

Fiscal Year 2023 (ending March 31, 2024) First Quarter Financial Results

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Highlights



Results for FY2023 Q1 (Apr.-Jun.)

While sales revenue was flat year-on-year due mainly to positive FX effects, business segment profit decreased due to increased SG&A and promotion, as well as decreased gross profit resulting from lower sales in the P&H and Machinery businesses

♦ Sales revenue

200.4 billion yen/ +0.3% (year-on-year)

✓ Sales revenue was flat year on year due to positive FX effects, despite the impact of sluggish market conditions mainly in the Machinery (Machine Tools) business.

◆ Business segment profit 23.1 billion yen/ -6.7% (year-on-year)

- ✓ Despite positive effects of decreased logistics costs and price adjustments mainly in the P&S business, business segment profit decreased due to decreased gross profit resulting from decreased sales in the P&H and Machinery businesses
- ✓ Profit was squeezed by increased SG&A and promotion, as well as other factors

Forecast for FY2023

No change from the previous forecast (announced on May 8, 2023), including the exchange rate precondition and segment breakdown



Results for FY2023 Q1 (Apr.-Jun.)

Consolidated Results for FY2023 Q1



While sales revenue was flat year-on-year due mainly to positive FX effects, profit decreased due to increased SG&A and promotion, as well as decreased gross profit resulting from decreased sales in the P&H and Machinery businesses

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	22Q1 23Q1		Change (w/o FX)	Rate of Change (w/o FX)
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Sales revenue	1,997	2,004	(-79)	(-4.0%)
Business segment profit	248	231	-17	-6.7%
business segment profit	240	231	(-31)	(-12.4%)
Business segment profit ratio	12.4%	11.5%		
Other income/expense	2	-11	-13	
Operating profit	250	220	-30	-12.0%
Operating profit ratio	12.5%	11.0%		
Income before tax	253	227	-26	-10.5%
Net income				
attribute to parent company	174	162	-11	-6.6%
USD	129.04	138.11	9.07	
EUR	138.24	150.35	12.11	

Results for FY2023 Q1 by Business Segment



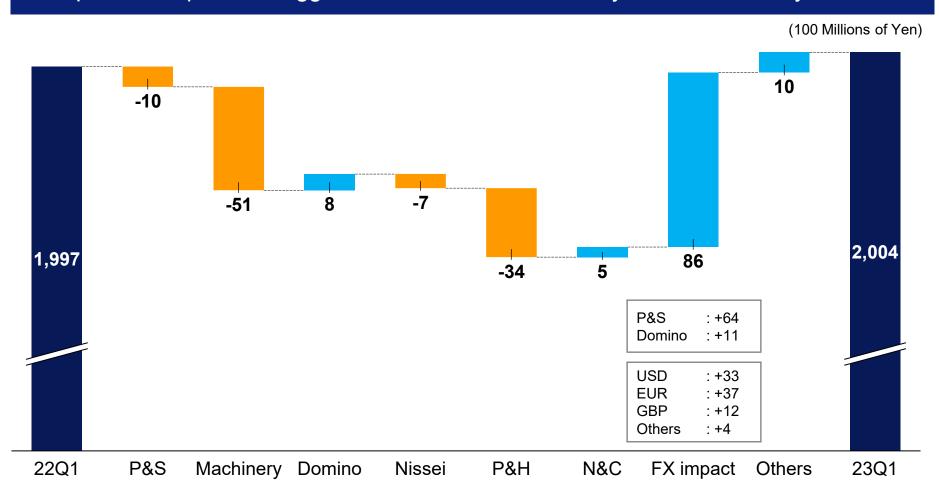
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	22Q1	23Q1	Change	22Q1	23Q1	Change	22Q1	23Q1	Change	
P&S	1,218	1,272	54	179	193	14	169	180	11	
Machinery	234	188	-47	21	10	-11	24	12	-13	
Domino	237	256	19	16	21	5	20	18	-2	
Nissei	60	53	-7	6	5	-1	7	5	-2	
P&H	142	115	-28	20	-6	-26	20	-6	-26	
N&C	84	89	5	3	5	2	7	6	-1	
Other	22	31	10	3	4	1	3	6	3	
Total	1,997	2,004	7	248	231	-17	250	220	-30	

^{* &}quot;Other" includes elimination amounts from inter-segment transactions.

