Financial Results for the Six Months Ended September 30,2023



FP Corporation November 1, 2023

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Financial Results for the Six Months Ended September 30, 2023

Executive Vice President and Director, Executive General Manager of Finance and Accounting Division Isao Ikegami

Financial Results Summary

(For the Six Months Ended September 30, 2023)

	1 st half Performance				1 st half p	1 st half projections			rojectio					
	FY ended Marc	h 2023		FY end	ing March 2024			FY ending	March 202	4	FY ending	March 202	24	Record high
Unit: million yen	Performance	Percentage	Performance	Percentage	Increase/ decrease	Year-on -year	Quantity	Planned	Percentage	Progress rate	Planned	Percentage	Progress rate	
Trays	19,785	19.3	20,640	19.0	+854	104.3%	98.3%	21,500	19.5	96.0%	43,600	19.7	47.3%	Hignest sales ever for
Lunchboxes and prepared food	58,691	57.2	62,860	57.8	+4,169	107.1%	99.0%	64,100	58.3	<i>98.1%</i>	128,000	57.8	49.1%	9 consecutive years
Subtotal	78,477	76.5	83,501	76.8	+5,024	106.4%	98.8%	85,600	77.8	97.5%	171,600	77.5	48.7%	
Other products	1,964	1.9	1,980	1.8	+15	100.8%		1,950	1.8	101.6%	3,900	1.8	50.8%	
Sales of products	80,442	78.4	85,482	78.6	+5,040	106.3%		87,550	79.6	97.6%	175,500	79.3	48.7%	
packaging materials	21,127	20.6	22,014	20.2	+886	104.2%		21,450	19.5	102.6%	43,700	19.7	50.4%	
Other goods	992	1.0	1,229	1.1	+237	123.9%		1,000	0.9	123.0%	2,100	0.9	58.6%	
Sales of goods	22,119	21.6	23,244	21.4	+1,124	105.1%		22,450	20.4	103.5%	45,800	20.7	50.8%	
Net Sales	102,562	100.0	108,726	100.0	+6,164	106.0%		110,000	100.0	98.8%	221,300	100.0	49.1%	
Operating profit	6,072	5.9	6,981	6.4	+909	115.0%		6,250	5.7	111.7%	17,350	7.8	40.2%	
Ordinary profit	6,409	6.2	7,235	6.7	+825	112.9%		6,600	6.0	109.6%	18,000	8.1	40.2%	
Profit attribute to owners of parent	4,131	4.0	5,122	4.7	+991	124.0%		4,345	4.0	117.9%	11,808	5.3	43.4%	
Ordinary profit before depreciation	13,437		14,816		+1,378	110.3%		14,180		104.5%	33,200		44.6%	

<u> ♦ Sales</u>

Products

- Sales of high value-added products for eco-friendly products and prepared food as well as were strong
- Increased sales effect of the second product price revisions (announced in April 2022)
- Strong sales of high value-added products such as eco-friendly products and products for prepared foods
- Quantity of 1st half results : 98.8% (September: 100.6%)

Goods

- Penetration of revised prices
- Proposal for efficiency improvement using the FPCO Group's infrastructure
- Expansion of sales channels through Pack Market, an e-commerce site



♦ Product sales composition

	1Q results	2Q results	1 st half results	2 nd half plan	Full year plan (original)
ales of roducts	108.7%	104.0%	106.3%	102.7%	105.7%
Quantity	98.4%	99.2%	98.8%	104.0%	102.5%
Drdinary rofit	109.1%	116.2%	112.9%	104.4%	103.9%
)rdinary rofit ratio	6.1%	7.2%	6.7%	10.2%	8.1%

<u>♦Year-on-year</u>

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Results for Increase/Decrease in Ordinary Profit (For the Six Months Ended September 30, 2023)



Outlook for Increase/Decrease in Ordinary Profit

Outlook (Oct.30)



Full year outlook 18.00

Capital Investments and R&D Costs

(Result for the Six Months Ended September 30, 2023)

	1 st half performance					1 st half proj	ections	Full year projections	
	FY ended March 2023		FY en	FY ending March 2024			arch 2024	FY ending March 2024	
Unit: million yen	Performance		Performance	Increase / decrease	Year-on-year	Planned	Progress rate	Planned	Progress rate
Tangible fixed assets	20,593		3,305	-17,287	16.1%	5,000	66.1%	12,500	26.4%
Intangible fixed assets	le fixed assets 276		174	-101	63.2%	200	87.2%	500	34.9%
Capital investments 20,869			3,479	-17,389	16.7%	5,200	66.9%	13,000	26.8%
Depreciation	7,027		7,580	+552	107.9%	7,580	100.0%	15,200	49.9%
Research and development costs	613		640	+26	104.3%	744	86.1%	1,506	42.5%

Discrepancies in timing of acceptance inspection

Major Capital Investments	Unit: million yen				♦Ind	Δ Index	
Investment in original products: Improving production capacity and quality of Eco APET produc	: <u>ts</u>	Total investment	Plan in period	1 st half performance	Ord	inary profit	
• Eco APET materials:Increase in the productivity (Kanto, O	Chubu)	547	547	160			
 Eco APET materials:Reinforcement of the production cap 	acity	455	455	10			
 (Nishinihon PET-Bottle recycle Co., Ltd.) Eco APET products:Reinforcement of the production capa Investment corresponding to expansion of the sales quantity: 	ıcity	240	240	68	9.0	12.5 12.4	
 Introduction of automation facilities 	<u>g environment</u>		294	64	'10/3	'11/3 '12/3	
 Reinforcement of the production capacity of Conventional material products 		1,777	1,579	489		Vorld's first materia developed	
♦ Kansai Sorting Plant To b	e completed in Sep. 2024	944	391	30			
 Enhancement of Group companies' production sites 							
Expansion of cardboard factory To b	e completed in Aug. 2024	3,527	986	207			
◆ Molds			1,785	778			
♦ IT investments			720	249	/		



