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# Financial Summary (1H FY2023)

11/8/2023

**Kazuya Kobayashi**  
Representative Director, President and Executive Officer



# President's Greeting and Introduction

**1989: Joined TOCALO Co., Ltd.**

**Worked in the Tokyo Plant's Production Div. for 4 years**

**1993: Worked in the Thermal Spraying Technology R&D Laboratories**

**2004: Worked in the Akashi Plant**

**Launched large FPC production plant**

**2009: Kitakyushu Plant Assistant Division Manager of Production  
(Plant General Manager in 2014)**

**Launched business with overseas semiconductor equipment  
manufacturers**

**2018: General Manager of Akashi Plant**

**2021: Managing Executive Officer and  
General Manager of Production Headquarters**

**2023: Assumed position of Representative Director, President, and  
Executive Officer**



# President's Greeting and Introduction

To actively promote the medium-term management plan:

- **Safety is our top priority**

- Creating a safe workplace (JISQ45100 certification)
- Creating a clean, functional, and people-friendly workplace

- **Manufacturing with sincerity**

- Complying with work procedures and fulfilling customer quality standards
- Each and every employee works with a sense of responsibility for their own work

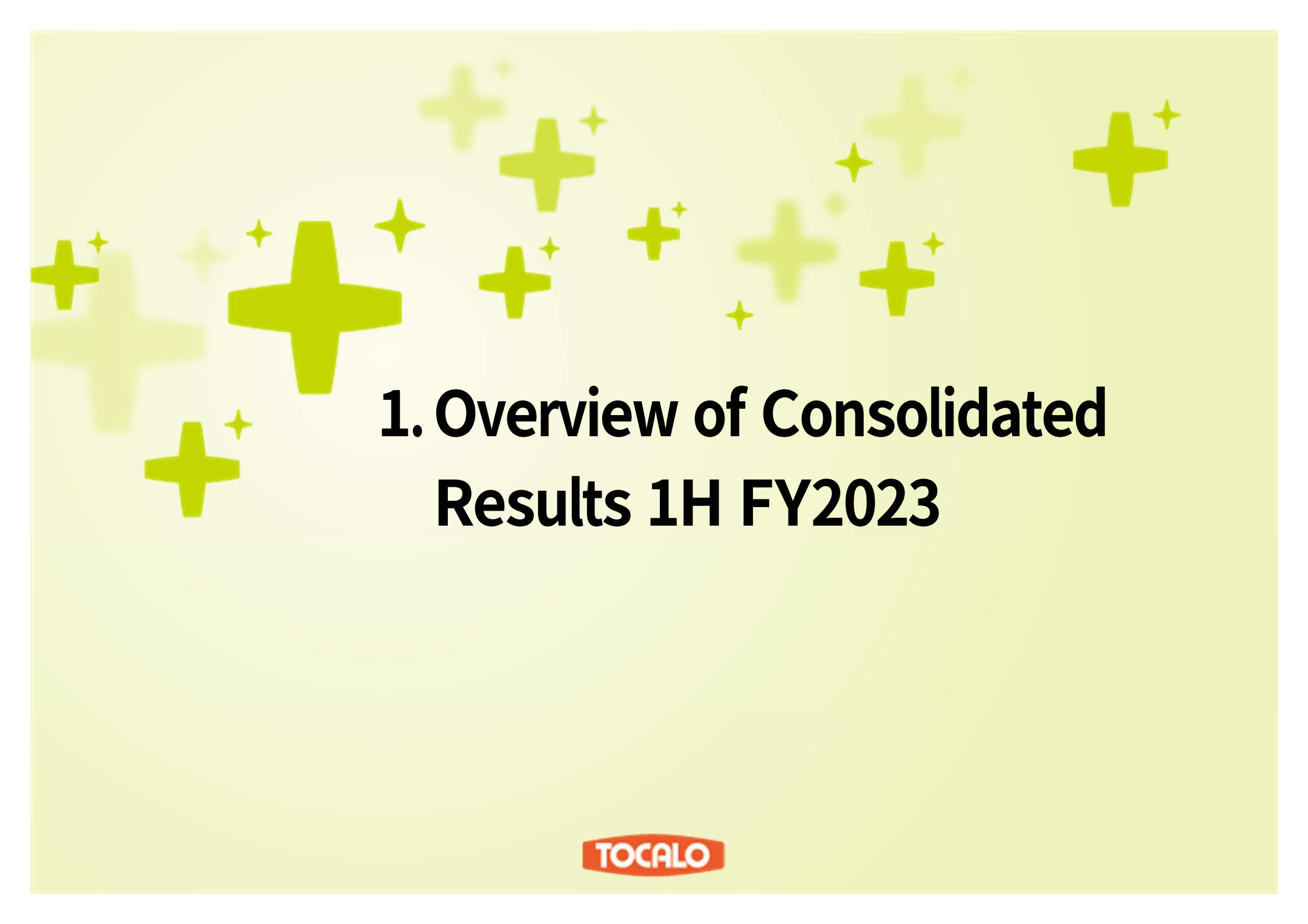
- **Thorough improvements to production efficiency**

- Aiming to further improve thermal spray efficiency
- Increasing production efficiency by automating production systems



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# **1. Overview of Consolidated Results 1H FY2023**

