Financial Results Outlook for FY2010



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1. Consolidated Financial Results for FY2009 Ended March 31, 2010













Financial Summary

	FY2008	FY2009	Difference	Growth
Net Sales	1,788.2	1,620.9	Δ167.3	Δ9.4%
Operating Income	2.1	51.5	49.3	-
(Equity in earnings of affiliates, included in ordinary income)	(Δ12.8)	(Δ7.0)	(5.8)	-
(Net loss on foreign currency transactions in ordinary income)	(Δ14.7)	(Δ0.5)	(14.2)	-
Ordinary Income	Δ32.6	35.0	67.6	-
Net Income	Δ59.2	14.7	73.9	-
ROE	Δ9.0%	2.6%		
Naphtha Price (yen/KL)	58,900	41,200		
Exchange Rate (yen/US\$)	100.71	92.89		

Net Sales by Business Segments

	FY2008	FY2009	Difference	Growth	Sales Price Variance	Shipping Volume Variance
Basic Chemicals	240.0	203.3	Δ36.7	Δ15.3%	Δ41.0	4.3
Petrochemicals	553.0	481.5	Δ71.4	Δ12.9%	Δ127.0	55.6
Fine Chemicals	80.8	67.6	Δ13.2	Δ16.3%	Δ4.0	Δ9.2
IT-related Chemicals	307.1	265.2	Δ41.9	Δ13.6%	Δ40.0	Δ1.9
Agricultural Chemicals	222.2	211.5	Δ10.7	Δ4.8%	Δ7.0	Δ3.7
Pharmaceuticals	235.6	267.5	31.9	13.5%	0.0	31.9
Others	149.5	124.3	Δ25.3	Δ16.9%	0.0	Δ25.3
Total	1,788.2	1,620.9	Δ167.3	Δ9.4%	Δ219.0	51.7
Overseas Operations	749.8	728.9	Δ20.9	Δ2.8%		

Results of Operations by Business Segments

	Basic Chemicals	Petro- Chemicals	Fine Chemicals	IT-related Chemicals	Agricultural Chemicals	Pharma- ceuticals	Others	Total
Operating Income								
FY2008	Δ15.3	Δ30.3	1.6	Δ1.0	24.4	32.4	Δ9.6	2.1
FY2009	Δ2.7	Δ5.3	1.5	3.3	25.9	29.3	Δ0.6	51.5
Difference	12.7	25.0	Δ0.1	4.3	1.5	Δ3.0	9.0	49.3
Price Variance	2.5	0.5	1.5	Δ40.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	Δ35.0
Sales Price Variance	Δ41.0	Δ127.0	Δ4.0	Δ40.0	Δ7.0	0.0	0.0	Δ219.0
Purchase Price Variance	43.5	127.5	5.5	0.0	7.5	0.0	0.0	184.0
Cost Variance	4.0	Δ1.5	1.5	31.5	1.5	Δ30.0	8.0	15.0
vc	0.0	0.0	0.5	18.5	1.0	0.0	0.0	20.0
FC	4.0	Δ1.5	1.0	13.0	0.5	Δ30.0	8.0	Δ5.0
Shipping Volume Variance	6.2	26.0	Δ3.1	12.8	Δ0.5	27.0	1.0	69.3
Total	12.7	25.0	Δ0.1	4.3	1.5	Δ3.0	9.0	49.3

Elements of Major Costs

	FY2008	FY2009	Difference
Labor Costs	229.5	242.9	13.4
Maintenance Costs	52.5	48.8	Δ3.7
Depreciation and Amortization	140.7	116.1	Δ24.6
Research & Development Expenses	131.1	117.3	Δ13.8
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Capital Expenditures	134.1	103.2	Δ30.9
Number of employees (at March 31)	26,902	27,828	926