FY2023 Q1 Main Factors for Changes in Sales Revenue



Sales revenue was flat year-on-year due to positive FX effects, despite the impact of sluggish market conditions mainly in the Machinery business

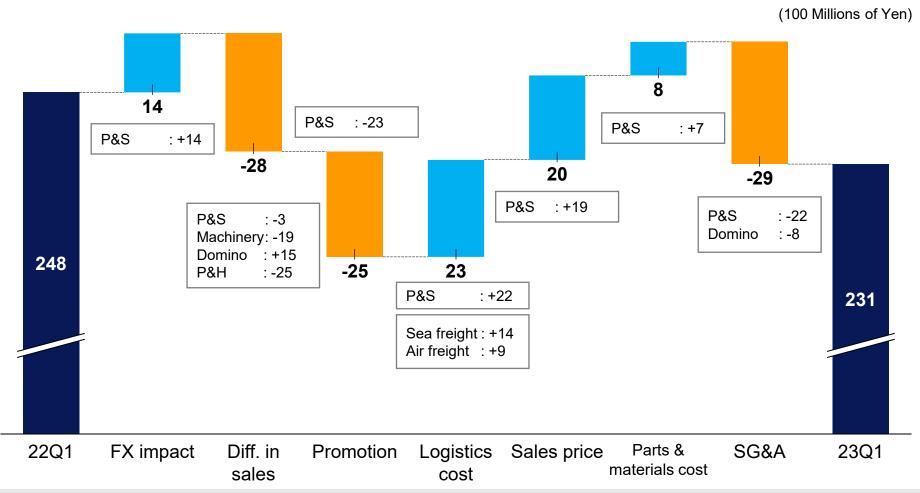


^{*} Amounts of change are on a results basis excluding foreign exchange effects

FY2023 Q1 Main Factors for Changes in Business Segment Profit



Business segment profit decreased due mainly to decreased gross profit resulting from decreased sales in the P&H and Machinery businesses, in addition to increased SG&A and promotion, despite decreased logistics costs and the positive impact of price adjustments mainly in the P&S business





Forecast for FY2023

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No change from the previous forecast, including the exchange rate precondition and segment breakdown

	FY22 Actual			Rate of Change (w/o FX)
Sales revenue	0 152	9 400	247	3.0%
Sales revenue	8,153	8,400	(310)	(3.8%)
Descipance and profit	CO 4	700	96	15.9%
Business segment profit	604	700	(111)	(18.4%)
Business segment profit ratio	7.4%	8.3%		
Other income/expense	-50	0	50	
Operating profit	554	700	146	26.4%
Operating profit ratio	6.8%	8.3%		
Income before tax	570	700	130	22.9%
Net income				
attribute to parent company	391	500	109	27.9%
USD	134.95	135.00	0.05	
EUR	141.24	140.00	-1.24	