Balance Sheet

(Result for the Six Months Ended September 30, 2023)

	Previous consolidated fiscal year FY ended March 2023 As of March 21 2023	1 As of Sentember 30 2024	st half of Increase/	the con FY endir Year-on-	nsolidated fiscal year ng March 2024 Breakdown of	
Unit: million y en	As of Mach 31,2023	As of September 30,2024	decrease	year	main increases and decreases	
Current assets	101,413	104,866	+3,453	103.4%	Notes and accounts receivable-trade	+5,891
Noncurrent assets	197,210	195,160	-2,049	99.0%	Buildings and structures, net Machinery, equipment and vehicles, net Goodwill	-2,465 -1,879 +1,507
Total assets	298,623	300,027	+ 1,403	100.5%		
Current liabilities	83,883	86,616	+2,732	103.3%	Notes and accounts payable-trade	+3,948
Noncurrent liabilities	74,568	69,876	-4,692	93.7%	Long-term loans payable	-4,782
Total liabilities	158,452	156,492	-1,959	98.8%		
Net assets	140,171	143,534	+3,363	102.4%	Retained earnings	+3,035
Total liabilities and net assets	298,623	300,027	+ 1,403	100.5%		

Equity ratio

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- Assets Strategic investments for boosting the production capacity of original products and ensuring stable supply Utilization of infrastructure to propose efficiency improvements to business partners
- Liabilities Utilization of borrowing as capital for strategic investment
- Net assets Strengthening of the management structure Preparation for expanding business flexibly



Total assets

Cash Flows

(Result for the Six Months Ended September 30, 2023)

	Results for 1 st half			
Unit: million yen	FY ended March 2023 Performance	Performance	FY ending March 2024 Breakdown of main items	
CF from operating activities	6,785	14,021	Profit before income taxes Depreciation Decrease (increase) in notes and accounts receivable - trade Increase (decrease) in notes and accounts payable - trade	7,509 7,580 -5,877 2,732
CF from investing activities	-19,615	-6,912	Purchase of property, plant and equipment	-7,064
Free cash flows	-12,829	7,109		
CF from financing activities	22,468	-7,162	Proceeds from long-term loans payable Repayment of long-term loans payable Repayments of lease obligations Cash dividends paid	3,000 -7,441 -600 -2,086
Net increase(decrease)in cash and cash equivalents	9,638	-52		
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	29,383	22,202		

- CF from operating activities Ensuring profit by selling original products and streamlining efforts
- CF from investing activities

Strategic investment to construct the bases to make a profit for future M&A to expand products and services and leverage logistics infrastructure

■ CF from financing activities

Continuously stable dividend

Consider agile and flexible returns, taking into account financial soundness, strategic investments, stock price levels, etc.



The indicated dividend amount is based on the assumption that the stock split was implemented at the beginning of the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015

To Increase Corporate Value

Chairman, Representative Director and Group Representative Morimasa Sato



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Market Conditions



Trends in the Retail Market

Source: Japan Supermarkets Association (year-on-year changes in sales at existing stores) Source: Japan Franchise Association (year-on-year changes in sales at existing stores)



Soaring Raw Material Prices



Price Revision

FY ended March 2022		FY ended March 2023					
3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q	3Q			



Announced 28 Apr. 2022

15% or more from 1st Jun. shipment.

Soaring Electricity Prices



Change in Product Sales Volume



Restrictions on activities due to Covid-19

Initiatives for Process Centers (PC) and Central Kitchens (CK)



Lower Operation Costs for Users



Reducing Plastic Usage



Reducing Payment of Contract Fees under the Containers and Packaging Recycling Law



Reducing the contract fee based on the Containers and Packaging Recycling Law by reducing weight

Use of approx. 1.08 million items results in:

Reduction of 870,000 yen every year



* Estimation based on a simplified calculation method applied to a retailer

* Case of Company A in Chugoku/Shikoku

Expansion of Frozen Food Market

Many users are beginning pilot experiments

Four possibilities expected from frozen products

Operational transformation

Sales floor preparations are completed in time for store opening



Opportunity loss, disposal loss, etc.



Seasonal food at anytime

Lock the good flavor of seasonal food and let people enjoy the taste at anytime

Extra outside store sales



Secure sales after closing time



Frozen Food Packaging Materials: Standardized Products Enable Immediate Start

	Eco OPET	Multi FP	Cold-resistant PPi-talc
Optimal Mater	Cold resistance Resistant to breakage even in frozen environments Environmental considerations Eco Mark and "Recycled from PET bottles" engraved on products	Cold and heat resistance Endures temperatures between -40°C and +110°C Thermally insulating The container is not hot even immediately after the food is heated.	StrengthEquivalent to cold-resistant PPEnvironmental considerationsUse of less plastic than cold-resistant PP
ia s			
Opti	Launch of standard three-s	ide sealed bags	Top seal packaging





7 sizes



Flat-shaped containers

Bucket compatibility

Frozen Prepared Food: Development at Supermarkets Started One after Another



Expansion of Home Meal Replacement Market

Source: Japan Ready made Meal Association "Ready made Meal White Paper 2023"



