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Outline of Financial Results for the Six Months ended September 30,2025

• During the six months of this consolidated fiscal year, net sales increased by 2% YoY, to 1,279.1 billion yen, because transaction volume mainly represented by Metal Recycling business and Overseas Sales Subsidiaries increased. Operating profit decreased by 4% YoY, to 27.7 billion yen, due to increased personnel expenses caused by employee increase and higher salaries. Also, ordinary profit decreased by 15% YoY, to 23.8 billion yen, because share of profit of entities accounted for using equity method in the Primary Metals business turned negative. Net profit attributable to owners of the parent decreased by 17% YoY, to 16.7 billion yen.

We plan to pay 250 yen as the annual (125 yen as the interim and 125 yen as the year-end) dividend.

	Six months ended	Six months ended Sep. FY2025	YoY			
Operating Results	Sep. FY2024		Change	Rate	Main Factors	
Net sales	1,258.6	1,279.1	20.4	2%	(Net sales)	
Gross profit	65.9	67.5	1.5	2%	Net sales increased by 2% YoY, to 1,279.1 billion yen, because transaction volume mainly represented by Metal Recycling business and Overseas Sales	
SG&A expenses	37.0	39.8	2.7	7%	Subsidiaries increased. (SG&A expenses)	
Operating profit	28.8	27.7	(1.1)	(4%)	SG&A expenses increased by 2.7 billion yen YoY, with 0.7 billion yen of this figure deriving from newly consolidated subsidiaries. Cost of labor increased by	
Non-operating income	6.1	4.3	(1.8)	(30%)	1.6 billion yen YoY, with 0.4 billion yen of this figure deriving from newly consolidated subsidiaries.	
Non-operating expenses	6.9	8.2	1.2	19%	(Non-operating income/expenses)	
Ordinary profit	28.1	23.8	(4.2)	(15%)	Non-operating income decreased by 1.8 billion yen and non-operating expenses increased by 1.2 billion yen. The main impacts on ordinary income were as	
Extraordinary income	1.8	0.1	(1.7)	(93%)	follows. Dividend income: decrease of 0.8 billion yen YoY	
Extraordinary losses	_	0.1	0.1	_	Interest expenses: decrease of 0.7 billion yen YoY Share of loss of entities accounted for using equity method:	
Profit before income taxes	30.0	23.7	(6.2)	(21%)	increased by 3.9. billion yen YoY (Extraordinary income/losses)	
Income taxes	9.5	7.6	(1.8)	(19%)	Gain on sale of investment securities: decreased by 1.4 billion yen YoY Gain on sale of investments in capital of subsidiaries and associates: decreased	
Profit	20.4	16.0	(4.4)	(21%)	by 0.3 billion yen YoY	
Owners of the parent	20.2	16.7	(3.4)	(17%)	Loss on sale of investment securities : 0.1 billion yen YoY	
Non-controlling interests	0.2	(0.6)	(0.9)	_		
EPS (yen)	499.97	417.90	(82.07)	(16%)		
Comprehensive income	18.6	14.9	(3.6)	(20%)		
	Net	sales	Segment profit			

Segment Information		Net sales			Segment profit				
		Six months ended Sep. FY2024	Six months ended Sep. FY2025	Rate	Six months ended Sep. FY2024	Six months ended Sep. FY2025	Rate	Main Factors	
	Steel	583.9	540.6	(7%)	14.1	16.9	20%	(Steel) Net sales decreased, because prices of steel products and transaction volume of steel plates decreased.	
	Primary Metal	99.7	109.0	9%	3.4	(1.2)	_	On the other hand, segment profit increased, because business in the construction sector remained steady and profitability improved in some overseas subsidiaries. (Primary Metal)	
	Metal Recycling	109.1	127.4	17%	1.4	0.2	(83%)	Net sales increased, due to the steady sales of auxiliary materials. On the other hand, segment profit decreased, because share of profit of entities	
	Foods	65.8	71.5	9%	0.8	1.8	128%	accounted for using equity method from SAMANCOR CHROME HOLDINGS PROPRIETARY LTD. turned negative. (Metal Recycling)	
	Energy& Living Materials	184.5	185.9	1%	5.1	3.9	(23%)	Net sales increased, because transaction volume of lead ores increased. On the other hand, segment profit decreased due to the deterioration in the profitability of aluminum and copper.	
	Overseas sales subsidiaries	205.9	245.3	19%	3.7	3.3	(10%)	(Foods) Net sales and segment profit increased due to the sales growth to food service industry	
Tota	al for reportable segments	1,249.2	1,279.9	2%	28.7	25.1	(13%)	in an US subsidiary and the contribution from the newly included subsidiary. (Energy & Living Materials) Net sales increased, due to the result of sales of wood pellets and PKS(Palm Kernel	
	Other	65.4	63.1	(3%)	1.0	1.0	(2%)	Shell). On the other hand, segment profit decreased, because the range of fuel price fluctuations was narrowed.	
	Total	1,314.6	1,343.1	2%	29.8	26.1	(12%)	(Overseas Sales Subsidiaries) Net sales increased, due to the increase of scrap transaction to Southeast asia and the	
	Adjustment	(55.9)	(64.0)	14%	(1.6)	(2.3)	38%	newly consolidation of companies. On the other hand, segment profit decreased due to the deterioration mainly in the profitability of steel products.	