# Highlights of Consolidated Results

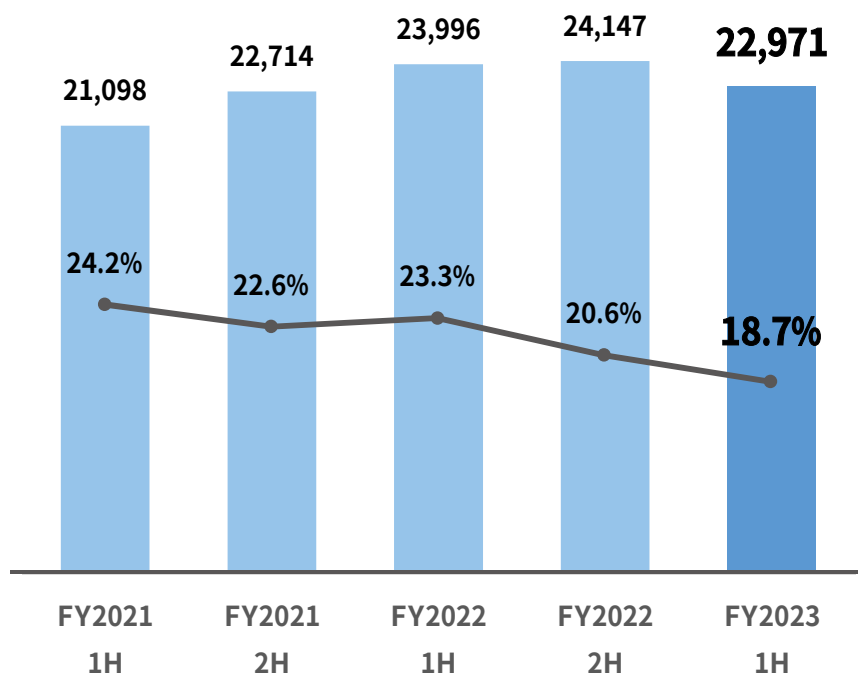
## 1H FY2023

**POINT** Net sales decreased for the first time in nine half-years due to a decline in the semiconductor field

### Net Sales

Change  
-4.9%

Net Sales (JPY Million)  
Operating Profit Ratio

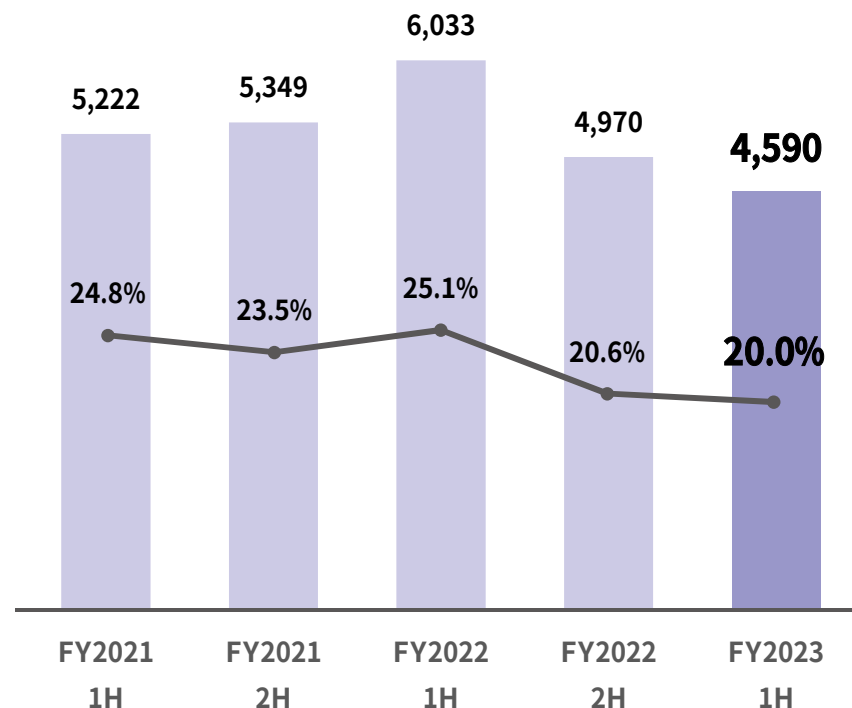


**POINT** Ordinary profit decreased by 7.6% from the previous half year, but exceeded the initial forecast

### Ordinary Profit

Change  
-7.6%

Ordinary Profit (JPY Million)  
Ordinary Profit Ratio



# Overview of Consolidated Results

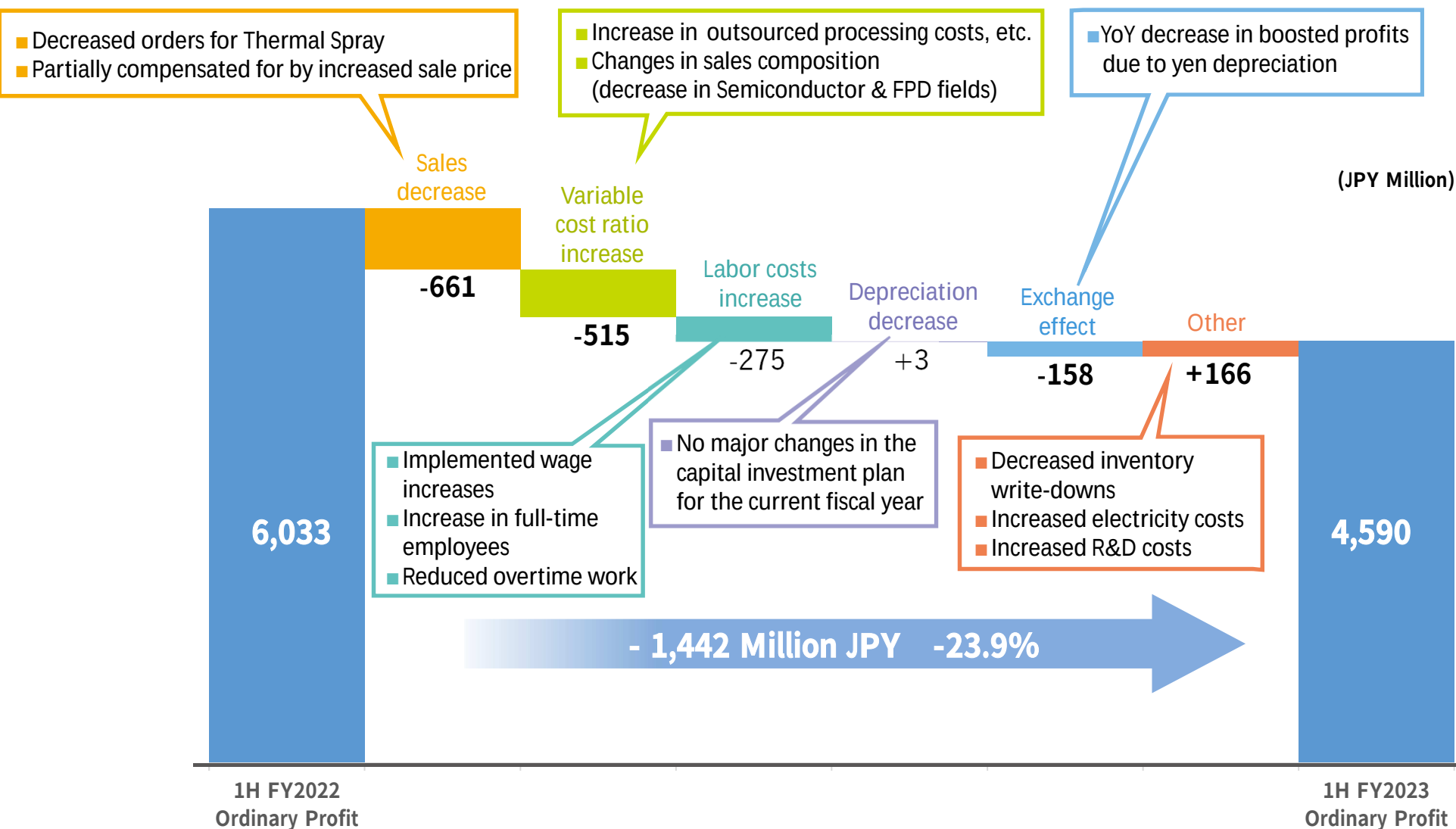
## 1H FY2023

While the semiconductor field was very strong in the first half of the previous year,

- Net sales decreased by 4.3% year-on-year due to the semiconductor market entering an adjustment phase
- Ordinary profit decreased by 23.9% year-on-year due to a change in the sales mix and an increase in personnel costs and R&D expenses, etc.

| (JPY Million)                             | 1H FY2022     |               | 1H FY2023     |               | Change        |               |
|-------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
|                                           | Result        | Ratio         | Result        | Ratio         | Amount        | %             |
| <b>Net Sales</b>                          | <b>23,996</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>22,971</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>-1,025</b> | <b>-4.3%</b>  |
| Operating Profit                          | 5,581         | 23.3%         | 4,295         | 18.7%         | -1,285        | -23.0%        |
| <b>Ordinary Profit</b>                    | <b>6,033</b>  | <b>25.1%</b>  | <b>4,590</b>  | <b>20.0%</b>  | <b>-1,442</b> | <b>-23.9%</b> |
| Net Income Attributed to Owners of Parent | 3,919         | 16.3%         | 2,985         | 13.0%         | -933          | -23.8%        |
| Earnings Per Share (EPS)                  | 64.45JPY      | —             | 49.42JPY      | —             | -15.03JPY     | —             |

# Analysis of Ordinary P/L Change





# 1H FY2023 Net Sales (by Segment)

- Thermal Spray (TOCALO), the largest segment, decreased due to a decline in the Semiconductor & FPD field
- Other segments performed well, including other surface modifications, where demand for agricultural machinery parts increased

| (JPY Million)            | 1H FY2022     |               | 1H FY2023     |               | Change        |              |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|
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| <b>Net Sales</b>         | <b>23,996</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>22,971</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>-1,025</b> | <b>-4.3%</b> |
| ■ Thermal Spray (TOCALO) | 18,205        | 75.9%         | 16,748        | 72.9%         | -1,456        | -8.0%        |
| Semicon & FPD            | 12,100        | 50.4%         | 9,737         | 42.4%         | -2,363        | -19.5%       |
| Industrial Parts         | 1,739         | 7.2%          | 2,224         | 9.7%          | 485           | 27.9%        |
| Iron & Steel             | 1,775         | 7.4%          | 1,746         | 7.6%          | -29           | -1.6%        |
| Others                   | 2,588         | 10.9%         | 3,039         | 13.2%         | 450           | 17.4%        |
| ■ Other Surface Modif.   | 1,367         | 5.6%          | 1,515         | 6.6%          | 148           | 10.8%        |
| ■ Domestic Sub.          | 1,197         | 5.0%          | 1,230         | 5.4%          | 32            | 2.8%         |
| ■ Overseas Sub.          | 3,140         | 13.1%         | 3,422         | 14.9%         | 282           | 9.0%         |
| Royalty Income           | 86            | 0.4%          | 54            | 0.2%          | -32           | -37.3%       |

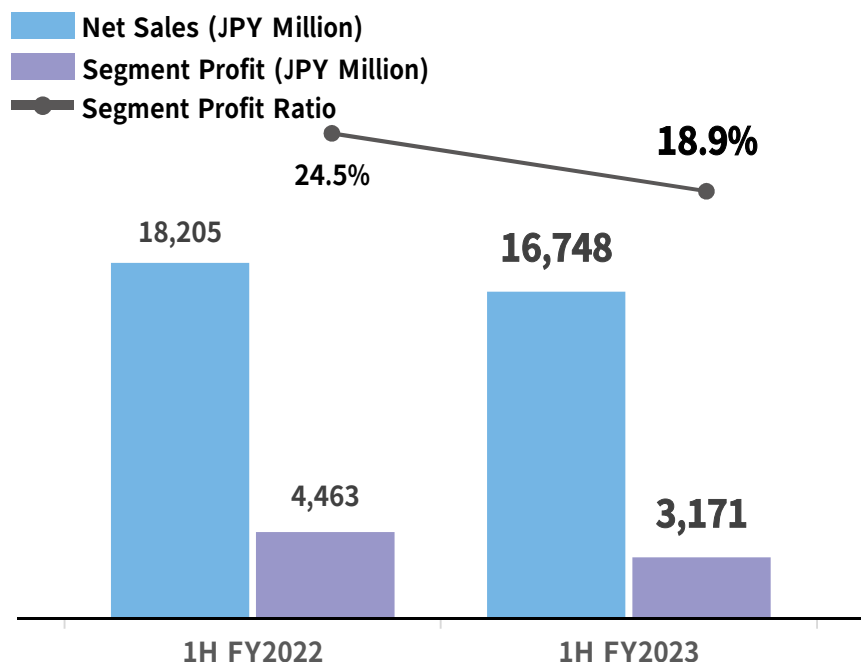
# 1H FY2023 Consolidated Results by Segment



## Thermal Spray (TOCALO)

Although industrial machinery and other segments performed well, sales and income decreased due to a decline in the semiconductor and FPD fields

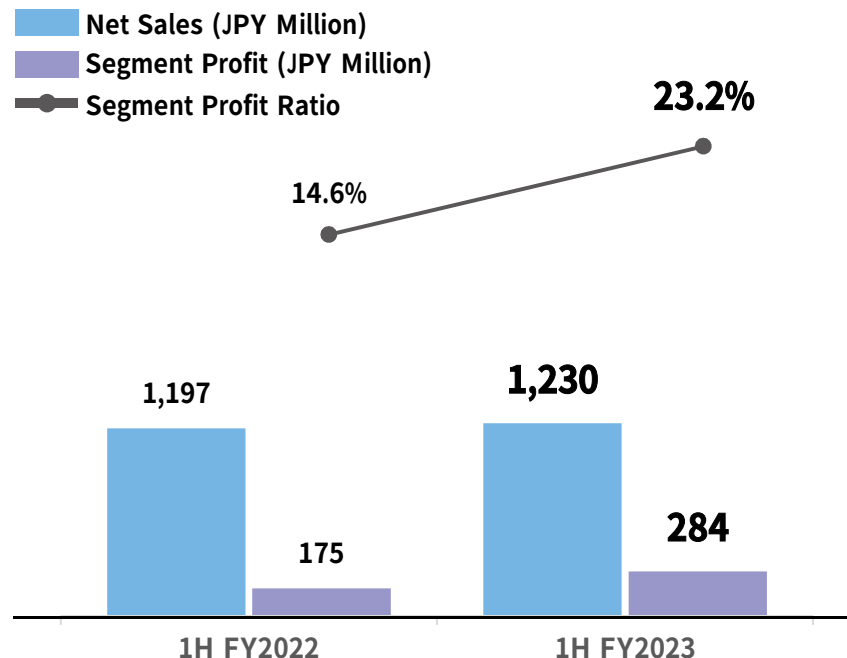
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| YoY Change Ratio | Net Sales      | -8.0%  |
|                  | Segment Profit | -28.9% |



## Domestic Sub.

Orders related to cutting tools are on a recovery trend due to an improvement in automobile production, resulting in increased sales and income

|                  |                |        |
|------------------|----------------|--------|
| YoY Change Ratio | Net Sales      | +2.8%  |
|                  | Segment Profit | +62.6% |