Forecast for FY2023 by Business Segment



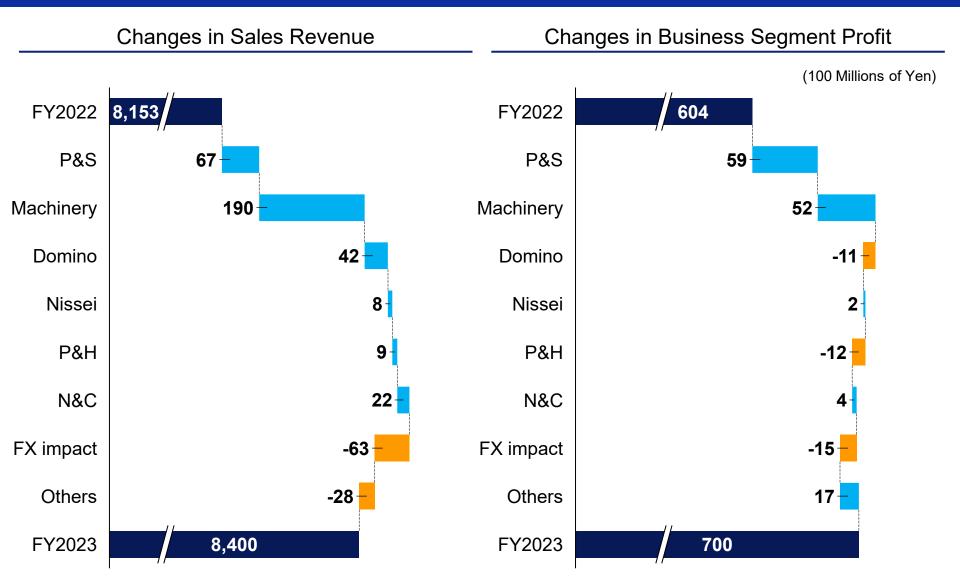
	Sales revenue			Busines	ss segme	nt profit	Operating profit			
	FY22 Actual	FY23 Forecast	Change	FY22 Actual	FY23 Forecast	Change	FY22 Actual	FY23 Forecast	Change	
P&S	4,967	4,970	3	371	415	44	365	415	50	
Machinery	964	1,156	192	95	148	53	98	148	50	
Domino	1,008	1,058	50	56	45	-11	-58	45	103	
Nissei	235	242	7	19	21	2	18	21	3	
P&H	510	511	1	58	44	-14	59	44	-15	
N&C	353	375	22	5	9	4	8	9	1	
Other	116	88	-28	1	18	17	64	18	-46	
Total	8,153	8,400	247	604	700	96	554	700	146	

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FY2023

Changes in Sales Revenue / Business Segment Profit





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Financial Position

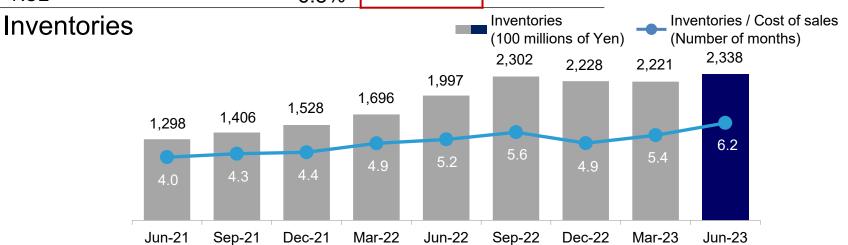


	End of Mar 2023	End of Jun 2023	Change	
Current assets	5,117	5,163	45	•
Cash&Cash equivalents	1,190	1,092	-98	
Inventories	2,221	2,338	117	
Non-current assets	3,387	3,570	183	
Total liabilities	2,538	2,309	-229	
Interest-bearing debt	374	232	-143	
Shareholders' equity*	5,966	6,423	457	*Equity attribut
Total assets	8,505	8,733	228	
	End of	End of	Change	

(100 Millions of Yen)

*Equity attributable to owners of the parent company





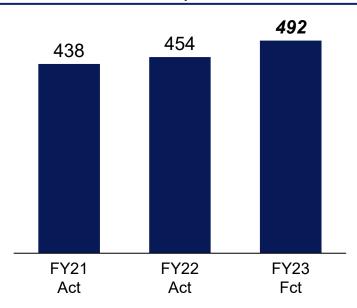
Capital Expenditure, Depreciation and Amortization/ R&D Expenses



(100 Millions of Yen)

Capital Expenditure/Depreciation & Amortization

R&D Expenses



Breakdown by business (CapEx)

	FY21	FY22	FY23
Industrial area	68	82	122
Consumer area & Others	281	356	443
Total	349	438	565

Breakdown by business (R&D)

	FY21	FY22	FY23
Industrial area	103	123	134
Consumer area & Others	335	331	358
Total	438	454	492