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Acquired 100% of the shares of HKG TRADING CO., LTD., (formerly KANEMATSU TRADING CORP.) and made it as a subsidiary of the Company. Also, made 4 subsidiaries (KYOWA STEEL CO., LTD., EIWA METAL CO., LTD., KENKOSHA CO., LTD., KYOWA UNYU INC.) of this company as subsidiaries of the Company.

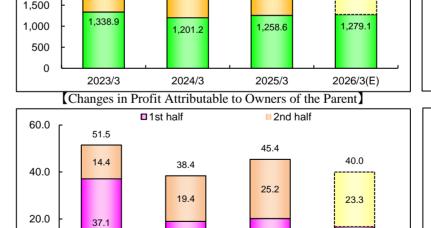
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(Japan GAAP)

Financial Position	Mar. 2025	Sep. 2025	Comparison with Mar. 2 Change Rate		(Unit: billion yen, rounded down to 0.1 billions Main Factors	
Total assets	1,165.8	1,128.7	(37.0)	(3%)	(Total Assets) Total assets decreased by 3% from the end of the previous fiscal year, mainly	
(Current assets) (Fixed assets)	903.7 262.1	877.1 251.6	(26.5) (10.4)	(3%) (4%)	due to the decrease in inventories and trade receivables.	
Total liabilities	776.3	732.7	(43.5)	(6%)	(Liabilities) Liabilities decreased by 6% from the end of the previous fiscal year, mainly	
(Interest-bearing debt)	382.3	361.6	(20.6)	(5%)	due to the decrease in short-term borrowings and trade payables. As interest- bearing debt decreased by 5%, net debt-equity ratio was turned into 73%	
(Net interest-bearing debt) Net DER	317.0 83%/72*%	283.6 73%/62*%	(33.4) (10pt)	(11%) —	(*62%).	
Total net assets	389.4	396.0	6.5	2%	(Net assets)	
(Shareholders' equity) (Accumulated other comprehensive income) (Non-controlling interests)	339.6 43.3 6.4	348.1 42.5 5.2	8.5 (0.7) (1.1)	3% (2%) (18%)	Total net assets increased by 2% from the end of the previous fiscal year due to accumulation of retained earnings from net income attributable to owners of parent as well as the increase in valuation difference on available-for-sale securities. Equity-to-asset ratio was 34.6% (*36.8%), which is 1.7 points high	
BPS (yen)	9,485.64	9,844.54	358.90	4%	than at the end of the previous fiscal year.	
Equity capital	383.0	390.7	7.7	2%	*Reflecting equity credit attributes of the subordinated loan	
Equity-to-asset ratio	32.9/35.0*%	34.6/36.8*%	1.7pt	_		
Cash Flow Six months ended Sep. FY2024		Six months ended Sep. FY2025	YoY	Rate	Main Factors	
Cash flows from operating activities	(4.3)	39.0	43.4	_	(Operating cash flows) Due mainly to the decrease in inventories, trade receivables and contract asset.	
Cash flows from investing activities	(23.9)	(3.0)	20.9	(87%)	(Investment cash flows) Due mainly to payments for the acquisition of investment securities and sh term loans receivable.	
Cash flows from financing activities	8.8	(28.1)	(36.9)	_		
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	56.8	77.9	21.0	37%	(Financial cash flows) Due mainly to repayments of borrowings.	
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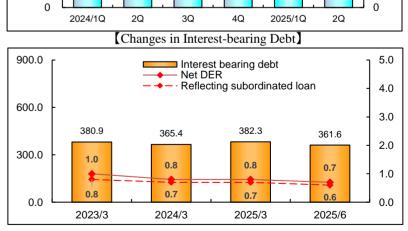
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Forecast (Annual)	FY2024	FY2025 (estimated)	change	
Net sales	2,554.5	2,600.0	2%	
Operating income	61.5	55.0	(11%)	
Ordinary income	59.7	55.0	(8%)	
Net income attributable to owners of parent	45.4	40.0	(12%)	

Cash Dividends	FY2023	FY2024	FY2025 (estimated)
Interim (yen)	85.00	105.00	125.00
Year-end (yen)	100.00	120.00	125.00
Annual (yen)	185.00	225.00	250.00
DOE*	2.7%	3.0%	3.0%

* DOE (Dividend on equity ratio) = Total dividend / Beginning total shareholders' equ