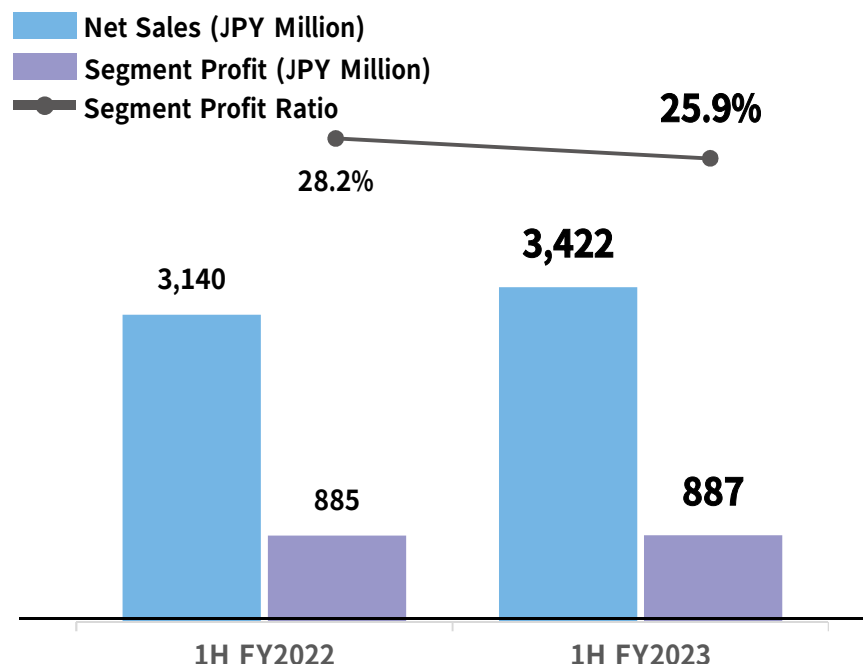
# 1H FY2023 Consolidated Results by Segment



## Overseas Sub.

Sales and income increased due to the impact of the weaker yen, although profitability declined due to sluggish semiconductor-related sales

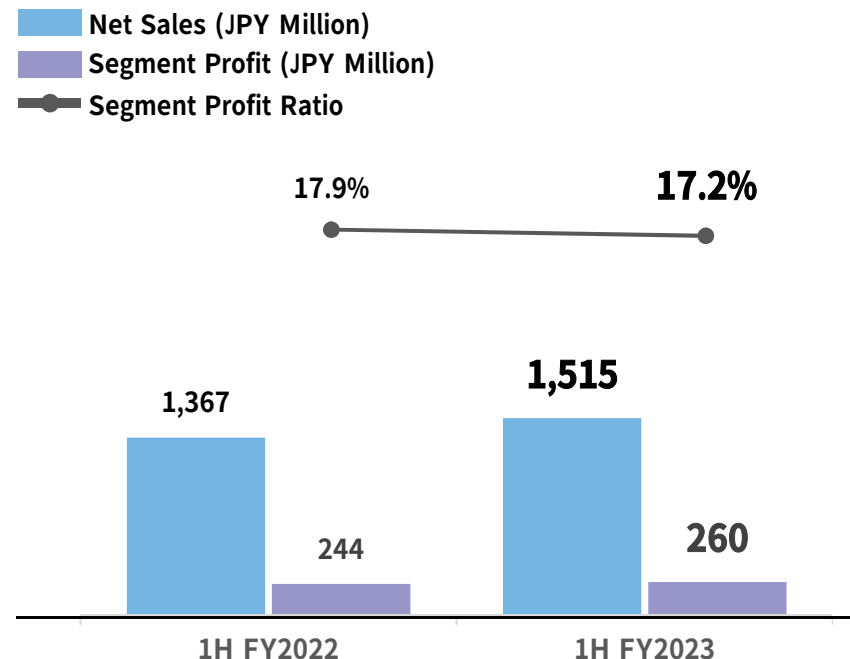
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| YoY Change Ratio | Net Sales      | +9.0% |
|                  | Segment Profit | +0.3% |



## Other Surface Modif.

Sales and income increased due to increased orders for agricultural machinery parts

|                  |                |        |
|------------------|----------------|--------|
| YoY Change Ratio | Net Sales      | +10.8% |
|                  | Segment Profit | +6.5%  |



# Segment Information

- For Thermal Spray (TOCALO), profits significantly decreased due to a decrease in sales in the semiconductor field
- At Domestic Subsidiaries, profits grew due to a recovery in orders for mainstay cutting tools
- At Overseas Subsidiaries, semiconductor-related sales were sluggish and profit margins declined, but profits were maintained due to the impact of the weaker yen

| (JPY Million)                                                                                            | Change        |              |               |              |             |              |               |               |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
|                                                                                                          | 1H FY2022     |              | 1H FY2023     |              | Net Sales   |              | Segment P/L   |               |
|                                                                                                          | Net Sales     | P/L          | Net Sales     | P/L          | Amount      | %            | Amount        | %             |
|  Thermal Spray (TOCALO) | 18,205        | 4,463        | 16,748        | 3,171        | -1,456      | -8.0%        | -1,292        | -28.9%        |
|  Domestic Sub.         | 1,197         | 175          | 1,230         | 284          | 32          | 2.8%         | 109           | 62.6%         |
|  Overseas Sub.        | 3,140         | 885          | 3,422         | 887          | 282         | 9.0%         | 2             | 0.3%          |
|  Other Surface Modif. | 1,367         | 244          | 1,515         | 260          | 148         | 10.8%        | 15            | 6.5%          |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                                             | <b>23,909</b> | <b>5,768</b> | <b>22,917</b> | <b>4,604</b> | <b>-992</b> | <b>-4.2%</b> | <b>-1,164</b> | <b>-20.2%</b> |

(Note) Royalty Income is not included in the Segment Net Sales

# Financial Position

- Total assets increased 962 million JPY from the end of the previous period (tangible fixed assets increased 1,395 million JPY)
- Equity ratio decreased 0.5 percentage points from the end of the previous fiscal year to 72.0%
- Interest-bearing debt decreased by 444 million JPY from the end of the previous period

| (JPY Million)         | FY2022 |        | FY2023 |
|-----------------------|--------|--------|--------|
|                       | 1H     | 2H     | 1H     |
| Total Assets          | 72,454 | 74,263 | 75,226 |
| Equity                | 52,170 | 53,839 | 54,186 |
| Equity Ratio          | 72.0%  | 72.5%  | 72.0%  |
| Interest-bearing Debt | 3,526  | 2,802  | 2,358  |

# Cash Flow

- Free Cash Flow (Operating CF + Investment CF) +3,100 Million JPY
- Investment CF/Acquisition of tangible fixed assets
  - Previous term: -900 Million JPY      Current term: -1,600 Million JPY
- Financial CF/Dividends paid
  - Previous term: -1,500 Million JPY      Current term: -1,600 Million JPY
  - Acquisition and disposal of treasury shares
    - Previous term: —      Current term: -1,600 Million JPY

| (JPY Million) | FY2022<br>1H | FY2023<br>1H |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|
| Operating CF  | 5,005        | 4,422        |
| Investment CF | -1,353       | -1,294       |
| Financial CF  | -2,430       | -3,803       |
| Cash Balance  | 20,650       | 18,995       |



## **2. Consolidated Forecast FY2024**

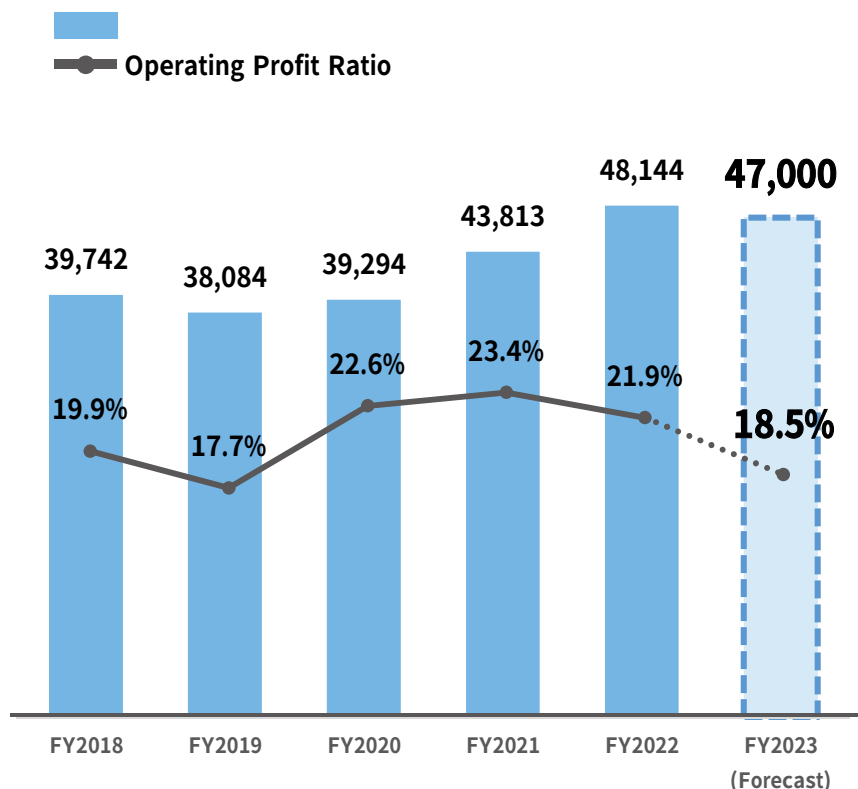
# Outlook for Net Sales and Ordinary Profit

[No change from the previous forecast (5/10/2023)]

**POINT** Net sales are expected to decline for the first time in four fiscal years due to a decline in the semiconductor field