^{*} The industrial area combines the Machinery, Domino, and Nissei businesses



Business Segment Information

Printing & Solutions Sales Revenue & Profit

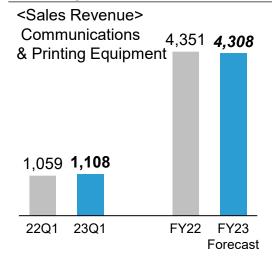


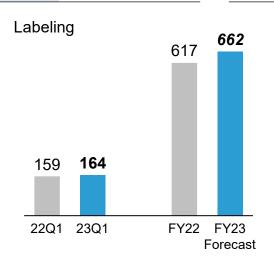
	22Q1 23Q1		Change	Change w/o FX	
Sales revenue	1,218	1,272	4.4%	-0.8%	
Communications & printing equipment	1,059	1,108	4.6%	-0.6%	
Americas	403	410	1.9%	-2.8%	
Europe	324	360	10.9%	1.6%	
Asia & others	210	238	13.5%	11.5%	
Japan (incl. OEM)	123	100	-18.2%	-20.0%	
Labeling	159	164	3.1%	-2.1%	
Americas	82	75	-8.9%	-13.7%	
Europe	42	49	15.5%	6.1%	
Asia & others	24	29	21.2%	19.9%	
Japan	10	11	5.6%	5.6%	

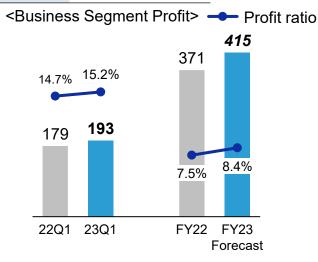
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FY22	FY23	Change vs LY	Change w/o FX
	Forecast	VSLI	W/U FX
4,967	4,970	0.1%	1.4%
4,351	4,308	-1.0%	0.3%
1,688	1,695	0.4%	2.3%
1,351	1,308	-3.2%	-2.3%
847	856	1.0%	2.6%
464	449	-3.3%	-3.1%
617	662	7.3%	8.5%
286	309	8.3%	9.9%
186	193	3.7%	4.5%
98	103	4.6%	6.1%
46	56	21.8%	21.8%
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Business segment profit	179	193	7.8%	-
Operating profit	169	180	6.3%	-









Sales Revenue Growth Rate / Consumable Ratio / Growth Rate of Hardware



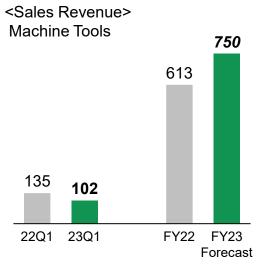
	21Q1	21Q2	21Q3	21Q4	22Q1	22Q2	22Q3	22Q4	23Q1	23Q2	23Q3	23Q4	FY21	FY22
Laser (LBP)														
Sales revenue growth rate (J	PY/YoY)													
Hardware	-10%	-4%	-9%	-8%	41%	45%	42%	36%	4%	-	-	-	-8%	41%
Consumable	21%	15%	14%	16%	18%	-8%	0%	4%	3%	-	-	-	16%	3%
Sales revenue growth rate (L	C/YoY)													
Hardware	-16%	-9%	-15%	-13%	25%	23%	21%	23%	-1%	-	-	-	-13%	23%
Consumable	12%	9%	6%	9%	7%	-20%	-13%	-6%	-3%		-	-	9%	-8%
Inkjet (IJP)														
Sales revenue growth rate (J	PY/YoY)													
Hardware	90%	95%	17%	15%	18%	32%	46%	39%	5%	-	-	-	45%	33%
Consumable	11%	-6%	-3%	2%	19%	-2%	8%	13%	15%	-	-	-	0%	9%
Sales revenue growth rate (L	C/YoY)													
Hardware	79%	87%	11%	10%	8%	16%	30%	27%	2%	-	-	-	38%	20%
Consumable	5%	-10%	-7%	-2%	11%	-12%	-2%	4%	9%	-	-	-	-4%	0%
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Consumable ratio	56%	57%	58%	59%	53%	47%	49%	53%	54%	_	-	-	57%	51%
Growth rate of hardware (Unit	s/YoY)													
Laser (LBP)	-28%	-16%	-20%	-16%	14%	9%	3%	8%	-1%	-	-	-	-20%	8%
Inkjet (IJP)	65%	101%	1%	7%	8%	16%	42%	43%	4%	-	-	-	34%	26%

