Consolidated Financial Results for the Six Months Ended February 28, 2019 [Japanese GAAP]



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(Amounts of less than one million yen are rounded down.)

1. Consolidated Financial Results for the Six Months Ended February 28, 2019 (September 1, 2018 to February 28, 2019)

(1) Consolidated Operating Results

(% indicates changes from the previous corresponding period.)

	Net sales	Net sales		sales Operating income		Ordinary profit		Profit attributable to owners of parent	
Six months ended	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	
February 28, 2019	2,994	-	(11)	-	(10)	-	(22)	-	
February 28, 2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

Note: Comprehensive income: Six months ended February 28, 2019: ¥(27) million [- %]

Six months ended February 28, 2018: \(\frac{1}{2}\)- million [-\%]

	Basic earnings per share	Diluted earnings per share
Six months ended	Yen	Yen
February 28, 2019	(5.16)	-
February 28, 2018	-	-

Notes: 1. As the Company began preparing quarterly consolidated financial statements from the nine months ended May 31, 2018, consolidated operating results for the six months ended February 28, 2018 and changes from the previous corresponding period for the six months ended February 28, 2019 are not stated.

2. Diluted earnings per share for the six months ended February 28, 2019 are not stated because it was a loss per share, despite the existence of dilutive shares.

(2) Consolidated Financial Position

	Total assets	Net assets	Equity ratio
	Million yen	Million yen	%
As of February 28, 2019	2,493	1,586	63.4
As of August 31, 2018	2,903	1,848	63.3

Reference: Equity: As of February 28, 2019: ¥1,580 million As of August 31, 2018: ¥1,836 million

2. Dividends

		Annual dividends						
	1st quarter-end	2nd quarter-end	3rd quarter-end	Year-end	Total			
	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen			
Fiscal year ended August 31, 2018	-	0.00	-	6.00	6.00			
Fiscal year ending August 31, 2019	-	0.00						
Fiscal year ending August 31, 2019 (Forecast)			-	6.00	6.00			

Note: Revision to the most recently announced dividend forecast: No

3. Consolidated Financial Results Forecast for the Fiscal Year Ending August 31, 2019 (September 1, 2018 to August 31, 2019)

(% indicates changes from the previous corresponding period.)

	Net sales		Operating inc	Operating income C		Ordinary profit		utable parent	Basic earnings per share
	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Yen
Full year	7,107	7.2	356	2.0	319	(6.2)	265	3.8	61.31

Note: Revision to the most recently announced financial results forecast: No

* Notes:

- (1) Changes in significant subsidiaries during the period under review (changes in specified subsidiaries resulting in changes in scope of consolidation): No
- (2) Accounting policies adopted specially for the preparation of the quarterly consolidated financial statements: No
- (3) Changes in accounting policies, changes in accounting estimates and retrospective restatement
 - 1) Changes in accounting policies due to the revision of accounting standards: No
 - 2) Changes in accounting policies other than 1) above: No
 - 3) Changes in accounting estimates: No
 - 4) Retrospective restatement: No
- (4) Total number of shares issued (common shares)
 - 1) Total number of shares issued at the end of the period (including treasury shares):

February 28, 2019: 4,760,000 shares

August 31, 2018: 4,760,000 shares

2) Total number of treasury shares at the end of the period:

February 28, 2019: 469,339 shares

August 31, 2018: 219,339 shares

3) Average number of shares during the period:

Six months ended February 28, 2019: 4,358,605 shares

Six months ended February 28, 2018: 4,315,771 shares

- * These quarterly financial results are outside the scope of quarterly review by certified public accountants or audit firms
- * Explanation on the proper use of the financial results forecast and other notes Note on forward-looking statements, etc.

The earnings forecasts and other forward-looking statements herein are based on information available to the Company and certain assumptions deemed reasonable as at the date of publication of this document. The Company makes no warranty as to the achievability of these forecasts. Actual results may differ significantly from these forecasts due to various factors. Please refer to P. 4 "1. Qualitative Information on Quarterly Financial Results for the Period under Review (3) Explanation on Consolidated Financial Results Forecast and Other Forward-looking Information" of the Appendix.

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1. Qualitative Information on Quarterly Financial Results for the Period under Review

(1) Explanation on Business Results

The Japanese economy during the six months ended February 28, 2019 followed a moderate recovery trend as corporate earnings and the employment environment continued to improve. Meanwhile, a sense of uncertainty about the economic outlook persisted amid unease in the global economy including the intensified trade friction between the U.S. and China, the economic downturn in Europe, the Brexit issue, and other unpredictable economic trends and policies.