## Net Sales

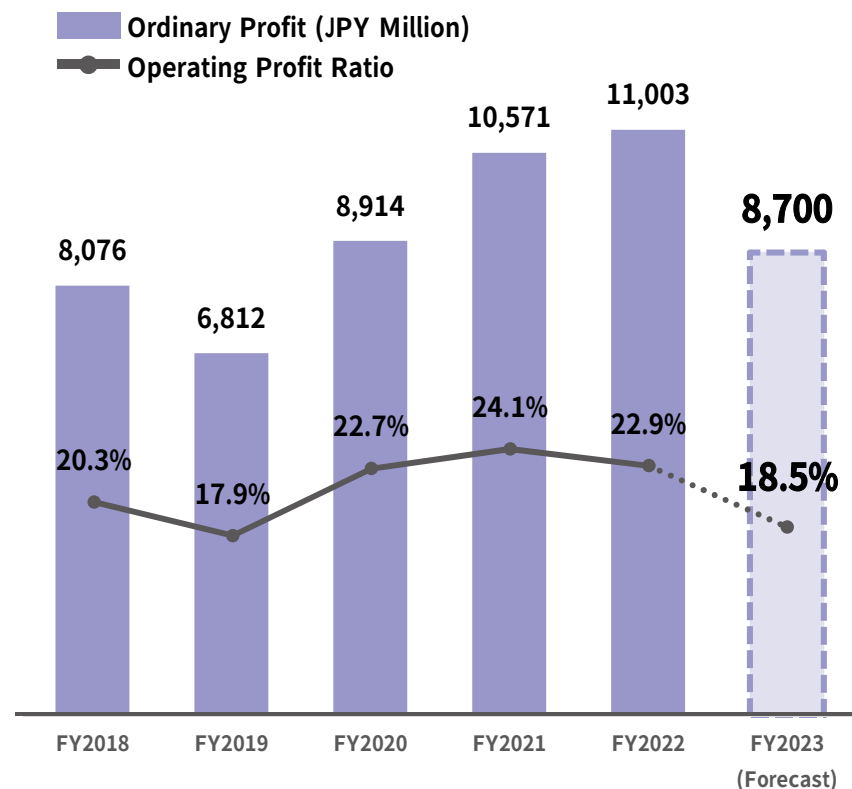
Change  
-2.4%



**POINT** Ordinary profit is expected to significantly decline by 20.9% YoY

## Ordinary Profit

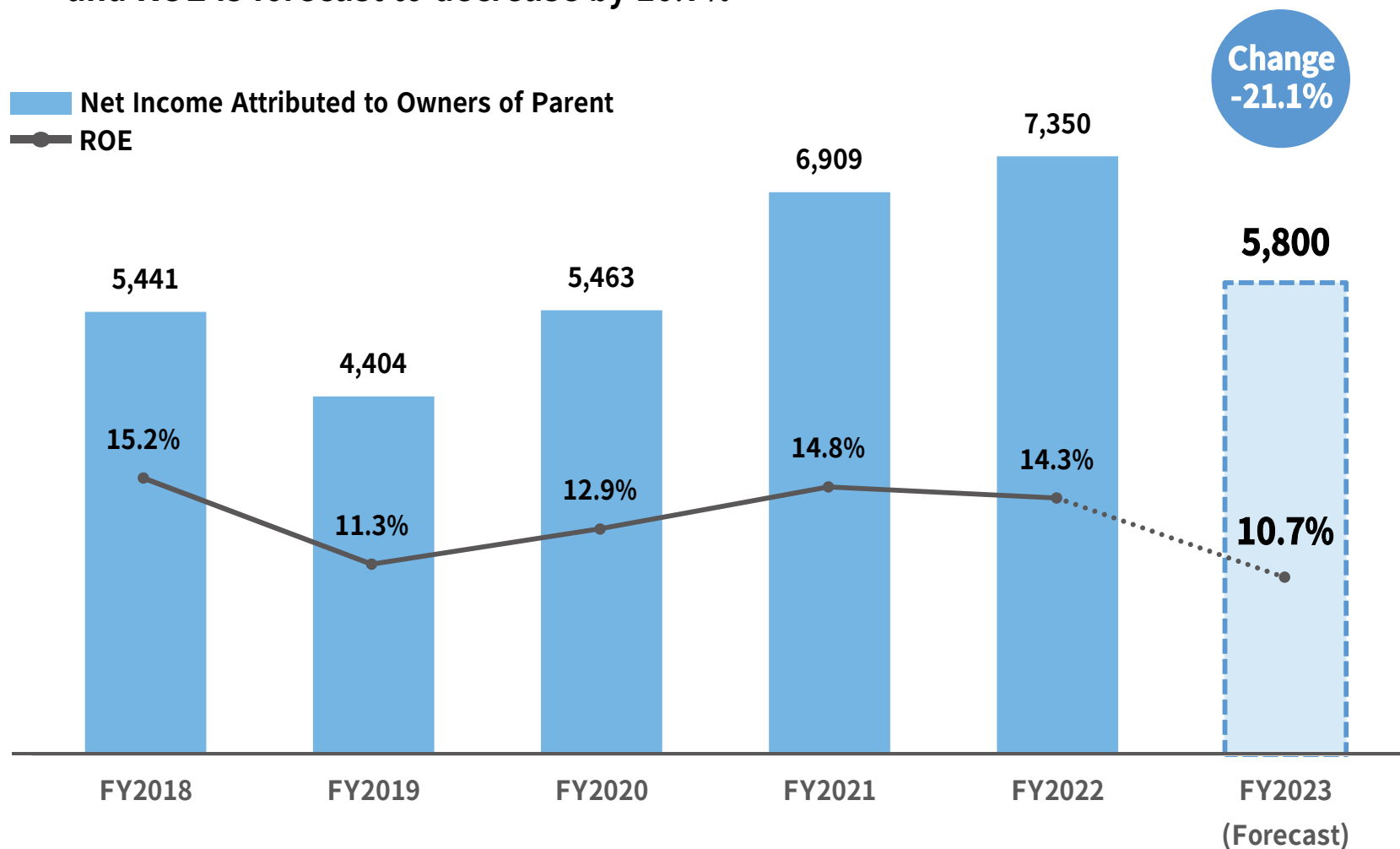
Change  
-20.9%





# Outlook for Net Income Attributed to Owners of Parent and ROE

**POINT** Net income attributed to owners of parent is forecast to decrease by 21.1% YoY, and ROE is forecast to decrease by 10.7%



# Consolidated Forecast FY2023

| (JPY Million)                             | FY2022        |               | FY2023        |               | Change        |               |
|-------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
|                                           | Result        | Ratio         | Forecast      | Ratio         | Amount        | %             |
| <b>Net Sales</b>                          | <b>48,144</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>47,000</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>-1,144</b> | <b>-2.4%</b>  |
| ■ Thermal Spray (TOCALO)                  | 36,184        | 75.2%         | 34,063        | 72.5%         | -2,121        | -5.9%         |
| Semicon & FPD                             | 23,260        | 48.3%         | 20,700        | 44.0%         | -2,560        | -11.0%        |
| Industrial Parts                          | 3,802         | 7.9%          | 3,956         | 8.4%          | 154           | 4.1%          |
| Iron & Steel                              | 3,582         | 7.4%          | 3,734         | 7.9%          | 151           | 4.2%          |
| Others                                    | 5,539         | 11.6%         | 5,672         | 12.2%         | 133           | 2.4%          |
| ■ Other Surface Modif.                    | 2,745         | 5.6%          | 2,877         | 6.1%          | 131           | 4.8%          |
| ■ Domestic Sub.                           | 2,414         | 5.0%          | 2,656         | 5.7%          | 241           | 10.0%         |
| ■ Overseas Sub.                           | 6,622         | 13.8%         | 7,254         | 15.4%         | 631           | 9.5%          |
| Royalty Income                            | 177           | 0.4%          | 150           | 0.3%          | -27           | -15.5%        |
| Operating Profit                          | 10,558        | 21.9%         | 8,700         | 18.5%         | -1,858        | -17.6%        |
| <b>Ordinary Profit</b>                    | <b>11,003</b> | <b>22.9%</b>  | <b>8,700</b>  | <b>18.5%</b>  | <b>-2,303</b> | <b>-20.9%</b> |
| Net Income Attributed to Owners of Parent | 7,350         | 15.3%         | 5,800         | 12.3%         | -1,550        | -21.1%        |
| Earnings Per Share (EPS)                  | 120.83JPY     | —             | 96.70JPY      | —             | -24.13JPY     | —             |
| Return on Equity (ROE)                    | 14.3%         | —             | 10.7%         | —             | -3.6pt        | —             |

# 1H FY2023 Progress Rate

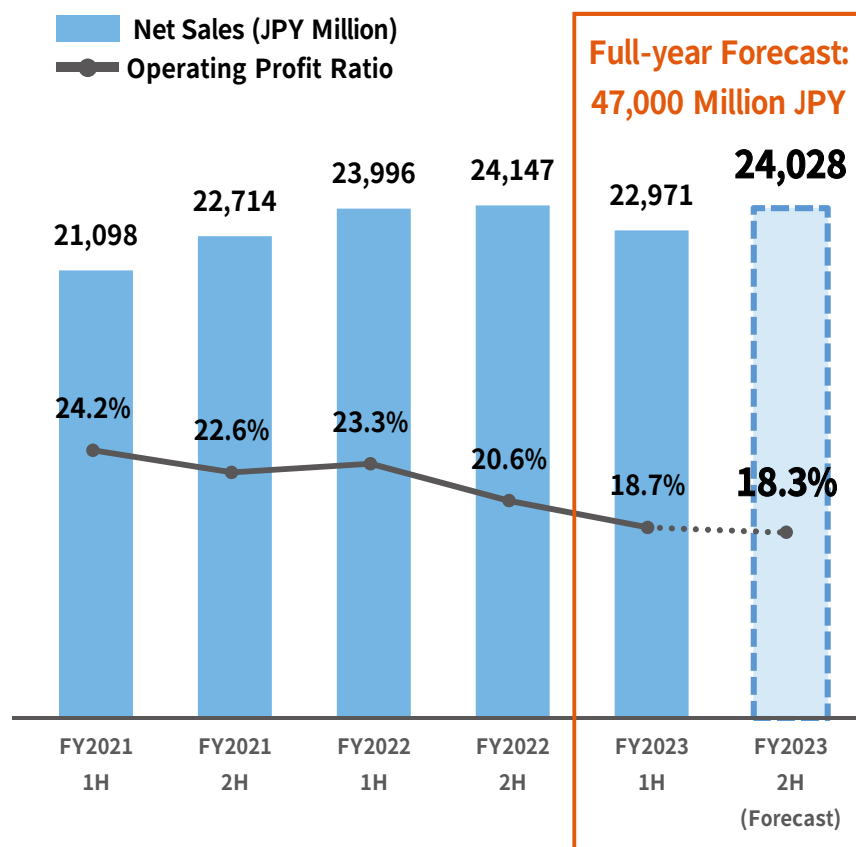
| (JPY Million)                             | 1H FY2023     |               | FY2023        |               | Progress Rate |
|-------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
|                                           | Result        | Ratio         | Forecast      | Ratio         |               |
| <b>Net Sales</b>                          | <b>22,971</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>47,000</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>48.9%</b>  |
| ■ Thermal Spray (TOCALO)                  | 16,748        | 72.9%         | 34,063        | 72.5%         | 49.2%         |
| Semicon & FPD                             | 9,737         | 42.4%         | 20,700        | 44.0%         | 47.0%         |
| Industrial Parts                          | 2,224         | 9.7%          | 3,956         | 8.4%          | 56.2%         |
| Iron & Steel                              | 1,746         | 7.6%          | 3,734         | 7.9%          | 46.8%         |
| Others                                    | 3,039         | 13.2%         | 5,672         | 12.2%         | 53.6%         |
| ■ Other Surface Modif.                    | 1,515         | 6.6%          | 2,877         | 6.1%          | 52.7%         |
| ■ Domestic Sub.                           | 1,230         | 5.4%          | 2,656         | 5.7%          | 46.3%         |
| ■ Overseas Sub.                           | 3,422         | 14.9%         | 7,254         | 15.4%         | 47.2%         |
| Royalty Income                            | 54            | 0.2%          | 150           | 0.3%          | 36.3%         |
| Operating Profit                          | 4,295         | 18.7%         | 8,700         | 18.5%         | 49.4%         |
| <b>Ordinary Profit</b>                    | <b>4,590</b>  | <b>20.0%</b>  | <b>8,700</b>  | <b>18.5%</b>  | <b>52.8%</b>  |
| Net Income Attributed to Owners of Parent | 2,985         | 13.0%         | 5,800         | 12.3%         | 51.5%         |
| Earnings Per Share (EPS)                  | 49.42JPY      | —             | 96.70JPY      | —             | 51.1%         |