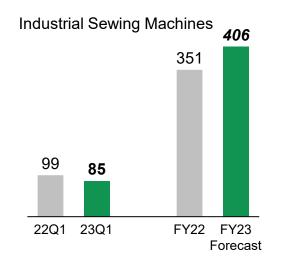
Machinery Sales Revenue & Profit

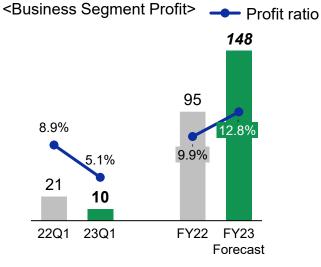


	22Q1	23Q1	Change	Change w/o FX
Sales revenue	234	188	-19.9%	-21.8%
Machine tools	135	102	-24.5%	-24.6%
Americas	10	7	-28.5%	-
Europe	12	9	-30.7%	-
Asia & others	90	67	-25.6%	-
Japan	24	20	-15.5%	-
Industrial sewing machines	99	85	-13.7%	-18.0%
Americas	27	26	-6.3%	-11.6%
Europe	21	22	7.2%	-1.8%
Asia & others	47	32	-32.4%	-34.4%
Japan	4	6	48.9%	48.9%
Business segment profit	21	10	-54.3%	-
Operating profit	24	12	-52.4%	_

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FY22	FY23 Forecast	Change vs LY	Change w/o FX
964	1,156	19.9%	19.8%
613	750	22.4%	21.8%
41	38	-6.0%	-
38	42	10.5%	-
432	534	23.5%	-
103	137	33.1%	-
351	406	15.7%	16.2%
105	121	14.7%	16.1%
74	85	15.9%	17.1%
155	178	14.8%	14.5%
17	22	29.0%	29.0%
95	148	55.1%	-
98	148	50.6%	-





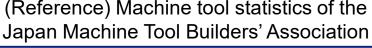


Machinery (Machine Tools) Order Trends



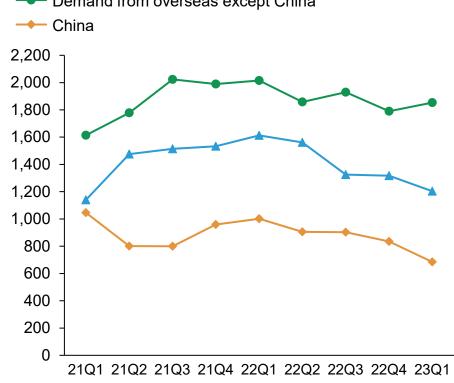
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(Reference) Machine tool statistics of the

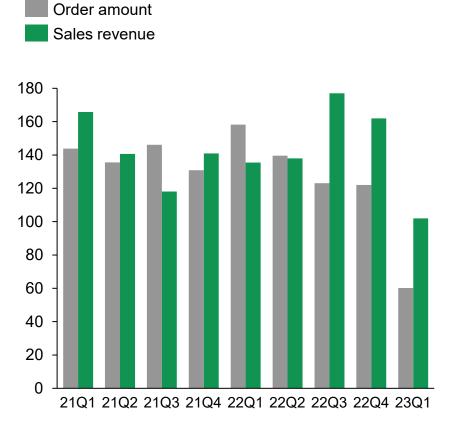




Demand from overseas except China



Trends in order amount and sales revenue



^{*} Total amount of domestic and overseas orders for hardware products Overseas orders are converted into yen using the exchange rate for each quarter

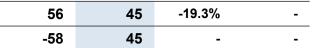
^{*} Source: Major machine tool statistics of the Japan Machine Tool Builders' Association