Expansion of New Sales Channels

E-commerce site offering packaging materials PackMarket



July 2022: FPCO Trading and FPCO Miyako Himo Merger



Eco-Friendly Strategies



FPCO Method of Recycling

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Sales of Eco-friendly Products





Collection of Plastic Resources





Measures against Climate Change by Reducing CO₂ Emissions Using Eco Products





Examples of Posters Displayed at Supermarkets



Posters displayed by the Aeon Group **Posters** FY ended Feb. 2023 FY ended Feb. 2016 トングルー displayed at イオングルーフェ 容さまとともに 274 Approx. 6,690 CO₂ emissions reduced by approx. 5,194 tons in 7 years stores across Japan (As of Sep, 2023) レレー回収へのご思力、いつも、ありがとうございます。 いつも回動開発にご目力算きありがとうこざいます。 AON MANAGER いつもトレー回収にご協力下さり OFFICE DECOMPTING AND ADDRESS 際にありがとうこがいます COMMERTER CO2削減に貢献する CO2削減に貢献する CO。削減に貢献する CO2削減に貢献する 岩田のご協力によりCO2を エコトレイを使用しています。 エコトレーを使用しています は皆確のおかげで コトレーキ使用しています CO2 9285tat mines Se 🗠 🗂 -----#1,489 CO2削減に貢献する エコトレーを使用しています。 督振のご協力によりCO26 CO-Mincourte CO2前派にのまする エコトレーをまたしています。 CO2削減に貢献する エコトレー・を使用しています。 CO₂削減に貢献する 約9801のCO。削減 約-281のCO.前 エコトレーを通じています L ジ は L ジ は L ITTE CO. HIDENBERG 841CL.C. たの レジロ at #300+9. LOB#35765 106万枚分 1.046万枚分 IJAL- CERLINET

Increasing CO₂ Reduction Effect through Solar Power Generation







Trays and PET bottles used at a store are collected at the same store as resources, recycled into food trays and transparent containers, and used again by the same store actively.



Strengthening Resource Recovery by Users



Company environmental policies (excerpt)

2023 Target

1,600 t

Amount collected

(Trays and PET bottle)

2021 Result

538 t

Kanto Company A	Foamed PS tray collection amount: 10 times more per store compared to FY2020
Kanto Company B	Strengthening of resource recycling: Started collection of transparent trays, strengthened PET bottle collection
Tohoku Company C	As a business responsibility, we aim to collect 100% of containers and packaging.
Chugoku Company D	To increase the amount of collected food trays by 50% compared to FY2019

Reduction of CO₂ emissions

2023 Target

1,000 t

achieved through the use

of eco products

2021 Result

902 t

Joint Press Conference with CHUGOKU CGC CO., LTD.

(15 companies, 249 stores) Held on November 29, 2022 Released on October 30, 2023

Collaboration with EVERY CO., LTD. begun for promoting closed loop recycling

('24/6 target)

Volume of used trays collected

 $142 t \rightarrow 150 t$

Volume of PET bottles collected

266 t
$$\rightarrow$$
 300 t

Reduction of CO₂ emissions achieved through the use of eco products

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691 t \rightarrow 750 t
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Results at FRESTA CO.,LTD., a Member of CHUGOKU CGC CO.,LTD.





The Total Number of Visitors to the Recycling Plants Exceeded 500,000



Towards Complete Recycling of Polystyrene





Material recyclingDissolution and separation recycling
(2024 target)ChemicProcess up to regeneration
is simple and energy
footprint is low✓Removing the color of ink from black
pellets (ink removal method)✓High der
✓✓Same low environmental impact as✓Energy
chemical

 \checkmark

✓ Same low environmental impact as material recycling

Chemical recycling (2026 target)

- ✓ High decontamination capacity
- ✓ Energy load is low since polystyrene is chemically recycled back to styrene monomer

Diversification of Materials (1): Biomass plastic products



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Diversification of Materials (2): Paper products





Diversity Management Making Maximal Use of Capabilities





Special subsidiary (FPCO Ducks Co.) and business locations providing Type-A Support for Cont Employment (FPCO Ai Pack Co.)

In the FPCO Group as of March 2023

Number of employees with disabilities

Adjusted number of employees with disabilities

Ratio of employees with disabilities

365

620.5

12.5%

Evaluation concerning employment of workers with disabilities

- January 2019 Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare
 FY2018 People with Disabilities Active Company Certification(FPCO Ducks Corporation)
- September 2023
 Toyo Keizai Inc.
 Ranked 2nd in ratio of employees with disabilities
- June 2022

Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare

Certification of outstanding small- and medium-sized businesses concerning efforts to hire more people with disabilities ("MONISU" certification) (FPCO Ducks Corporation)



Support for Customers in their Employment of People with Disabilities



With FPCO's support, employment was created for

760 people at 52 locations mainly at customers' workplaces



Cleaning containers



Washing towels

Sorting marine products

Reducing the volume of used paper







FP Corp. Environment Fund

The FP Corp. Environment Fund



1990 The FPCO method of recycling starts.Mar. 2020 The FP Corp. Environment Fund is established. The Group begins to subsidize organizations which act

to resolve future social issues.

Subsidization made in the past

FY ended March 2021: 10 organizations FY ended March 2022: 14 organizations FY ended March 2023: 14 organizations FY ending March 2024: 22 organizations



Activities of Organizations Subsidized (Some of the Activities) The FPCO Group also participated in these activities as volunteers.