# Forecast 2H FY2022

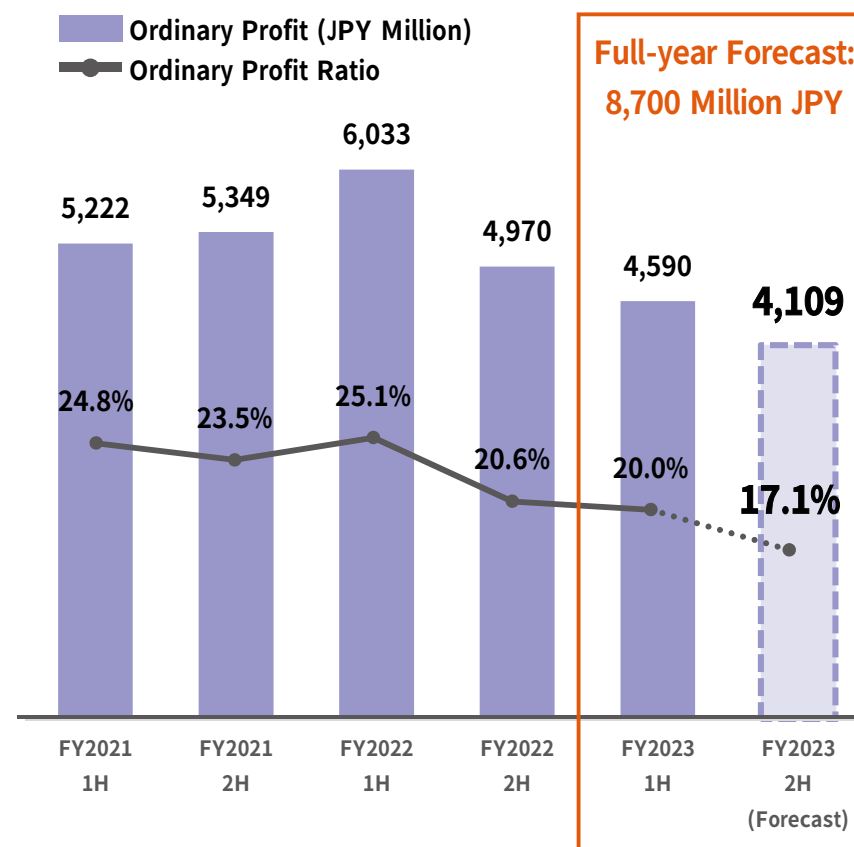
**POINT** The full-year forecast remains unchanged at 47,000 million JPY, and a recovery in the semiconductor field is still not expected

**POINT** Ordinary income is generally on track to reach the full-year forecast of 8,700 million JPY

## Net Sales



## Ordinary Profit

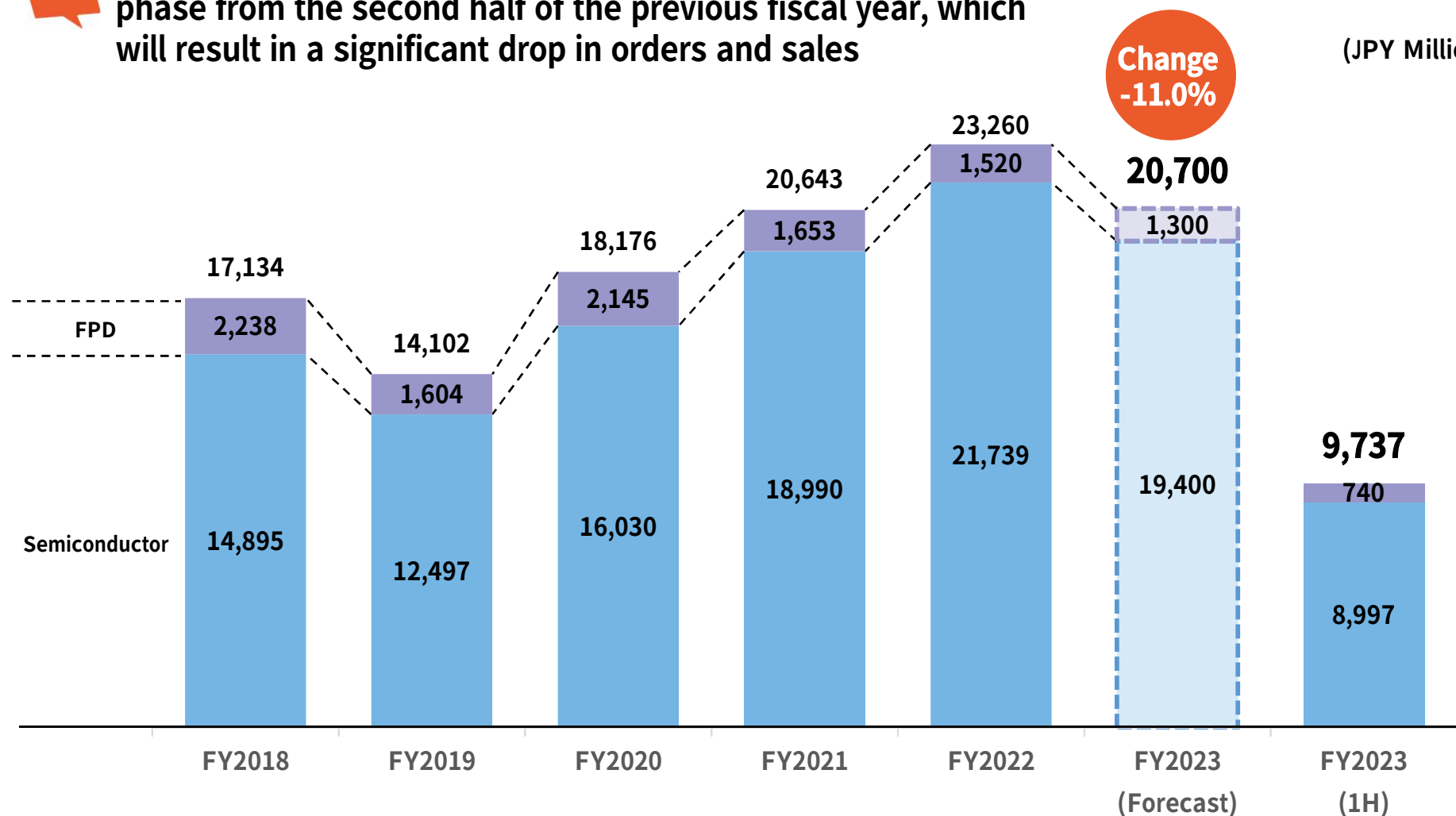


# Semiconductor & FPD Net Sales



The semiconductor industry entered a temporary adjustment phase from the second half of the previous fiscal year, which will result in a significant drop in orders and sales

(JPY Million)



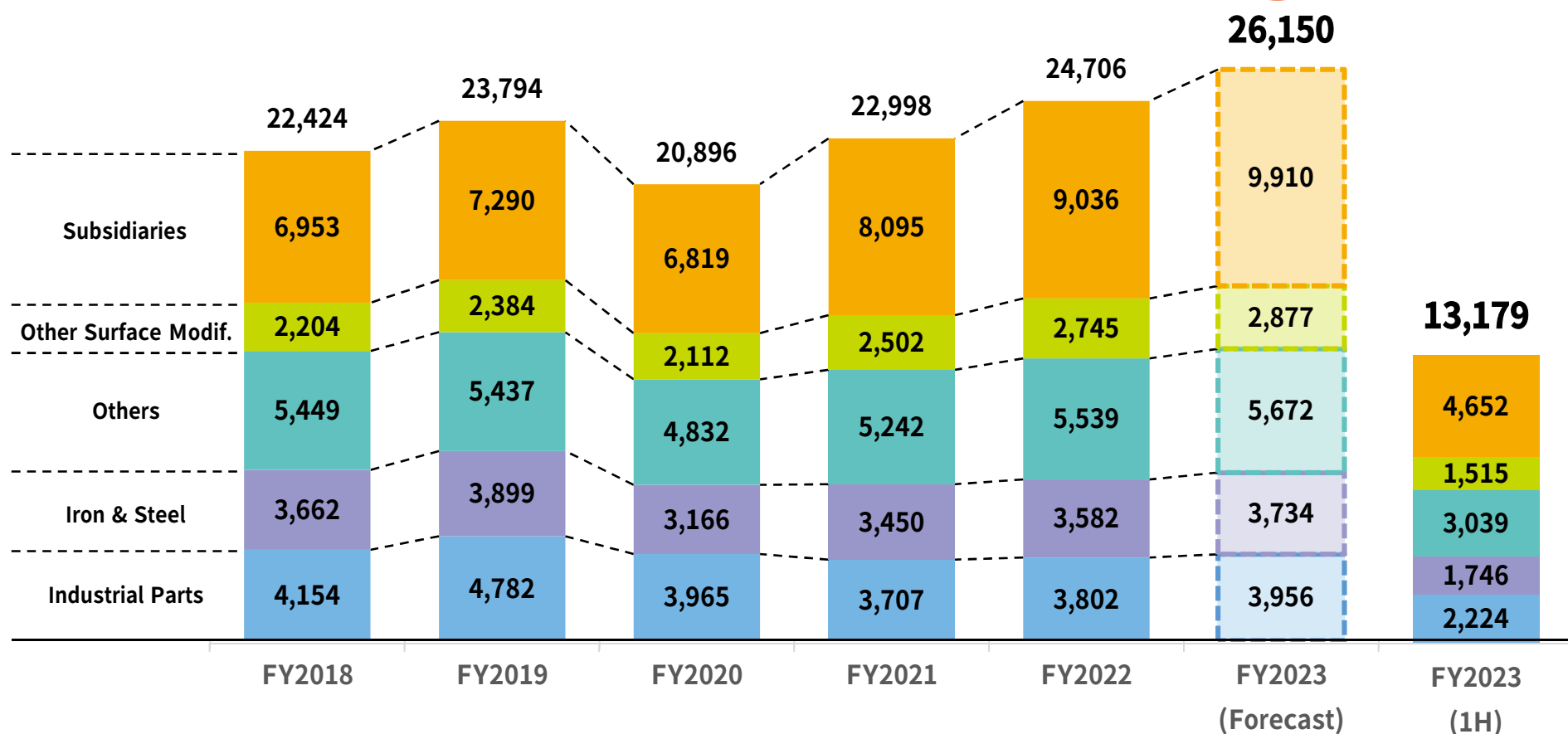
# Non-Semiconductor & FPD Net Sales



Sales are expected to increase in all non-semiconductor & FPD fields, including industrial parts, iron & steel, and subsidiaries