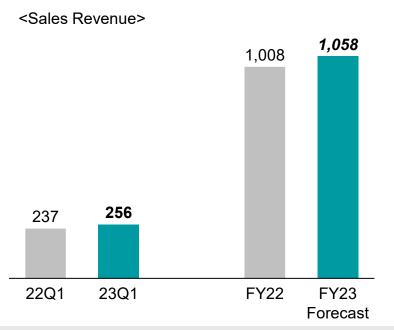
Domino Sales Revenue & Profit

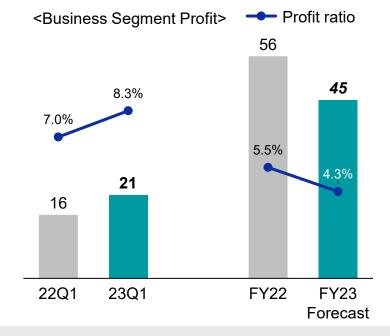


	22Q1	23Q1	Change	Change w/o FX
Sales revenue	237	256	7.9%	3.4%
Americas	57	64	11.9%	-1.6%
Europe	97	113	15.9%	13.2%
Asia & others	73	70	-4.5%	-5.2%
Japan	10	10	-1.0%	-1.0%
Business segment profit	16	21	28.6%	-
Operating profit	20	18	-10.8%	-

FY22	FY23 Forecast	Change vs LY	Change w/o FX
1,008	1,058	4.9%	8.7%
243	271	11.8%	17.9%
437	437	0.2%	1.8%
288	306	6.5%	11.9%
41	43	4.1%	4.1%
56	45	-19.3%	-







Nissei Sales Revenue & Profit

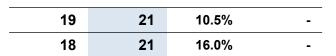


(100 Millions of Yen)

	22Q1	23Q1	Change	Change w/o FX
Sales revenue	60	53	-11.2%	-12.3%
Americas	10	8	-18.6%	-24.0%
Europe	-	-	-	-
Asia & others	10	11	11.8%	10.5%
Japan	41	35	-14.9%	-14.9%

FY22	FY23 Forecast	Change vs LY	Change w/o FX
235	242	3.1%	3.3%
38	38	-0.8%	-0.4%
-	-	-	-
37	38	1.3%	2.5%
160	167	4.4%	4.4%

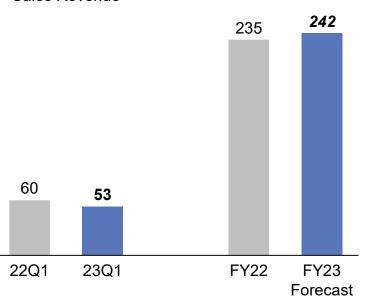
Business segment profit	6	5	-21.1%	-
Operating profit	7	5	-27.3%	-

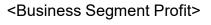


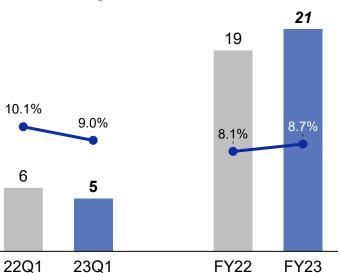
Profit ratio

Forecast









Personal & Home Sales Revenue & Profit

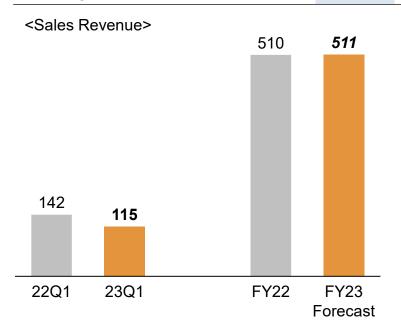


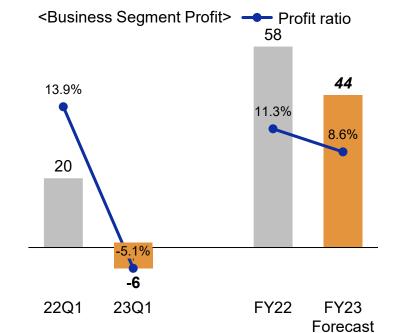
	22Q1	23Q1	Change	Change w/o FX
Sales revenue	142	115	-19.4%	-23.8%
Americas	85	69	-18.0%	-22.5%
Europe	35	28	-21.4%	-28.1%
Asia & others	14	13	-9.8%	-10.9%
Japan	8	5	-41.6%	-41.6%

FY22	FY23 Forecast	Change vs LY	Change w/o FX
510	511	0.2%	1.8%
316	311	-1.7%	0.0%
112	113	0.1%	1.2%
52	56	8.1%	10.4%
29	31	7.9%	7.9%

