

Fiscal quarter ended June 2012

supplementary financial summary –

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Consolidated results for fiscal quarter ended June 2012

Summary of financial results



(¥ billion)

	April–June 2011	April–Sept. 2011	April–June 2012	April–Sept. 2012 forecast in May	_	–June s. 2012 % change
Net sales ¹	368.0	784.4	365.0	847.0	(3.0)	-0.8%
Operating income	30.2	63.8	10.8	45.0	(19.4)	-64.1%
Ordinary income	30.4	62.1	8.1	46.0	(22.2)	-73.2%
Net income	19.4	38.2	3.2	25.5	(16.2)	-83.7%

¹ The accounting policy for naphtha resale was changed in Q4 2011 to exclude the naphtha resale amount from net sales, which is applied retroactively for the full FY 2011. (Naphtha resale amount was ¥8.2 billion in Q1 2011 and ¥17.7 billion in H1 2011.)

Key operating factors

Naphtha price (¥/kL, domestic)	59,000	56,950	60,600	62,000
¥/US\$ exchange rate (market average)	82	80	80	80

Financial position

	At end of March 2012	At end of June 2012	Increase
	At end of March 2012	At end of June 2012	(decrease)
Total assets	1,410.6	1,655.7	245.1
Equity	706.8	693.9	(12.9)
Interest-bearing debt	184.1	399.5	215.3
Debt/equity ratio	0.26	0.57	0.31

Statements of income



						(1 Dillion,
	April–Ju	ne 2011	April–Ju	ne 2012	Increase	%
		% of sales		% of sales	(decrease)	change
Net sales ¹	368.0	100.0%	365.0	100.0%	(3.0)	-0.8%
Cost of sales	268.4	72.9%	274.4	75.2%	6.0	+2.2%
Gross profit	99.6	27.1%	90.6	24.8%	(8.9)	-9.0%
Selling, general and administrative expenses	69.3	18.8%	79.8	21.9%	10.5	+15.1%
Operating income	30.2	8.2%	10.8	3.0%	(19.4)	-64.1%
Net non-operating income (expenses)	0.1		(2.7)		(2.8)	
of which,						
net financing income (expense)	0.7		0.6		(0.2)	
net equity in earnings (losses) of affiliates	0.7		(0.5)		(1.2)	
foreign exchange loss	(1.2)		(1.5)		(0.3)	
Ordinary income	30.4	8.3%	8.1	2.2%	(22.2)	-73.2%
Net extraordinary income (loss)	(1.8)		(1.2)		0.7	
Income before income taxes and minority interests	28.5	7.8%	7.0	1.9%	(21.6)	-75.6%
Income taxes	(8.9)		(3.8)		5.1	
Minority interests in income	(0.3)		(0.1)		0.2	
Net income	19.4	5.3%	3.2	0.9%	(16.2)	-83.7%

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Balance sheets



(¥ billion)

									(# Dillion)
		At end of Mar. 2012	At end of Jun. 2012	Increase (decrease)			At end of Mar. 2012	At end of Jun. 2012	Increase (decrease)
Current assets	5	721.8	777.8	56.0	Li	abilities	691.3	950.2	259.0
Cash and	deposits	102.9	111.3	8.4		Current liabilities	449.6	683.2	233.6
Notes and receivable-		266.1	270.1	4.1		Noncurrent liabilities	241.7	267.0	25.3
Inventories	5	279.2	304.5	25.3	N	et assets	719.3	705.4	(13.9)
Other curr	ent assets	73.6	91.8	18.2	Shareholders' equity		696.8	693.2	(3.6)
Noncurrent a	ssets	688.8	877.9	189.1		Capital stock	103.4	103.4	_
Property, pequipment	•	416.1	433.2	17.1		Capital surplus	79.4	79.4	(0.0)
Intangible	assets	45.2	219.1	173.9		Retained earnings	516.4	512.8	(3.6)
Investmen other asset		227.5	225.5	(2.0)		Treasury stock	(2.4)	(2.4)	(0.0)
outer dosect	J					Accumulated other comprehensive income	10.0	0.8	(9.3)
						Minority interests	12.4	11.5	(1.0)
Total assets		1,410.6	1,655.7	245.1	Тс	otal liabilities and net assets	1,410.6	1,655.7	245.1

Note: Effect of consolidation of ZOLL Medical Corporation, etc. is shown on p. 29.