Miyajima Network (Hiroshima prefecture)



Activities Maintaining the marine environment and protecting the ecosystem of Miyajima Island and the surrounding area

Shonan Cleanaid Forum (Kanagawa prefecture)



Activities Project to clean up beaches in Kanagawa .

ESG Assessments by External Rating Agencies (As of October 2023)



Strategic Investment Stable Supply



Strategic Investment



Annual investment of approx. 20.0 billion yen

Development of the world's first materials

- 2010: Launch of Multi FP products
 2012: Launch of Multi Solid products
 2012: Launch of Eco APET products
 2012: Launch of OPET products
 2012: Launch of New Transparent PP products
 2014: Launch of PPi-talc products
- 2022: Launch of cold-resistant PPitalc products

Enhancement of production and recycling

2012: Kanto Yachiyo Plant 2016: Chubu Eco PET Plant 2017: Kanto Eco PET Plant 2018: FPCO ALRight Plant 2018: FPCO Gravure Plant 2022: Chubu Plant I 2023: Kansai Plant

Enhancement of distribution network

- 2012: Chubu Picking Center
- 2014: Fukuyama Cross Dock Center
- 2014: Hachioji Distribution Center
- 2020: Kyushu Distribution Center expanded
- 2020: Fukuyama Hub Center expanded
- 2021: Chubu Cross Dock Center expanded
- 2023: Kansai Hub Center

Soaring cost of regular cargo services

Investment in human resources

- 2014: FPCO Research Center and Human Resources Development and Training Center
- 2018: Hiroshima Sales Office
- 2019: Headquarters of FPCO
- International Package Co., Ltd. PicoHouse dormitories for single employees (total number of units: 473)
- 2017: PicoHouse No.1 (150 units) PicoHouse No.2 (102 units) 2020: PicoHouse No.3 (63 units) PicoHouse No.4 (18 units) 2022: PicoHouse No.5 (140 units)

Expansion of the microwavable and frozen food markets





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8 DECENT WORK AND





Shorter shipping distances

Response to 2024 issues

(Driver shortages + upper limit on overtime work)

Reduced need-to-transfer goods between bases

Creating a more stable supply system

September 2022: Additional acquisition of a separate piece of land in the industrial park (Land acquisition value: 940 million yen, site area: 29,136.58 m²) September 2024: Plan to open a sorting plant for used containers

Nationwide Logistics Network





Supply Chain Management (SCM) System



Stable supply for supporting safe, secure dietary life

- ✓ A lineup of approx. 10,000 items
- Maintenance of an appropriate inventory level
 - Using AI to improve the precision and efficiency of sales forecasts

Stable Supply: Number of Cases of Stockout



Maintenance of an Appropriate Inventory Level with SCM



Actions for Suppressing Soaring Logistics Expenses

Ratio of private services s

September 2023





Initiatives to Improve Loading Efficiency

Steady efforts to load as many cases as possible







(4) Master registration and verification



(3) Post-loading check

Distribution Quality

Accuracy to deliver at the specified time







Asking drivers at reception

- Traffic and waiting conditions at the time of delivery
- Requests such as delivery routes

Reconsider delivery routes with team members

- Accompany delivery drivers and check status
- Consult with sales department

Reduced Complaints

(Shipping error, picking error, wrong delivery, and others)





Investment in Human Resources (1): Personnel and Labor Saving by Introducing Automation Equipment



Effects of automation

- ✓ Reducing labor for simply moving goods
- Lightening heavy work
- ✓ Reducing labor for frequent tasks

- Improvement of work environment
- ✓ Expansion of occupational domains
- Transfer of manpower to valueadded operations

Manufacturing division













Logistics division

- AGV (automated guided vehicle)
 33 units ('23/3)
- AGF (automated guided forklift)
 6 units ('23/3)
- Sorter Introduced at 5 centers



Investment in Human Resources (2): Development of Working Environment



PicoHouse dormitories for single employees



Group homes for people with disabilities



Promotion of active participation of female

- 1. Aim to increase the percentage of female in career-track positions to be hired to 30% or more from 2022 onward
- 2. Increasing the number of managers that are female to 50 or more (including 5 or more section managers or higher-ranked managers) by 2026
- 3. Increasing the percentage of childcare leave taken by eligible male employees to 50% or higher by the end of March 2025





Promotion of health and productivity management

March 2023

Selected under the Certified Health & Productivity Management Outstanding Organizations Recognition Program (large enterprise category) for two successive years



Investment in Human Resources (3): Improving the Treatment of Production and Logistics Division Personnel

8 DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH

FY ended March 2019

✓ Expansion of retirement benefit system

FY ended March 2021

✓ Improvement of salary levels (revision of late-night work allowances, etc.)

FY ending March 2024

Initiatives for attracting and retaining human resources

- Significant salary level revisions averaging 10.7%
- ✓ Increase in starting salary
- ✓ Increase in the number of holiday days

Turnover at manufacturing and logistics companies decreased by 38 persons.

('23/3: 128 persons --> '24/3: 90 persons) * Personal reasons only/ Results for the period from April to a payroll closing date in October

Better work-life balance

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Growth Strategy



Growth Strategy

Sales

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* Changed to the Accounting Standard for Revenue Recognition in FY ended Mar. 2022. Retrospectively applied for the fiscal year ending March 2021.

Continuing to improve the ability to propose solutions on sales floors and release original products and new products



* Changed to the Accounting Standard for Revenue Recognition in FY ended Mar. 2022. Retrospectively applied for FY ended Mar. 2021.