In the casual fashion industry where the Company operates, the operating environment continued to be severe due to labor shortages and soaring logistics costs, in addition to intensifying competition with excessive provision of services by other companies.

Under these circumstances, the revitalization project launched in April 2016 has largely been completed in the previous fiscal year, and the Company is steering toward a growth strategy for further business expansion in the fiscal year under review.

The Company's focus has mainly been to rapidly improve operational efficiency through e-commerce, AI, and other technologies, as well as to expand the projects developed by consolidated subsidiary ATLAB. As the first half was devoted to upfront investment, the Company foresees positive effects to appear in sales and profit from the second half, and current figures are progressing generally favorably against the plan.

As a result, for the six months ended February 28, 2019, net sales were \(\frac{4}{2}\),994 million, operating loss was \(\frac{4}{11}\) million, ordinary loss was \(\frac{4}{10}\) million, and loss attributable to owners of parent was \(\frac{4}{22}\) million.

As the Company did not prepare quarterly consolidated financial statements for the previous corresponding period, comparisons with the previous corresponding period are not available.

Operating results by business segment are as follows.

Internet Retailing Business

In the Internet Retailing Business, in order to keep the competitors' services at bay, the Company has continued to improve usability though efforts such as a systematic reconstruction of the Company's website using cutting-edge technology and internalizing the app production process from May 2019. It was a period of prior investment for the segment.

As a result, net sales were \(\frac{\pma}{1}\),706 million and segment profit was \(\frac{\pma}{9}\)8 million.

Store Retailing Business

In the Store Retailing Business, with the closing of three stores since the end of the previous fiscal year, the Company's store count was 29 at the end of the second quarter. Although the store closing conducted in and before the previous year still had an impact on sales, existing stores are performing well ever since the previous fiscal year, creating a steady profit trend supported also by the cost reduction effect from store closing.

As a result, net sales were \(\frac{\pma}{1}\),147 million and segment profit was \(\frac{\pma}{5}\)7 million.

Wholesale Distribution Business

In the Wholesale Distribution Business, sales have been steady with increased sales to new major customers. As a result, net sales were ¥113 million and segment loss was ¥7 million.

(2) Explanation on Financial Position

1) Status of assets, liabilities, and net assets

Current assets

Current assets as of the end of the second quarter decreased by ¥517 million from the end of the previous fiscal year to ¥1,883 million. This is mainly attributable to decreases in cash and deposits and notes and accounts receivable – trade by ¥431 million and ¥168 million, respectively, in spite of an increase in merchandise and finished goods by ¥68 million.

Non-current assets

Non-current assets as of the end of the second quarter increased by \\$107 million from the end of the previous fiscal year to \\$609 million. This is mainly attributable to increases in property, plant and equipment, intangible assets, and lease and guarantee deposits by \\$13 million, \\$12 million, and \\$91 million, respectively.

Deferred assets

Deferred assets as of the end of the second quarter decreased by ¥0 million from the end of the previous fiscal year to ¥0 million.

Current liabilities

Current liabilities as of the end of the second quarter decreased by \\$132 million from the end of the previous fiscal year to \\$618 million. This is mainly attributable to decreases in income taxes payable, asset retirement obligations, and other current liabilities by \\$28 million, \\$6 million, and \\$153 million, respectively, in spite of increases in accounts payable – trade and short-term loans payable by \\$7 million and \\$50 million, respectively.

Non-current liabilities

Non-current liabilities as of the end of the second quarter decreased by \$16 million from the end of the previous fiscal year to \$288 million. This is mainly attributable to a decrease in net defined benefit liability by \$16 million.

Net assets

Net assets as of the end of the second quarter decreased by ¥261 million from the end of the previous fiscal year to ¥1,586 million. This is mainly attributable to decreases in retained earnings from loss attributable to owners of parents, cash dividends paid and purchase of treasury shares of ¥22 million, ¥27 million, and ¥206 million, respectively.

2) Status of cash flows

Cash and cash equivalents (hereinafter referred to as "net cash") for the six months ended February 28, 2019 were ¥936 million. Cash flows for the six months ended February 28, 2019 and associated factors are described below.