Extraordinary Gains / Losses

	FY2008	FY2009	Difference
Gain on sales of investment securities	0.9	9.5	8.6
Gain on sales of property, plant and equipment	1.0	1.1	0.1
Gain on contribution of securities to retirement benefit trust	14.8	-	Δ14.8
Reversal of provision for loss on litigation	1.1	-	Δ1.1
Extraordinary Gains	17.7	10.6	Δ7.1
Restructuring charges	8.8	2.7	Δ6.1
Compensation for revision of personnel system	-	1.6	1.6
Impairment loss on fixed assets	20.8	-	Δ20.8
Loss on valuation of investment securities	4.1	-	Δ4.1
Extraordinary Losses	33.8	4.2	Δ29.5
Extraordinary Gains / Losses	Δ16.1	6.3	22.5

Consolidated Balance Sheets

	31-Mar-09	31-Mar-10		31-Mar-09	31-Mar-10
Current Assets	838.1	1,013.5	Liabilities	1,246.9	1,562.5
Cash and cash equivalents	85.8	120.7	Trade notes and accounts	151.5	214.6
Trade notes and accounts	294.3	382.5	Short-term debt	277.3	349.5
Inventories	335.7	355.7	Long-term debt due within one year	41.2	55.7
Others	122.3	154.7	Long-term debt due after	476.9	592.8
Non-current Assets	1,184.4	1,370.4	Others	300.0	349.9
Property, plant and equipment	567.8	581.8	Net Assets	775.6	821.4
Intangible assets	63.4	249.7	Shareholders' equity	592.1	601.5
Investment securities	384.6	394.5	Valuation and translation adjustments	Δ47.8	Δ26.2
Others	168.6	144.3	Minority interests	231.3	246.1
Total	2,022.6	2,383.9	Total	2,022.6	2,383.9

Interest-bearing debt	795.4	997.9
balance	795.4	997.9

Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

	FY2008	FY2009	Difference
Cash flows from operating activities	78.4	132.9	54.4
Cash flows from investing activities	Δ206.2	Δ269.4	Δ63.2
Free cash flows	Δ127.8	Δ136.5	Δ8.7
Cash flows from financing activities	112.5	168.7	56.2
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	Δ6.3	1.2	7.6
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	Δ21.6	33.4	55.0
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	85.8	120.7	34.9

Major Subsidiaries

Company	Net S	Sales	Operating Income	
Company	FY2008	FY2009	Status	
The Polyolefin Company (Singapore)	126.9	90.6	Increased because of improved margins, inventory valuation gains and stronger shipments.	
Petrochemical Corporation of Singapore	306.4	205.0	Increased because of stronger shipments and improved margins resulting from lower feedstock prices.	
Dongwoo Fine-Chem	180.2	142.4	Decreased because increased shipments were insufficient to offset lower selling prices.	
Valent U.S.A. and Subsidiaries	42.7	42.6	Increased because of strong shipments. (Value of sales decreased in yen terms because of appreciation of the yen.)	

2. Outlook for FY2010

Financial Summary

	FY2009	FY2010 (estimated)	Difference	Growth
Net Sales	1,620.9	2,000.0	379.1	23.4%
Operating Income	51.5	35.0	Δ16.5	Δ32.0%
(Equity in earnings of affiliates, included in ordinary income)	(Δ7.0)	(16.0)	(23.0)	-
Ordinary Income	35.0	35.0	0.0	0.1%
Net Income	14.7	25.0	10.3	69.8%
ROE	2.6%	4.3%		
Naphtha Price (yen/KL)	41,200	50,000		
Exchange Rate (yen/US\$)	92.89	90.00		

Net Sales by Business Segments

	FY2009	FY2010 (estimated)	Difference	Growth	Sales Price Variance	Shipping Volume Variance
Basic Chemicals	203.3	235.0	31.7	15.6%	14.5	17.2
Petrochemicals	481.5	700.0	218.5	45.4%	88.0	130.5
Fine Chemicals	67.6	95.0	27.4	40.6%	0.0	27.4
IT-related Chemicals	265.2	315.0	49.8	18.8%	Δ29.0	78.8
Agricultural Chemicals	211.5	220.0	8.5	4.0%	Δ2.0	10.5
Pharmaceuticals	267.5	345.0	77.5	29.0%	Δ15.0	92.5
Others	124.3	90.0	Δ34.3	Δ27.6%	0.0	Δ34.3
Total	1,620.9	2,000.0	379.1	23.4%	56.5	322.6