Expansion of eco-friendly products

- Social implementation of dissolution & separation recycling and chemical recycling
- Expanding the lineup of eco-friendly products by doubling recycled PS material
- ✓ A price structure that is resilient to fluctuations in material prices

Expanding sales of lightweight products

- ✓ New low-foamed PS sheet × Forming technology
- Expanding items with reduced plastic usage
- Reducing the amount of contract fees to be paid by users under the Containers and Packaging Recycling Law
- ✓ Increasing gross profit by controlling material costs

Investment to Make LSSPI an Equity-Method Affiliate

Company name	Lee Soon Seng Plastic Industries Sdn. Bhd.			
Business outline	Manufacture and sale of simplified food containers. Malaysia's largest company engaging in this business. Ref) Financial results of SCGM Bhd. for the fiscal year ended Apr. 30, 2022 Net sales: 8,740 million yen, Net profit: 948 million yenImage: Mathematical Content of the fiscal year ended Apr. 30, 2022 Net sales: 8,740 million yen, Net profit: 948 million yenImage: Mathematical Content of the fiscal year ended Apr. 30, 2022 Net sales: 8,740 million yen, Net profit: 948 million yenImage: Mathematical Content of the fiscal year ended Apr. 30, 2022 Net sales: 8,740 million yen, Net profit: 948 million yenImage: Mathematical Content of the fiscal year ended Apr. 30, 2022 Net sales: 8,740 million yen, Net profit: 948 million yenImage: Mathematical Content of the fiscal year PP (cup)Image: Mathematical Content of the fiscal year PP (cup)Image: Mathematical Content of the fiscal year PP (cup)Image: Mathematical Content of the fiscal year PET (cup)			
Number of employees	488 (As of September 2022)			
Acquisition price	Total acquisition price: Approx. 16.7 billion yen (FP Corporation: Approx. 6.7 billion yen)			
Shareholders (Shareholding ratio)	Mitsui & Co., Ltd.: 60% (Expertise in overseas business management and sales expansion) FP Corporation: 40% (Productivity improvement)			
Date of share acquisition	August 31, 2022			

Net sales of SCGM





Investment to Make LSSPI an Equity-Method Affiliate <Benefits>

Southeast Asia Population increase and economic growth		Expanding market of functional containers
Production at a single plant (Relocated to a new plant in 2)	019)	All things to manage are within sight
Plenty of space Existence of old productioan facilities		Productivity can be improved significantly by applying knowledge and expertise
Dispersed buyers (Up to 2% to 3%)		Low dependence on specific customers

State of LSSPI Initiatives

Step 1

Three-year plan:double productivity

- FPCO know-how speeds up molding operations
- Automation and labor saving

Step 2

Gaining overwhelming market share in Malaysia and Singapore

Step 3

Becoming a cornerstone in the Southeast Asian market, which is expected to expand further



Joined by APEX as a New Group Company (1)

Company name	APEX Corporation
Established	February 8, 1974
Representative	Shohei Murai, President Toru Kamezawa *Appointed on September 29, 2023 (Former director of FPCO International Package)
Business outline	Wholesale of various packaging materials, etc.



November 2018: Acquisition of shares Percentage of voting rights: 20% (Reorganized into an equity-method affiliate)

September 2023: Acquisition of additional shares Percentage of voting rights: 100% A dealer of food packaging materials with the second largest market share of containers in Kyushu

Entering a new stage as a member of the FPCO Group

Joined by APEX as a New Group Company (2)



Strengthening the competitiveness of APEX

by using the FPCO Group's infrastructure

Cash flows from operating activities at 23.6 billion yen /year

(in the last 8 years).



Details

(Unit: billion yen)

	3/2016	3/2017	3/2018	3/2019	3/2020	3/2021	3/2022	3/2023
Profit before income taxes	13.8	15.6	13.2	14.4	16.0	18.1	16.5	16.9
Depreciation	9.5	11.2	11.7	13.2	13.5	13.6	13.6	14.2
Decrease (increase) in notes and accounts receivable - trade and inventories	0.3	2.8	-7.9	-1.4	4.4	-2.1	-4.0	-8.6
Income taxes paid	-3.2	-5.4	-4.4	-3.7	-5.6	-5.1	-7.1	-4.4
Other, net	0.4	1.7	1.4	3.0	-0.5	7.3	4.1	2.0
Cash flows from operating activities	20.8	25.9	14.0	25.5	27.8	31.8	23.1	20.1

Financial Strategy

- Utilizing cash from operating activities for capital investments and M&A, which target future growth and stable supply, as well as for shareholder return
- Utilizing borrowings while considering financial safety

Cumulative totals for 3 years ('21/3 to '23/3)

Operating CF **75.0 billion yen**

Increase in net interestbearing debt 19.7 billion yen



Capital Investments and M&A

Capital investments and M&As in the last 3 years



Future direction

- Capital investments will be continued with an average annual amount of 20.0 billion yen.
- Dissolution & separation recycling and chemical recycling
 - > Expanding the lineup of eco-friendly products
- Updating technologies
 - Developing products with even lighter weight by deepening sheet extrusion and forming technologies including molds
 - > Productivity improvement including automation
- M&A
 - > Enhancing product lineup and services
 - Developing services that use the diverse infrastructure of the FPCO Group

Capacity increase for keeping pace with quantity expansion will also be considered.

Shareholder returns

- Paying dividends continuously and consistently with a target consolidated payout ratio of 30%
 - > Increasing EPS to increase dividends
- Regarding the acquisition of treasury shares, agile and flexible returns will be considered while maintaining financial soundness and taking into account strategic investments, stock price levels, etc.