Change  
+5.8%

(JPY Million)

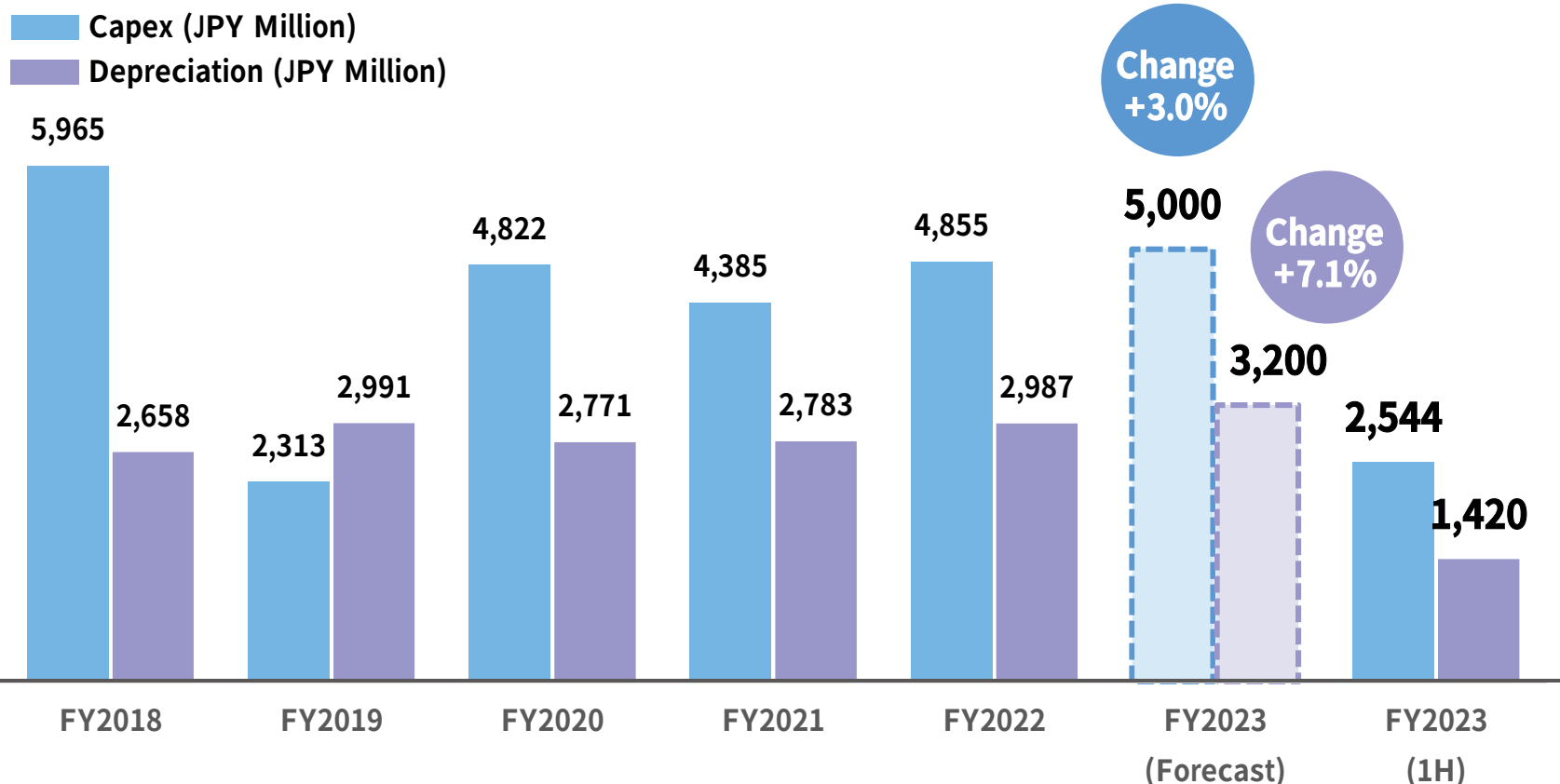


(Note) Royalty Income is not included in the Segment Net Sales

# Capital Investment and Depreciation

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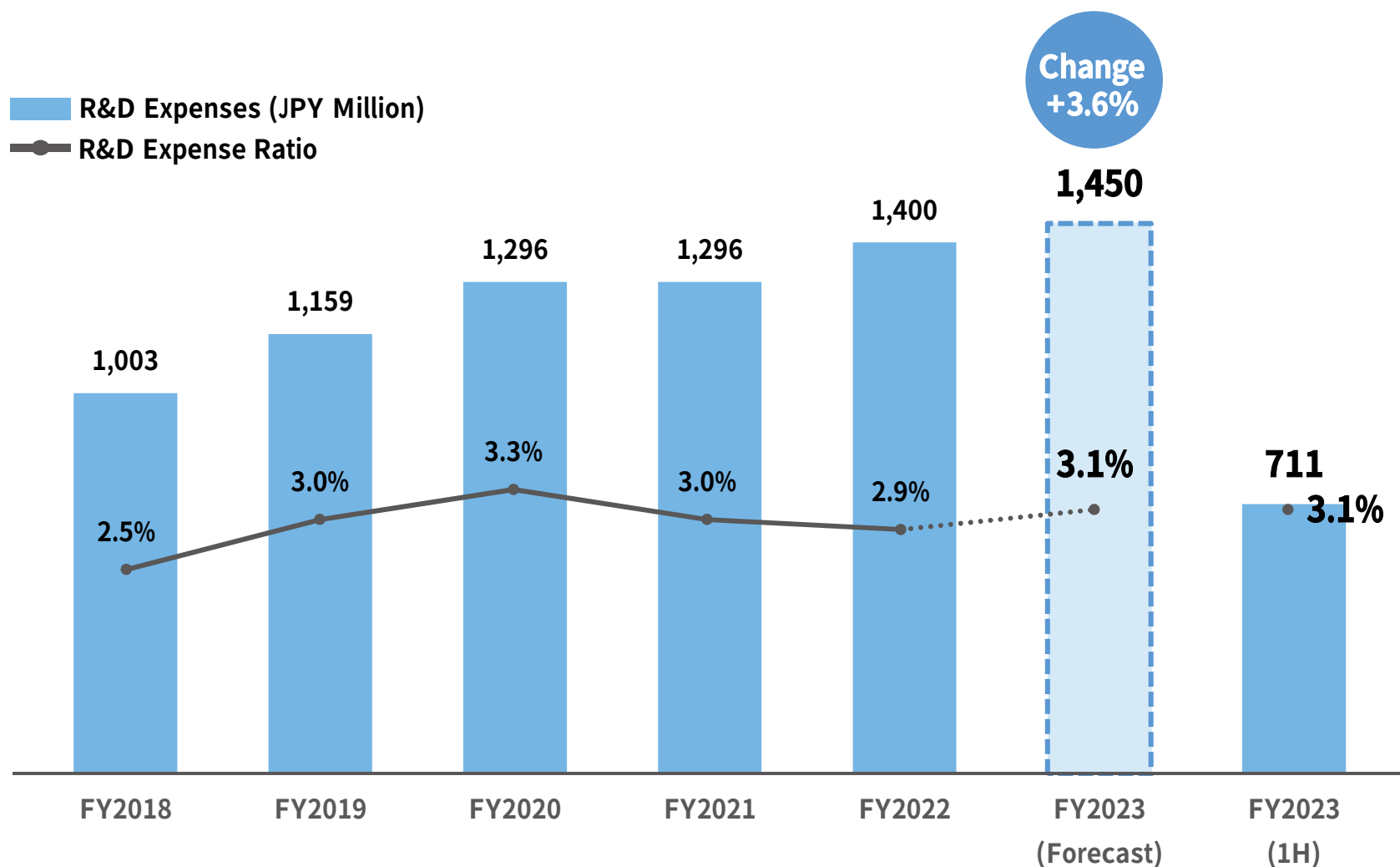
- **TOCALO** 2,600 Million JPY: Strengthening and streamlining production systems, primarily at the Tokyo, Akashi, and Kitakyushu plants
- **Domestic Subsidiaries** 300 Million JPY: Increasing production capacity, etc.
- **Overseas Subsidiaries** 2,100 Million JPY: Constructing a new plant at TOCALO & HAN TAI TW Co., Ltd. (Taiwan)



# R&D Expenses



R&D expenses will be maintained at around 3% of consolidated net sales





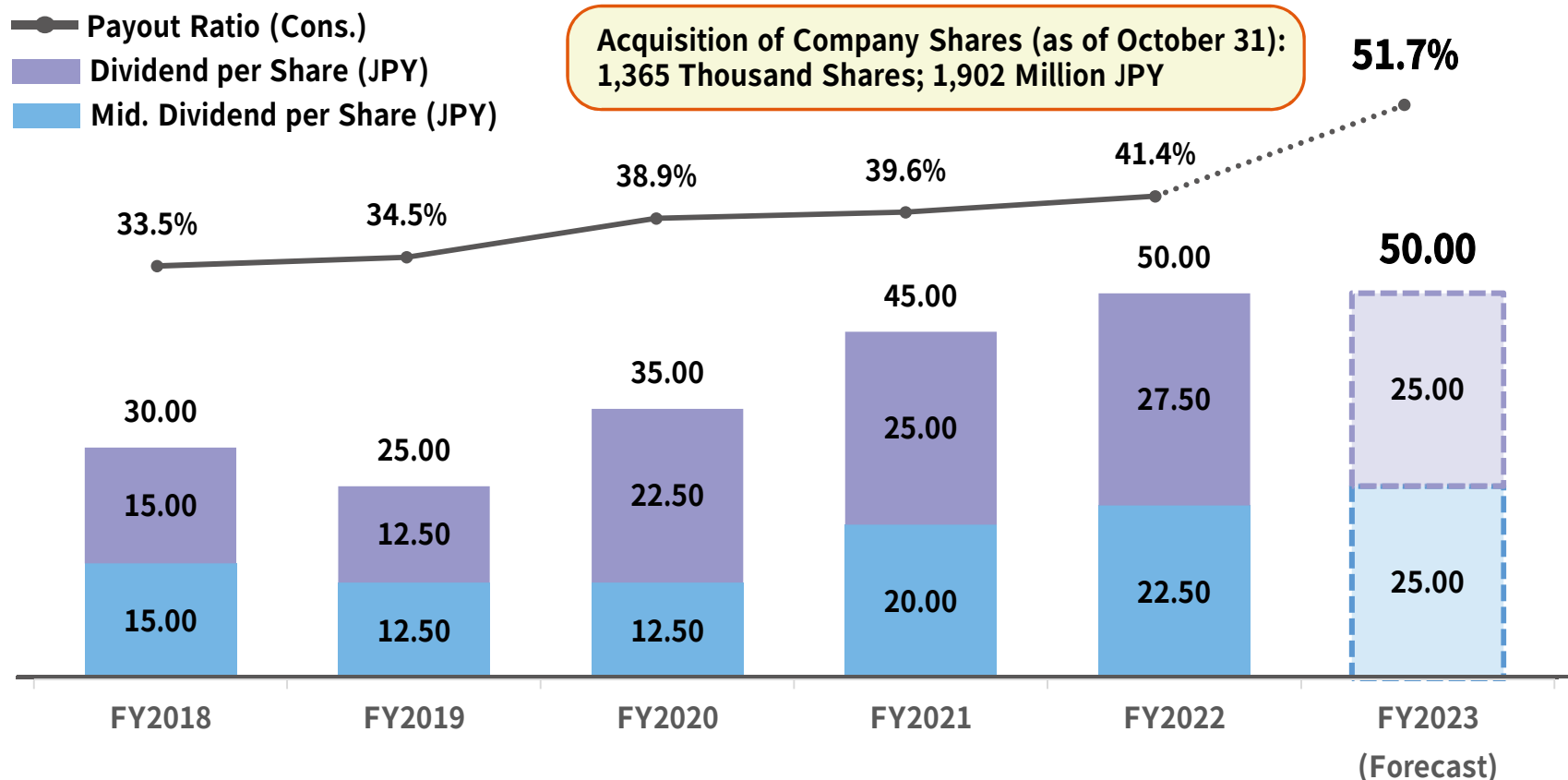
# Dividends

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An annual dividend of 50JPY is planned for FY2023 (a dividend payout ratio of 51.7%)