Cash flows from operating activities

Net cash used in operating activities during the six months ended February 28, 2019 amounted to \(\frac{\pmathbf{1}}{17}\) million. This is mainly attributable to an increase due to a decrease in notes and accounts receivable – trade of \(\frac{\pmathbf{1}}{16}\) million and decreases due to loss before income taxes of \(\frac{\pmathbf{1}}{12}\) million, a decrease in net defined benefit liability of \(\frac{\pmathbf{1}}{16}\) million, an increase in inventories of \(\frac{\pmathbf{7}}{17}\) million, a decrease in accounts payable – other of \(\frac{\pmathbf{2}}{21}\) million, a decrease in accrued expenses of \(\frac{\pmathbf{1}}{17}\) million, a decrease in deposits received of \(\frac{\pmathbf{3}}{34}\) million, and income taxes paid of \(\frac{\pmathbf{2}}{28}\) million.

Cash flows from investing activities

Net cash used in investing activities during the six months ended February 28, 2019 amounted to ¥155 million. This is mainly attributable to an increase due to proceeds from collection of lease and guarantee deposits of ¥16 million and decreases due to purchase of property, plant and equipment of ¥21 million, payments for retirement of property, plant and equipment of ¥14 million, purchase of intangible assets of ¥23 million, and payments for lease and guarantee deposits of ¥107 million.

Cash flows from financing activities

Net cash used in financing activities during the six months ended February 28, 2019 amounted to \(\frac{\text{\$\text{\$\frac{4}}}}{257}\) million. This is mainly attributable to an increase due to net increase in short-term loans payable of \(\frac{\text{\$\tex{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$

(3) Explanation on Consolidated Financial Results Forecast and Other Forward-looking Information No revisions have been made to the full year consolidated financial results forecast released in the "Consolidated Financial Results for the Fiscal Year Ended August 31, 2018 [Japanese GAAP]" on October 10, 2018.

2. Quarterly Consolidated Financial Statements and Primary Notes

(1) Quarterly Consolidated Balance Sheets

(Thousand yen)

	As of August 31, 2018	As of February 28, 2019
Assets		
Current assets		
Cash and deposits	1,368,115	936,763
Notes and accounts receivable - trade	428,691	260,558
Merchandise and finished goods	563,614	632,556
Work in process	1,248	1,759
Raw materials and supplies	3,769	5,128
Other	40,655	50,970
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(4,663)	(3,882)
Total current assets	2,401,431	1,883,853
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment	108,661	122,086
Intangible assets	59,442	71,841
Investments and other assets		
Lease and guarantee deposits	209,391	300,700
Other	124,014	114,636
Total investments and other assets	333,406	415,336
Total non-current assets	501,510	609,265
Deferred assets	250	218
Total assets	2,903,192	2,493,338
Liabilities	_,,,,,,,,	2,150,000
Current liabilities		
Accounts payable - trade	197,736	205,348
Short-term loans payable	140,000	190,000
Income taxes payable	42,263	13,691
Provision for bonuses	35,000	35,000
Provision for sales returns	300	-
Asset retirement obligations	6,990	_
Other	328,161	174,352
Total current liabilities	750,452	618,392
Non-current liabilities	,,,,,,,,	010,622
Net defined benefit liability	191,756	175,601
Asset retirement obligations	85,639	89,091
Other	27,203	23,677
Total non-current liabilities	304,599	288,370
Total liabilities	1,055,052	906,762
Net assets	1,033,032	700,702
Shareholders' equity		
Capital stock	393,188	393,188
Capital surplus	716,654	716,654
Retained earnings	795,154	745,406
Treasury shares	(68,678)	(275,013)
Total shareholders' equity	1,836,318	1,580,236
	1,830,318	1,380,230
Accumulated other comprehensive income Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	620	242
		343
Total accumulated other comprehensive income	620	343
Non-controlling interests	11,200	5,996
Total net assets	1,848,140	1,586,575
Total liabilities and net assets	2,903,192	2,493,338

(2) Quarterly Consolidated Statements of Income and Comprehensive Income Quarterly Consolidated Statements of Income

Six Months Ended February 28

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	(Thousand yen)
	For the six months
	ended February 28, 2019
Net sales	2,994,367
Cost of sales	1,259,662
Gross profit	1,734,705
Selling, general and administrative expenses	
Salaries and allowances	414,100
Provision for bonuses	35,000
Retirement benefit expenses	17,348
Business consignment expenses	397,965
Rents	275,642
Provision of allowance for doubtful accounts	(780)
Other	606,768
Total selling, general and administrative expenses	1,746,044
Operating loss	(11,339)
Non-operating income	
Interest income	20
Dividend income	33
Compensation income	9,713
Other	1,049
Total non-operating income	10,816
Non-operating expenses	
Interest expenses	1,055
Foreign exchange losses	2,051
Commission fee	5,294
Other	1,160
Total non-operating expenses	9,561
Ordinary loss	(10,084)
Extraordinary losses	
Impairment loss	2,627
Total extraordinary losses	2,627
Loss before income taxes	(12,711)
Income taxes - current	3,485
Income taxes - deferred	11,510
Total income taxes	14,996
Loss	(27,708)
Loss attributable to non-controlling interests	(5,204)
Loss attributable to owners of parent	(22,503)
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Quarterly Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income Six Months Ended February 28