Unit: billion yen	3/2016	3/2017	3/2018	3/2019	3/2020	3/2021	3/2022	3/2023
Dividends	2.8	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.7	3.8	3.8
Purchase of treasury share	_	_	_	_	_	4.0	_	_
Total	2.8	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	7.7	3.8	3.8
Total return ratio	30.3%	30.2%	36.5%	33.8%	31.1%	62.7%	34.3%	33.4%

To Increase Corporate Value

"Reliably deliver the most environmentally friendly products of the highest quality at the most competitive prices whenever they are needed."



Supporting Data

Explanation of Terms

PS	Polystyrene
PET	Polyethylene Terephthalate
PP	Polypropylene
Eco trays	A recycled expanded polystyrene container for which polystyrene containers collected at supermarket shop counters and scrap pieces collected within plants are used as raw materials (sales commenced in 1992).
Eco APET container	A recycled PET transparent container for which PET transparent containers and PET bottles collected at supermarket shop counters and scrap pieces collected within plants are used as raw materials (sales commenced in 2012). Heat resistance temperature of +60°C.
Eco OPET container	A recycled oriented PET (OPET) transparent container molded from the bi-axially OPET sheets, which use the same raw materials as an Eco APET container (sales commenced in 2016) Superior oil resistance and high transparency, with the same thermal insulation as the OPS transparent container. Heat resistance temperature of +80°C.
New low-foamed PS container	A foamed PS container featuring reduced use of plastics while maintaining the same strength and sharp shape as non-foamed containers. It is lighter than a non-foamed container by 50% to 60%.
Multi FP (MFP) container	A foamed PS container with cold and heat resistance to temperatures between -40°C and +110°C and with superior oil resistance and thermal insulation (sales commenced in 2010).
Multi Solid (MSD) container	A non-foamed PS container, which has achieved a sharp shape while maintaining the characteristics of the Multi FP by using scraps of materials from the Multi FP (sales commenced in 2012). Heat resistance temperature of +110°C.
Transparent PP container	A transparent PP container with a heat resistance temperature of +110°C, which has achieved the same transparency as OPS using standard-grade polypropylene raw material (sales commenced in 2012).
Cold-resistant PPi-talc container	A container that uses less plastic than conventional cold-resistant PP filler containers while maintaining the strength of the conventional containers (sales commenced in 2022)
OPS transparent container	A conventional transparent container with a heat resistance temperature of +80°C that is molded from the bi-axially oriented polystyrene sheets.
HIPS container	A non-foamed PS container with superior rigidity and Formability. A heat resistance temperature of +90°C.
Bio-HIPS container	HIPS (non-foamed polystyrene) container containing 25% of plant-derived materials (sales commenced in 2020).
Bio-PPF container	Polypropylene with fillers (PPF) container containing 25% of plant-derived materials (sales commenced in 2020).
Dissolution and separation recycling	A method with which black polystyrene (PS) pellets produced through material recycling are dissolved and decolored to produce recycled PS materials for food containers. It is the world's first technology, developed by DIC Corporation.
Logistics Center	Logistics center for processes from acceptance of products and commodities to acceptance of orders, allocation of vehicles, shipment, and collection of trays
Hub Center	Logistics center where multiple buildings are connected via a sorter system for automatic sorting and consolidation for shipment.
Distribution Center (DC)	A logistics division that ships cases to packaging material wholesalers.
Picking Center (PC)	A logistics division that picks and ships items in small lots to supermarkets.
Sorting Plant	A recycling site where foamed PS containers collected from stores are sorted into white and other colors, or transparent containers collected from stores are sorted by materials such as PS, PET and PP.
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Trends in Results (1)

* Changed to the Accounting Standard for Revenue Recognition in FY ended Mar. 2022. Retrospectively applied for FY ended Mar. 2021.

Million yen

	FY2016	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	F Y 2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
Net sales	170,292	172,858	173,580	181,171	186,349	187,509	195,700	211,28
Operating profit	13,248	15,176	12,884	13,949	15,507	18,763	15,884	16,70
Ordinary profit	14,027	15,742	13,548	14,861	16,274	19,381	16,703	17,32
Net profit	9,294	10,953	9,178	9,901	10,777	12,211	11,206	11,52
Ordinary profit before depreciation	23,554	26,926	25,255	28,031	29,807	32,991	30,340	31,50
Ratio of ordinary profit to net sales	8.2%	9.1%	7.8%	8.2%	8.7%	10.3%	8.5%	8.2%
ROE	10.6%	11.5%	8.9%	9.1%	9.4%	10.0%	8.8%	8.5%
ROA (Return on assets)	4.6%	5.1%	4.0%	4.0%	4.4%	5.0%	4.4%	4.1%
EPS (yen/share)	112.27	132.43	111.01	119.75	130.36	147.80	136.96	140.8
Dividends (yen/share)	34.00	40.00	40.50	40.50	40.50	44.50	47.00	47.0
Payout ratio	30.3%	30.2%	36.5%	33.8%	31.1%	30.1%	34.3%	33.4%
Purchase of treasury shares	_	_	_	_	_	3,999	_	
Total assets	209,053	219,481	244,147	249,332	242,497	247,234	262,695	298,62
Net assets	91,591	99,721	106,219	112,198	119,301	124,980	132,455	140,17
Cash and deposits	15,089	18,144	15,659	19,151	20,288	17,884	19,745	22,25
Interest-bearing debt	75,319	80,551	91,991	91,402	80,341	73,459	80,171	102,00
Equity ratio	43.6%	45.3%	43.4%	44.8%	49.0%	50.3%	50.2%	46.7%
Capital investment	23,383	21,060	29,891	14,038	12,214	19,412	23,361	30,85
Depreciation	9,526	11,183	11,706	13,170	13,532	13,609	13,636	14,18
Research and development expenses	1,242	1,223	1,197	1,159	1,229	1,195	1,154	1,29
Ratio of original products	47.3%	52.3%	55.7%	59.2%	60.5%	62.0%	61.9%	63.6%
Inventory turnover in months	1.49	1.47	1.53	1.54	1.48	1.44	1.44	1.5
Amount of containers and bottles collected for recycling (t)	28,591	36,631	55,262	75,730	82,629	85,070	83,330	91,35
Number of collection bases for recycling	9,200	9,200	9,150	9,260	9,390	9,800	10,000	10,50