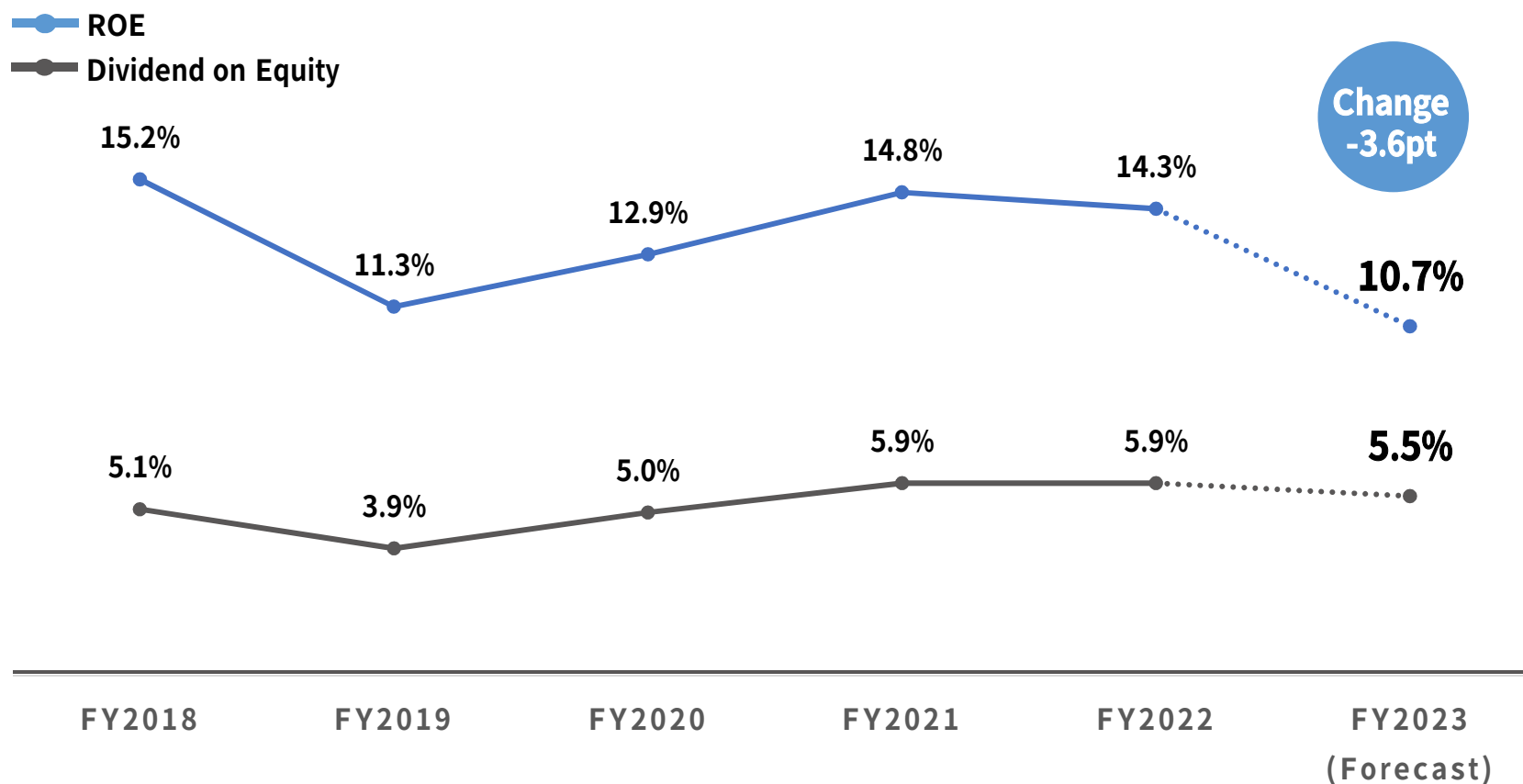
## Shareholder Return Policy

- Aiming for a dividend payout ratio of around 50% to further enhance shareholder returns
- Acquisition and retirement of outstanding company shares will also be implemented in a timely and appropriate manner, taking into consideration the business environment and the Company's financial position



# ROE and Dividend on Equity

**POINT** ROE\* decreased to 10.7%, but Dividend on Equity\* remained above 5%



\* ROE (Return on Equity) = Net income / Average equity during the period

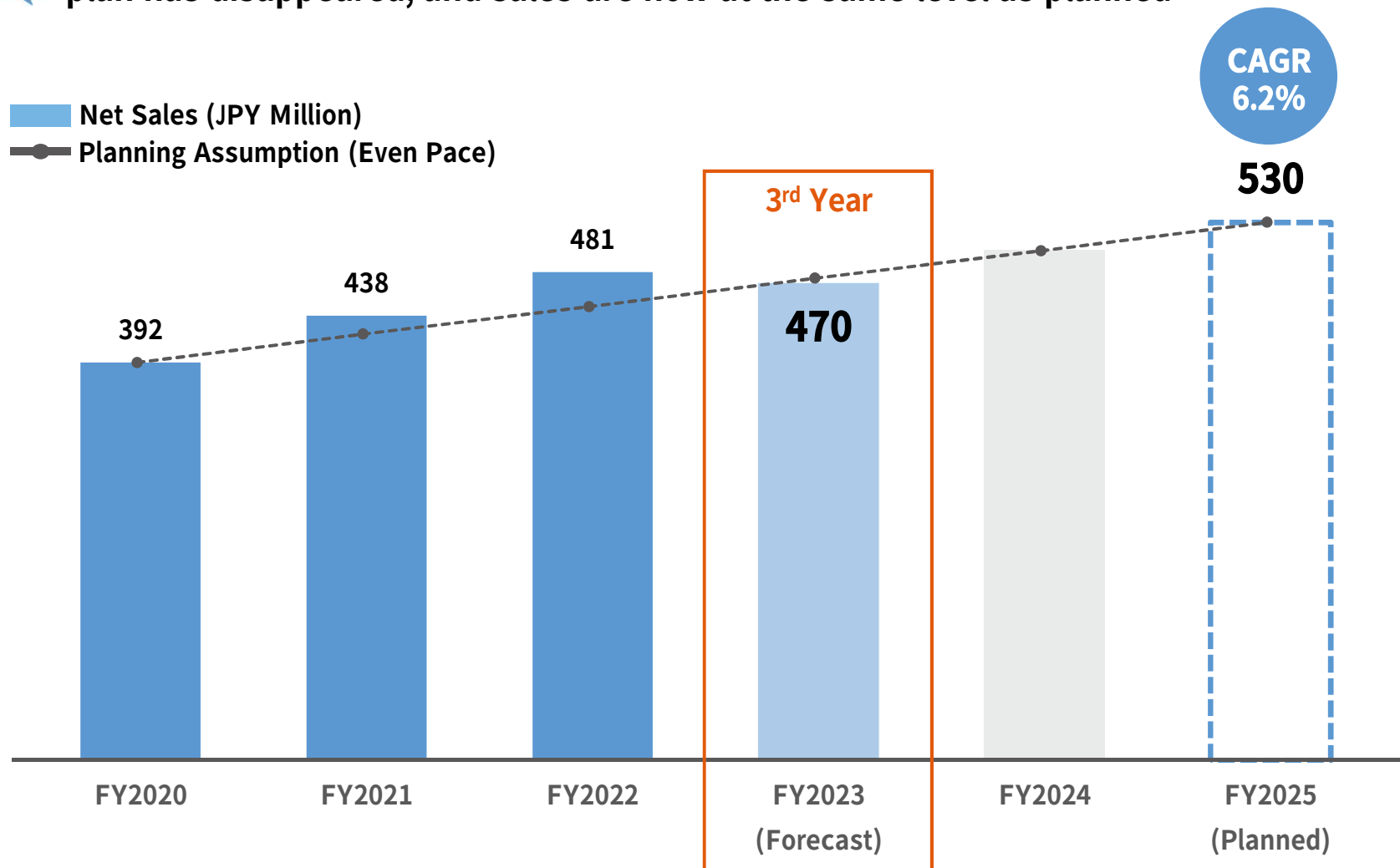
\* Dividend on Equity = Dividend per share / Average net assets per share during the period (=ROE × Dividend payout ratio)

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### **3. Progress of Medium-term Management Plan**