Results of Operations by Business Segments

		Basic Chemicals	Petro- chemicals	Fine Chemicals	IT-related Chemicals	Agricultural Chemicals	Pharma- ceuticals	Others	Corporate	Total
O	perating Income									
	FY2009	Δ2.7	Δ5.3	1.5	3.3	25.9	29.3	Δ0.5	Δ0.2	51.5
	FY2010(estimated)	4.0	9.0	2.5	18.5	24.0	0.0	1.0	Δ24.0	35.0
Di	fference	6.7	14.3	1.0	15.2	Δ1.9	Δ29.3	1.5	Δ23.8	Δ16.5
Pr	ice Variance	1.0	5.0	Δ1.0	Δ29.0	∆4.5	Δ15.0	0.0	0.0	Δ43.5
	Sales Price Variance	14.5	88.0	0.0	Δ29.0	Δ2.0	Δ15.0	0.0	0.0	56.5
	Purchase Price Variance	Δ13.5	Δ83.0	Δ1.0	0.0	Δ2.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	Δ100.0
Co	ost Variance	2.0	5.5	Δ1.5	27.0	Δ4.5	Δ93.0	6.5	Δ24.0	Δ82.0
	vc	0.0	0.0	0.5	21.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	22.0
	FC	2.0	5.5	Δ2.0	6.0	Δ5.0	Δ93.0	6.5	Δ24.0	Δ104.0
	nipping Volume Iriance	3.7	3.8	3.5	17.2	7.1	78.7	Δ5.0	0.2	109.0
T	otal	6.7	14.3	1.0	15.2	Δ1.9	Δ29.3	1.5	Δ23.8	Δ16.5
lm	pact of revision	4.0	5.1	2.1	3.0	3.3	0.5	7.2	Δ25.2	0.0
CI	nange before revision	2.7	9.2	Δ1.1	12.2	Δ5.2	Δ29.8	Δ5.7	1.4	Δ16.5

^{*} Management accounting system and other were revised at the start of FY2010.

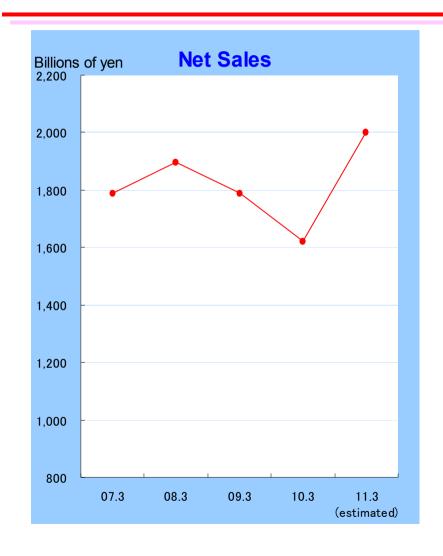
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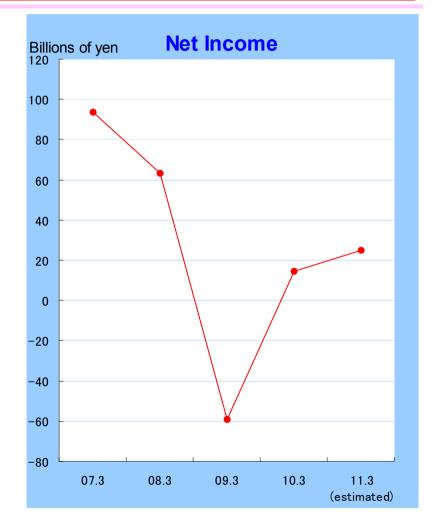
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	FY2009	FY2010 (estimated)	Difference
Labor Costs	242.9	273.0	30.1
Maintenance Costs	48.8	51.0	2.2
Depreciation and Amortization	116.1	152.0	35.9
Research & Development Expenses	117.3	137.5	20.2
Capital Expenditures	103.2	116.0	12.8
Number of employees (at March 31)	27,828	29,000	1,172