Trends in Results (2)

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Yen

Factors influencing Ordinary Profit

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	'03/3	'04/3	'05/3	'06/3	'07/3	108/3	109/3	'10/3	'11/3	'12/3	'13/3	14/3	15/3	16/3	lst half	'17/3 2nd half	Full year	1st half	'18/3 2nd half	Full year	1st half	'19/3 2nd half	Full year	1st half	'20/3 2nd half	Full year	1st half	'21/3 2nd half	Full year	lst half	'22/3 2nd half	Full year	lst half	'23/3 2nd half	Full year	1st half	'24/3Plan 2nd half	Full year
Ordinary Profit for previous year	63.1	28.6	33.6	36.3	66.5	81.2	64.5	92.9	122.2	134.7	149.5	151.2	100.5	101.1	66.3	74.0	140.3	79.1	78.3	157.4	66.3	69.2	135.5	64.8	83.8	148.6	74.4	88.3	162.7	85.6	108.2	193.8	89.1	77.9	167.0	64.1	109.2	173.3
The Drive of Motorial	-6.0	-13.8	-36.5	-10.0	-13.0	-39.5 Decrease i	-37.0 n raw	-25.0				Decreas	e in raw	121.0	120.0	12.0	(22.0)							12.5	(5.2		.11.0	12.0	14.0									
The rice of Material						material pr Raw mater increase	ices ial price	-19.0	-23.0	-37.0	-15.5	materia -46.0	l prices -7.0	+31.0	+20.0	+3.0	+23.0	-13.0	-13.0	-26.0	-14.8	-15.5	-30.3	+2.3	+3.2	+1.1	+11.0	+3.0	+14.0	-9.9	-36.1	-46.0	-24.4	+13.4	-11.0	+28.3	+2.7	+31.0
	-25.0	+7.7	+29.2		+4.0	+9.0	+38.0	+25.0		+32.0 Product	+6.5		Naphtha formula	-11.0	-12.5	-11.0	-23.5																					
Sales Price						reduction 2nd produ reduction	ct price	-44.0 -19.0		Price war general-products	n ron ourpose	+15.0	+16.0					-	+4.5	+4.5	+13.6	+28.0	+41.6	+10.5	-	+10.5												
Raw and lig Sales Efforts	material rep hter-weight	lacement products	+2.0	+8.0	+8.6	+11.8	+24.5	+20.0	N	New mater	ial effects	+8.0	+14.5	+19.5	+10.5	+12.5	+23.0	+6.0	+3.2	+9.2	+4.5	+7.2	+11.7	+3.5	+5.0	+8.5	+7.2	+9.8	+17.0	+11.0	+6.0	+17.0	+4.0	+9.0	+13.0	+1.0	+9.0	+10.0
improveme product mi	quantity/ nts to x	+45.0		+17.5	+5.8	+3.0	+7.0	+6.0	+21.5	+15.0	+21.0	+1.0	+4.0																									
Improved Production Improved Distribution	+2.4	-0.6	-2.0	+6.0	+8.7	+3.0	+2.5	+9.5	+12.0	+9.0	+2.5	+1.0	+4.0	+12.0	+3.2	+1.1	+4.3	-3.2	-4.0 +1.0	-7.2	-0.5	-3.0	-0.5	+1.0	+1.5	+2.5	-1.5	+3.5	+2.0	+3.5	-1.5	+2.0	+1.5	+6.5	+8.0	-10.0	-3.0	-13.0
								+5.0	+5.5	+5.0	+1.0	-1.0	-1.5	+5.5	+2.0	+3.0	+5.0	-	+1.5	+1.5	+0.5	+1.5	+2.0	+2.0	+0.1	+2.1	-0.7	+6.5	+5.8	+4.0	+2.0	+6.0	+2.0	+5.0	+7.0	-2.0	-1.0	-3.0
Group Companies	Profit from of artv	the sale vork	+1.0	-1.0			+4.0	-4.0				Subsidies	+6.5	-1.7	-3.7	+0.8	-2.9																					
Cost increase	-6.2	-19.3	-3.2	+4.2	-7.4	-9.7	-15.6	-12.7	-11.5	-13.2	-15.3	-17.0	-22.0	-17.6	-3.7	-2.4	-6.1	-3.1	-2.3	-5.4	-3.3	-3.6	-6.9	-5.9	-3.8	-9.7	-4.3	-4.4	-8.7	-7.6	-3.2	-10.8	-8.1	-5.9	-14.0	-5.1	-6.2	-11.3
Total increase/decrease	-34.5	+5.0	+2.7	+30.2	+14.7	-16.7	+28.4	+29.3	+12.5	+14.8	+1.7	-51.0	+0.5	+39.2	+12.8	+4.3	+17.1	-12.8	-9.1	-21.9	-1.5	+14.6	+13.1	+9.6	+4.5	+14.1	+11.2	+19.9	+31.1	+3.5	-30.3	-26.8	-25.0	+28.0	+3.0	+8.2	-1.5	+6.7
Ordinary profit	28.6	33.6	36.3	66.5	81.2	64.5	92.9	122.3	134.7	149.5	151.2	100.5	101.1	140.3	79.1	78.3	157.4	66.3	69.2	135.5	64.8	83.8	148.6	74.4	88.3	162.7	85.6	108.2	193.8	89.1	77.9	167.0	64.1	105.9	170.0	72.3	107.7	180.0