(Thousand yen)

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	For the six months ended February 28, 2019
Loss	(27,708)
Other comprehensive income	
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	(277)
Total other comprehensive income	(277)
Comprehensive income	(27,985)
Comprehensive income attributable to	
Comprehensive income attributable to owners of parent	(22,780)
Comprehensive income attributable to non-controlling interests	(5,204)

	(Thousand yen)
	For the six months
	ended February 28, 2019
Cash flows from operating activities	
Loss before income taxes	(12,711)
Depreciation	26,727
Impairment loss	2,627
Amortization of long-term prepaid expenses	1,659
Increase (decrease) in net defined benefit liability	(16,155)
Increase (decrease) in allowance for doubtful accounts	(780)
Interest and dividend income	(53)
Interest expenses	1,055
Foreign exchange losses (gains)	(16)
Decrease (increase) in notes and accounts receivable - trade	168,133
Decrease (increase) in inventories	(70,813)
Decrease (increase) in prepaid expenses	(9,364)
Increase (decrease) in notes and accounts payable - trade	7,612
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable - other	(21,005)
Increase (decrease) in accrued expenses	(17,525)
Increase (decrease) in accrued consumption taxes	(8,657)
Increase (decrease) in deposits received	(34,833)
Other, net	(13,757)
Subtotal	2,141
Interest and dividend income received	53
Interest expenses paid	(1,037)
Proceeds from compensation	9,713
Income taxes paid	(28,713)
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	(17,841)
Cash flows from investing activities	
Purchase of investment securities	(0)
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(21,990)
Payments for retirement of property, plant and equipment	(14,277)
Purchase of intangible assets	(23,945)
Payments for lease and guarantee deposits	(107,384)
Proceeds from collection of lease and guarantee deposits	16,075
Purchase of long-term prepaid expenses	(4,464)
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	(155,987)
Cash flows from financing activities	
Net increase (decrease) in short-term loans payable	50,000
Repayments of long-term loans payable	(69,984)
Repayments of finance lease obligations	(4,315)
Purchase of treasury shares	(206,334)
Cash dividends paid	(26,904)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	(257,539)
Effect of exchange rate change on cash and cash equivalents	16
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(431,352)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	1,368,115
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	936,763
	930,703

(4) Notes to the Quarterly Consolidated Financial Statements

Notes on going concern assumption

Not applicable.

Notes in the case of significant changes in shareholders' equity

Based on a Board of Directors' resolution made on October 10, 2018, the Company repurchased 250,000 treasury shares. As a result, treasury shares increased by \(\frac{\pma}{2}\)206 million during the six months ended February 28, 2019 to \(\frac{\pma}{2}\)275 million as of February 28, 2019.

Segment information

For the six months ended February 28, 2019

1. Information on net sales and profit (loss) by reportable segment

(Thousand yen)

		Reportable	segment		Other	Adjustment	Quarterly Consolidated	
	Internet Retailing Business	Store Retailing Business	Wholesale Distribution Business	Total	(Note 1)	(Note 2)	Financial Statements (Note 3)	
Net sales Net sales to outside customers Inter-segment net sales or transfers	1,706,696 –	1,147,586	113,550	2,967,833	26,533	-	2,994,367	
Total	1,706,696	1,147,586	113,550	2,967,833	26,533	_	2,994,367	
Segment profit (loss)	98,325	57,201	(7,031)	148,495	7,002	(166,837)	(11,339)	

Notes:

- 1. "Other" is a segment for businesses that do not fall under any reportable segments such as the license business.
- 2. The adjustment for segment profit (loss) includes corporate expenses of ¥166,837 thousand not allocated to reportable segments. These corporate expenses are mainly general and administrative expenses at the Company's administrative departments, etc. which do not belong to any reportable segments.
- 3. Segment profit (loss) is reconciled with operating loss in the quarterly consolidated statements of income.
- 2. Information on impairment loss on non-current assets or goodwill, etc. by reportable segment Information is omitted due to lack of materiality.