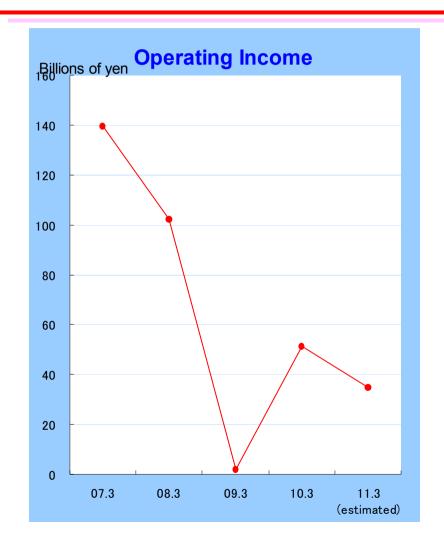
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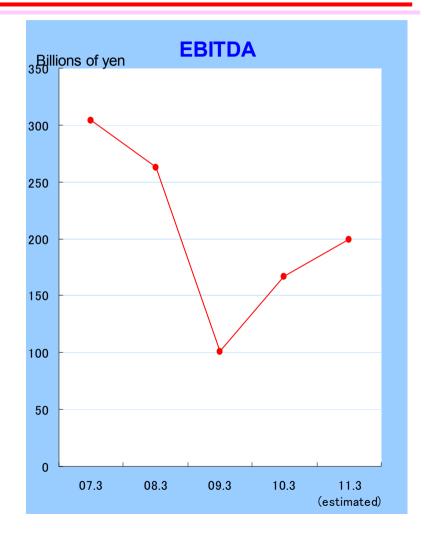
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FY2009	FY2010 (estimated)	Difference
132.9	120.0	Δ12.9
Δ269.4	Δ180.0	89.4
Δ136.5	Δ60.0	76.5
168.7	60.0	Δ108.7
1.2	-	Δ1.2
33.4	-	Δ33.4
997.9	1,080.0	82.1
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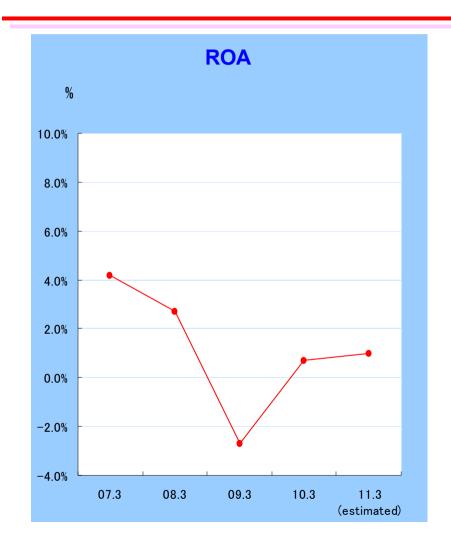
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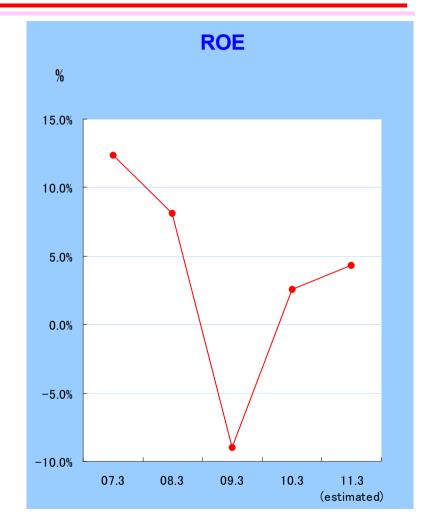