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Trends in Capital Investment and R&D Costs



* Since 2009/03, capital investment have been included procurement through lease.

Trends in Food Container Market



Nationwide Production and Logistics Network



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Ocean Plastic Pollution: Trends in the World and Japan

	Global trends 🌏	Trends in Japan
2017	China Notification of waste import restrictions to WTO	
2018	G7 Ocean Plastics Charter	
2019		 MOE Comprehensive strategy for plastic material recycling (Excerpt of milestones) Reusing and recycling 60% of containers and packages by 2030 Making effective use of 100% of used plastics, such as through reuse and recycling, by 2035 Introducing approx. 2.0 million tons of bioplastics by 2030
2021	 Amendment to the Basel Convention Some waste plastics are subject to export regulations. <specific examples="" exempted="" from="" of="" plastics="" regulations="" the=""> Plastics in pellets Plastics in a flake or fluff form which is almost colorless and transparent or in a single color Plastic sheets, rolls, and bales discharged from product manufacturing process, etc. Foamed polystyrene (PS) ingots </specific> 	 Act on Promotion of Resource Circulation for Plastics [Voluntary collection by manufacturers and distributors] Manufacturers, distributors, etc. create plans on voluntary collection and recycling of products, etc. Businesses certified by the competent minister will no longer need to receive a permit under the provisions of the Waste Management and Public Cleaning Act.

Strategy for Plastic Material Recycling by the Ministry of the Environment (Rough Plan)

Ocean Plastics Charter endorsed Charlevoix G7 Summit in Canada	at a	Strategy for Plastic Material Recycling by the Ministry of the Environment (Rough Plan): <i>Milestone</i>						
Taking into account the full environmental impacts of alternatives, significantly reducing the unnecessary use of single-use plastics.	Redu	We aim to reduce emissions of single-use plastics (containers and packaging) by 25% in cumulative total by 2030 through the understanding, cooperation and collaboration of consumers and people from all quarters and all levels of civil society, while taking into account the environmental impacts of alternatives.						
Working with industry towards 100% reusable, recyclable, or, where viable alternatives do not exist, recoverable, plastics by 2030 Working with industry and other levels of government, to recycle and reuse at least 55% of plastic packaging by 2030 and recover 100% of all plastics, including thermal recovery, by 2040.	Reuse Recyc	 We aim to change the designs of plastic containers, packaging and products into those that make separation technologically easy and permit reuse or recycling, while also trying to secure their functions by 2025. (Even where this is difficult, we will aim to ensure thermal recoverability). We aim to recycle or reuse 60% of plastic containers and packaging by 2030 and make 100% effective use of used plastics, including thermal recovery (when recycle or reuse is difficult from the technical or economical perspective), by 2035, through cooperation and collaboration with people from all quarters and all levels of civil society. 						
Working with industry to increase recycled content by at least 50% in plastic products where applicable by 2030.	Recycli Bioma plastic	We aim to recycle twice the volume of plastics by 2030 by promoting the understanding, cooperation and collaboration of different groups of the public including the government and local municipalities. We aim to introduce as much biomass plastics as possible (approx. 2 million tons) by 2030 by promoting the understanding, cooperation and collaboration of people from all quarters and all levels of civil society.						
Created by FPCO based on data from the Ministry of the Environment								

Collaboration with Related Ministries, Agencies and Organizations

	Actions of related ministries, agencies and organizations	FPCO's involvement
Ministry of the Environment	 Plastic resources recycling strategy Presentation on Japan's plastic resource recycling strategy planned at the G20 Summit in June 2019 Plastics Smart Encouraging smart use of plastics and communicating such uses worldwide 	 Participation in a subcommittee as an industrial association Publication of Tray to Tray and Bottle to Tray recycling on the campaigns page
Ministry of the Economy, Trade and Industry	 Clean Ocean Material Alliance A syndicate of companies implementing proper waste management and 3R actions for plastic products and accelerating innovation for resolving marine plastic issues 	○ Participation in the alliance as a leading member
Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries	 Call for plastic resource recycling declarations Collecting and showcasing examples of voluntary actions taken by companies and associations in the food industry 	 Publication of actions for recycling, reducing and raising awareness on the ministry's website
Keidanren (Japan Business Federation)	 Plastic-related Innovation for SDGs Collecting and showcasing examples of actions taken by businesses and associations for encouraging the recycling of plastic resources and for helping address the issue of marine plastic waste 	 Publication of actions for recycling, reducing and raising awareness on Keidanren's website
Initiative	 Japan Climate Initiative A network of Japanese entities committed to joining the front line of the global push for decarbonization and taking positive actions to combat climate change 	O Commitment to participate from inception

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