Business segment profit	20	-6	-	-
Operating profit	20	-6	-	-

58	44	-23.9%	-
59	44	-24.8%	-





Network & Contents Sales Revenue & Profit

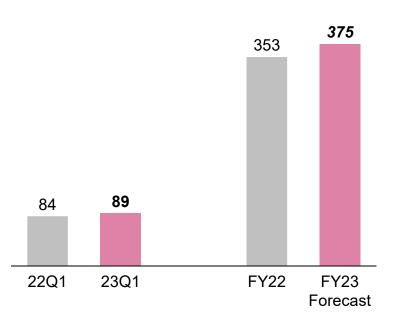


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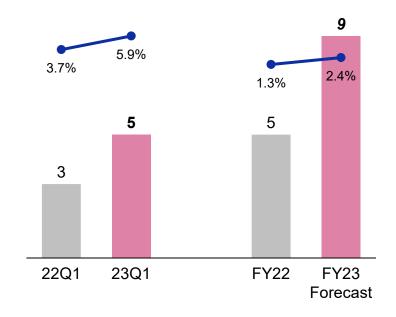
	22Q1	23Q1	Change	FY22	F
Sales revenue	84	89	6.4%	353	
Business segment profit	3	5	70.9%	5	
Operating profit	7	6	-10.2%	8	

FY22	FY23 Forecast	Change vs LY 6.4%		
353	375			
5	9	98.1%		
8	9	10.4%		

<Sales Revenue>



<Business Segment Profit> --- Profit ratio





ESG Topics

External Evaluation: Selected for the first time for the MSCI Japan ESG Select Leaders Index



Selected for the first time for the MSCI Japan ESG Select Leaders Index With this, Brother has been included in all six ESG indices for Japanese equities used by the Government Pension Investment Fund (GPIF)

ESG indices for Japanese equities used by GPIF

(as of August 2023)

 Selected for the first time for the MSCI Japan ESG Select Leaders Index

2023 CONSTITUENT MSCI JAPAN ESG SELECT LEADERS INDEX

- FTSE Blossom Japan Index: Selected from 2020
- •FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index: Selected from 2022
- •MSCI Japan Empowering Women Index (WIN): Selected from 2019
- •Morningstar Japan ex-REIT Gender Diversity Tilt Index: Selected from 2022
- S&P/JPX Carbon Efficient Index: Selected from 2018





2023 CONSTITUENT MSCI JAPAN EMPOWERING WOMEN INDEX (WIN)



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External Evaluation: World's first recycled toner cartridge to obtain Blue Angel certification



Recycled toner cartridges manufactured by Brother Industries (Slovakia) are the first in the world to obtain the German ecolabel Blue Angel certification*



Remanufactured toner cartridges and ink cartridges for printers, copiers and multifunction devices

DE-UZ 177



Brother Industries (Slovakia)

<Efforts so far>

2001: Brother obtained the Blue Angel certification for its laser printers

2004: Recycling of toner cartridges began in the U.K.

Since then, recycling has been carried out at factories in Slovakia, the U.S., and Japan

2008: Brother obtained the world's first Blue Angel certification for the inkjet All-in-Ones

TN-3512 RE, a recycled toner cartridge manufactured by Brother Industries (Slovakia), obtained the world's first Blue Angel certification in the field of recycled toner cartridges

The world's first environmental label, born in Germany in 1978, with the aim of solving environmental problems and promoting the development and sales of environmentally friendly products. This time, Brother obtained the certification for the standard (DE-UZ 177) applied to recycled toner cartridges and ink cartridges such as printers and multifunction devices.

^{*}Blue Angel Certification:



Reference: Brother's business areas

Network & Contents



Online Karaoke system

Business areas Business segments		gments	Area (Main products & service portfolio)						
Industrial area	Machinery/FA	Nissei Industrial ≤ Equipment				bone (C)			
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Consumer a	Printing	Printing & Solutions	Labelling	Home & Office Labeling	Commercial &			bolev	
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Culture

Home sewing machine

Home cutting machine