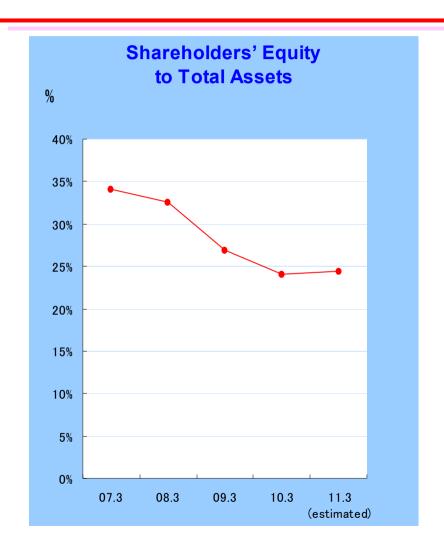


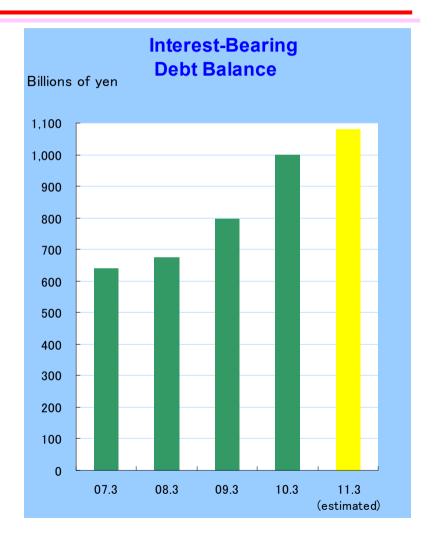












(Reference; Segment Information)

Capital Expenditures by Business Segments

	FY2008	FY2009	Difference
Basic Chemicals	14.7	12.4	Δ2.3
Petrochemicals	17.6	14.4	Δ3.2
Fine Chemicals	7.7	14.3	6.6
IT-related Chemicals	50.6	11.5	Δ39.1
Agricultural Chemicals	11.3	23.2	11.9
Pharmaceuticals	12.7	7.8	Δ4.8
Others	19.6	19.7	0.2
Total	134.1	103.2	Δ30.9

Depreciation and Amortization by Business Segments

	FY2008	FY2009	Difference
Basic Chemicals	17.2	14.2	Δ3.0
Petrochemicals	20.9	19.4	Δ1.6
Fine Chemicals	6.3	6.0	Δ0.3
IT-related Chemicals	39.8	23.2	Δ16.7
Agricultural Chemicals	13.1	12.6	Δ0.5
Pharmaceuticals	14.5	21.2	6.7
Others	29.0	19.7	Δ9.3
Total	140.7	116.1	Δ24.6

Research & Development Expenses by Business Segments

Unit; billions of yen

	FY2008	FY2009	Difference
Basic Chemicals	6.4	5.8	Δ0.6
Petrochemicals	12.0	11.4	Δ0.7
Fine Chemicals	4.2	4.3	0.0
IT-related Chemicals	21.2	13.0	Δ8.2
Agricultural Chemicals	20.7	19.5	Δ1.3
Pharmaceuticals	55.0	55.6	0.6
Others	11.6	7.9	Δ3.7
Total	131.1	117.3	Δ13.8

Corporate R&D expenses are allocated to each business segment.

Estimated Capital Expenditures by Business Segments

	FY2009	FY2010 (estimated)	Difference
Basic Chemicals	12.4	17.5	5.1
Petrochemicals	14.4	13.0	Δ1.4
Fine Chemicals	14.3	6.5	Δ7.8
IT-related Chemicals	11.5	37.0	25.5
Agricultural Chemicals	23.2	13.0	Δ10.2
Pharmaceuticals	7.8	13.0	5.2
Others	19.7	16.0	Δ3.7
Total	103.2	116.0	12.8

Estimated Depreciation and Amortization by Business Segments

	FY2009	FY2010 (estimated)	Difference
Basic Chemicals	14.2	15.5	1.3
Petrochemicals	19.4	19.0	Δ0.4
Fine Chemicals	6.0	11.0	5.0
IT-related Chemicals	23.2	20.5	Δ2.7
Agricultural Chemicals	12.6	18.0	5.4
Pharmaceuticals	21.2	49.5	28.3
Others	19.7	18.5	Δ1.2
Total	116.1	152.0	35.9

Estimated Research & Development Expenses by Business Segments

	FY2009	FY2010 (estimated)	Difference
Basic Chemicals	5.8	3.5	Δ2.3
Petrochemicals	11.4	8.0	Δ3.4
Fine Chemicals	4.3	4.5	0.2
IT-related Chemicals	13.0	11.0	Δ2.0
Agricultural Chemicals	19.5	19.5	0.0
Pharmaceuticals	55.6	70.5	14.9
Others	7.9	20.5	12.6
Total	117.3	137.5	20.2

^{*} Corporate R&D expenses are allocated to each business segment for FY2009, and are included in "Others" from the start of FY2010.