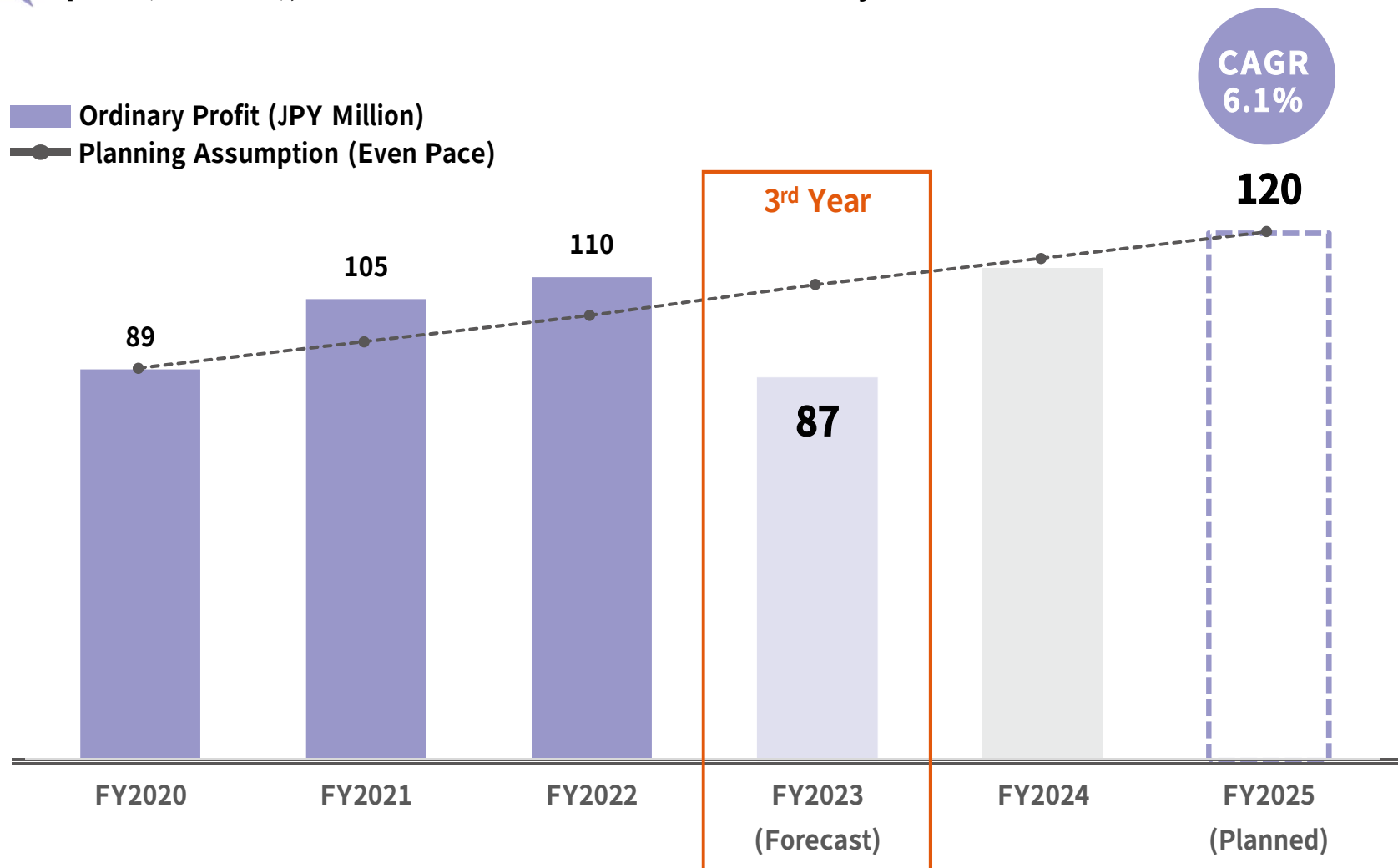
# Progress of Medium-term Management Plan (Net Sales)

**POINT** The strong increase in sales from the first and second years of the plan has disappeared, and sales are now at the same level as planned



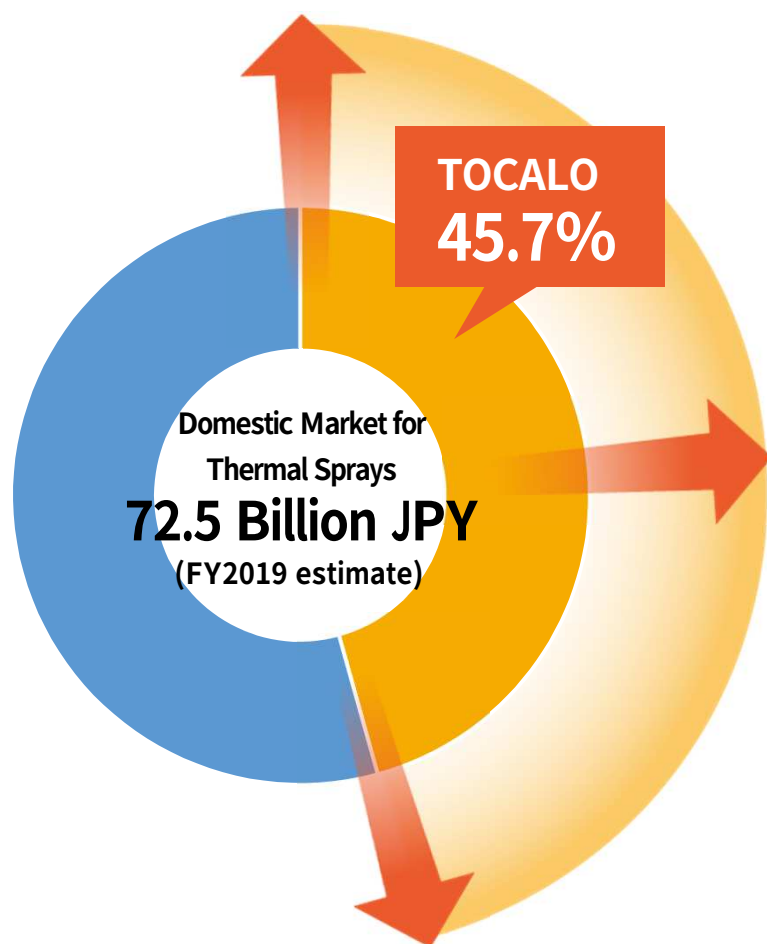
# Progress of Medium-term Management Plan (Ordinary Profit)

**POINT** Ordinary profit returned to where it was at the start of the plan (FY2020), and we aim to have it recover next year



# Growth Strategy Concept

As a leading manufacturer of thermal sprays, we are working to expand the market for thermal sprays by developing new coatings and creating new markets, rather than merely competing for a piece of the existing market.



## Semiconductor/FPD

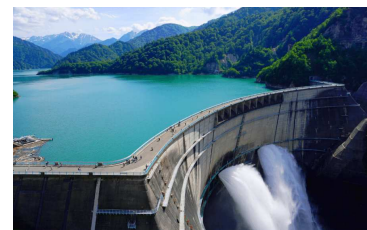
- Miniaturization, multilayers, and high aspect ratio (next-generation coatings)

## Energy

- Improve durability and power generation efficiency for wind and hydroelectric power generation equipment
- Measures to eliminate fossil fuels (hydrogen, ammonia, biomass, etc.)
- Creation of project in environmental businesses

## Materials

- Secondary battery materials, fuel cell materials
- Recycling facilities



## New Business Areas

- Medical equipment
- Agricultural machinery
- Electric vehicles, etc.



# Capital Investment from the Next Fiscal Year Onwards

POINT

## Construction of a new plant building at the Kobe Plant (decided)

- Use/Purpose: New orders, increased production, and improved production efficiency for the semiconductor and medical fields, etc.
- Location: 1-16-5 Mitsugaoka, Nishi-ku, Kobe City (450m from the existing Kobe Plant; land already acquired)
- Plant Overview: 3-story building, total floor area of 3,120m<sup>2</sup> (building area of 1,270m<sup>2</sup>)
- Construction Period: Construction to begin in May 2024, scheduled for completion in March 2025
- Construction Cost: 1,300 million JPY

POINT

## Construction of a new plant building at the Kitakyushu Plant (**under consideration**)

- Use/Purpose: New orders, increased production, and improved production efficiency for the semiconductor field
- Location: 10 Torigoe-cho, Kanda-machi, Miyako-gun, Fukuoka Prefecture (land adjacent to the Kitakyushu plant; land is owned by the Company)
- Plant Overview: 2-story building, total floor area of 7,500m<sup>2</sup> (not finalized)
- Construction Period: Construction to begin in February 2025, completion in spring 2026, and operation at the end of 2026 (not finalized)
- Construction Cost: 3,200 million JPY (not finalized)

POINT

## Construction of a new plant building at the Suzumi Workshop of the Tokyo Plant (**under consideration**)

- Use/Purpose: Partial transfer of production from the Tokyo Plant Gyoda Workshop to increase production for specific customers. In addition, will receive new orders, increase production, and improve production efficiency for the semiconductor and agricultural machinery fields
- Location: 631-13 Toyotomi-cho, Funabashi City, Chiba Prefecture (350m from Suzumi Workshop; land already acquired)
- An outline of the plant has not yet been determined (construction and relocation costs, etc. are expected to be approx. 3,000 million JPY)

# Financial Highlights

| (JPY Million)                             | FY2018<br>Result | FY2019<br>Result | FY2020<br>Result | FY2021<br>Result | FY2022<br>Result | FY2023<br>Forecast |
|-------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Orders Received                           | 38,915           | 38,011           | 39,021           | 45,394           | 48,419           | —                  |
| Backlog of Orders                         | 6,081            | 6,195            | 6,143            | 7,896            | 8,349            | —                  |
| Net Sales                                 | 39,742           | 38,084           | 39,294           | 43,813           | 48,144           | 47,000             |
| Operating Profit                          | 7,905            | 6,727            | 8,890            | 10,255           | 10,558           | 8,700              |
| Ordinary Profit                           | 8,076            | 6,812            | 8,914            | 10,571           | 11,003           | 8,700              |
| Ordinary Profit Ratio                     | 20.3%            | 17.9%            | 22.7%            | 24.1%            | 22.9%            | 18.5%              |
| Net Income Attributed to Owners of Parent | 5,441            | 4,404            | 5,463            | 6,909            | 7,350            | 5,800              |
| Earnings Per Share (EPS)                  | 89.51JPY         | 72.45JPY         | 89.86JPY         | 113.62JPY        | 120.83JPY        | 96.70JPY           |
| Total Assets                              | 57,278           | 61,122           | 64,183           | 69,517           | 74,263           | 74,700             |
| Equity                                    | 37,559           | 40,263           | 44,201           | 49,099           | 53,839           | 54,900             |
| Equity Ratio                              | 65.6%            | 65.9%            | 68.9%            | 70.6%            | 72.5%            | 73.5%              |
| Return on Equity (ROE)                    | 15.2%            | 11.3%            | 12.9%            | 14.8%            | 14.3%            | 10.7%              |
| Return on Assets (ROA)                    | 14.7%            | 11.5%            | 14.2%            | 15.8%            | 15.3%            | 11.7%              |
| Return on Invested Capital (ROIC)         | 13.3%            | 9.8%             | 11.9%            | 13.0%            | 12.5%            | 10.0%              |

(Note) ROE=Net income attribute to owners of parent / Average Equity during the period.

ROA=Ordinary Profit / Average Total Assets during the period.

ROIC=Operating Profit after tax / Average Invested Capital during the period.

Effective from the FY2021, the classification of Royalty Income has been changed from non-operating income to Net Sales



# Notes

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