million yen

FY2024 First half Ordinary Profit

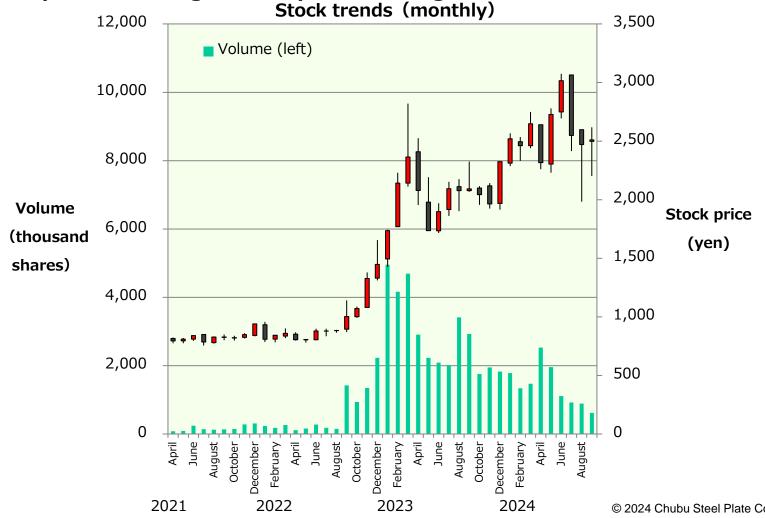
## Stock price trends



■ Our company listed on the Tokyo Stock Exchange Prime Market on December 28, 2022.

**Double listing on Nagoya Stock Exchange (Premier Market)** 

➤ Stock prices rose significantly and trading volume increased



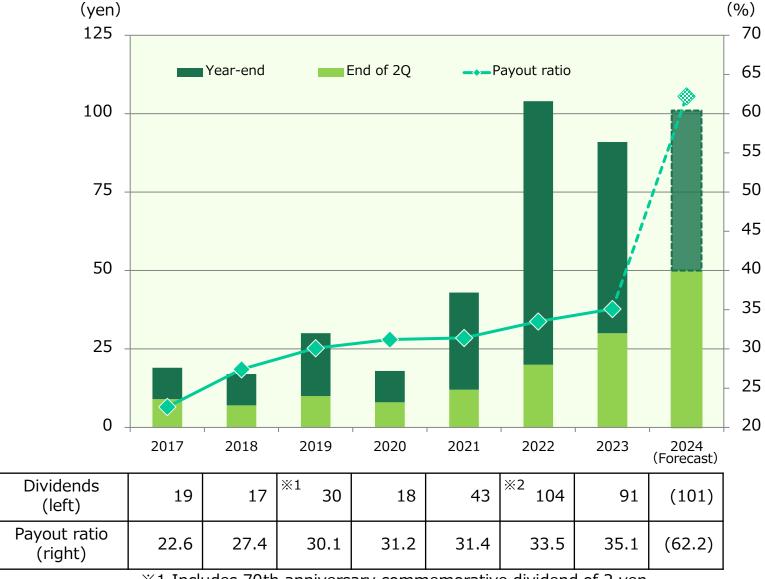
# **Quarterly result trends**



JPY Million	FY2	021		FY2	022			FY2	023		FY2	024
JPT MIIIIOH	3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q
Net sales	17,718	20,037	21,095	18,201	18,768	18,254	19,036	13,673	17,728	17,346	17,487	13,043
Cost of sales	14,137	16,147	17,110	13,863	13,771	13,747	14,234	11,519	13,212	13,102	13,296	11,069
Gross profit	3,580	3,890	3,985	4,337	4,997	4,507	4,802	2,153	4,516	4,244	4,191	1,974
selling, general and administrative expenses	1,396	1,401	1,433	1,311	1,405	1,416	1,403	1,127	1,391	1,368	1,390	1,145
Operating profit	2,183	2,489	2,552	3,026	3,592	3,090	3,398	1,026	3,124	2,875	2,800	828
Non-operating income and expenses	57	7	65	△13	34	△19	72	△133	△16	△118	67	△147
Ordinary profit	2,241	2,497	2,618	3,012	3,626	3,071	3,470	893	3,108	2,756	2,868	680
Profit attributable to owners of parent	1,558	1,727	1,794	2,086	2,493	2,202	2,445	598	2,123	1,965	2,044	457

## Dividends/dividend payout ratio trends



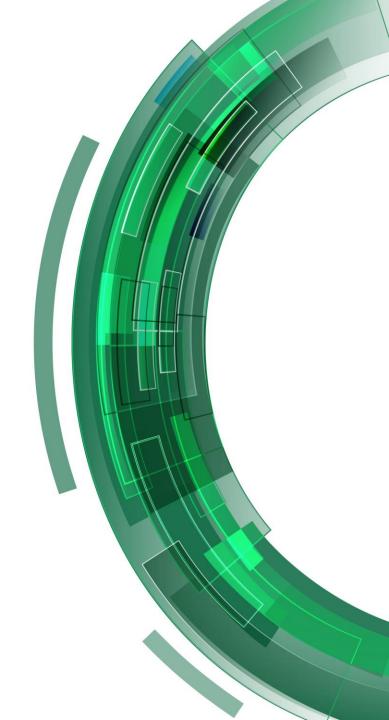


X1 Includes 70th anniversary commemorative dividend of 2 yen

%2 Includes 10 yen commemorative dividend for listing on TSE Prime Market



# Thank you for your attention







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