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	(Q1 2011	Q1 2012
a. Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities		12.9	4.7
b. Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities		(18.8)	(197.0)
c. Free cash flows [a+b]		(5.9)	(192.3)
d. Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities		(26.3)	206.1
e. Effect of exchange rate change on cash and cash equiv	valents	1.1	(5.3)
f. Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	[c+d+e]	(31.1)	8.5
g. Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period		134.4	96.4
h. Increase in cash and cash equivalents resulting from of scope of consolidation	change	1.5	0.1
i. Effect of change in the reporting period of consolidate subsidiaries and affiliates	ed	0.5	(5.3)
j. Cash and cash equivalents at end of period [f+g+h+i]		105.4	99.6

Sales and operating income by segment



		Sales ¹		Оре	erating inco	ome
	Q1 2011	Q1 2012	Increase (decrease)	Q1 2011	Q1 2012	Increase (decrease)
Chemicals	177.9	161.1	(16.8)	19.4	4.3	(15.1)
Homes	79.2	86.3	7.1	3.6	3.6	0.0
Health Care	29.4	32.4	3.0	2.6	4.7	2.2
Fibers	27.7	26.3	(1.5)	1.4	0.6	(0.9)
Electronics	39.8	34.0	(5.8)	4.8	(0.4)	(5.2)
Construction Materials	10.1	11.5	1.5	0.2	0.5	0.3
Critical Care ²		9.1	9.1		(0.5)	(0.5)
Others	4.0	4.4	0.4	0.4	0.8	0.4
Corporate expenses and eliminations	_			(2.2)	(2.9)	(0.7)
Consolidated	368.0	365.0	(3.0)	30.2	10.8	(19.4)

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Sales and operating income increases/decreases by segment (i)



					-				(# Dillion)	
				Net		Increa	se (decrease) due to:		
		Q1 2011	Q1 2012	increase (decrease)	Sales volume	Sales prices	of which, due to foreign exchange	Others	Operating costs and others	
Chemicals	Sales ¹	177.9	161.1	(16.8)	(11.5)	(F. 2)	(0.7)			
Chemicals	Operating income	19.4	4.3	(15.1)	(2.0)	(5.3)	(0.7)		(7.7)	
Homes	Sales	79.2	86.3	7.1	13.7	(1.4)		(5.2)		
	Operating income	3.6	3.6	0.0	4.8	(1.4)	_		(3.4)	
Hoolth Core	Sales	29.4	32.4	3.0	4.1	(1.1)	(1 1)	(0.4)	0.0	_
Health Care	Operating income	2.6	4.7	2.2	3.7	(1.1)	(0.4)		(0.5)	
Fibers	Sales	27.7	26.3	(1.5)	(1.0)	(0.5)	(0.3)			
ribers	Operating income	1.4	0.6	(0.9)	(0.3)	(0.3)	(0.3)		(0.1)	
Electronics	Sales	39.8	34.0	(5.8)	(3.0)	(2.8)	(0.2)			
	Operating income	4.8	(0.4)	(5.2)	(2.0)	, ,	(U.Z)		(0.3)	

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Sales and operating income increases/decreases by segment (ii)



									(* DIIIIOII)
				NIat		Increa	se (decrease) due to:	
		Q1 2011	Q1 2012	Net increase (decrease)	Sales volume	Sales prices	of which, due to foreign exchange	Others	Operating costs and others
Construction	Sales	10.1	11.5	1.5	1.4	0.1		_	_
Materials	Operating income	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.1			(0.1)
Critical Care ¹	Sales	_	9.1	9.1	_			9.1	_
Critical Care	Operating loss		(0.5)	(0.5)					(0.5)
Others	Sales	4.0	4.4	0.4	0.4				
Others	Operating income	0.4	0.8	0.4	0.4				0.0
Corporate expenses and eliminations	Operating loss	(2.2)	(2.9)	(0.7)					(0.7)
Consolidated	Sales ²	368.0	365.0	(3.0)	4.1	(11.0)	(1.6)	3.9	
Corisonateu	Operating income	30.2	10.8	(19.4)	4.9	(11.0)	(1.6)		(13.2)

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Forecast for first half fiscal 2012

Consolidated operating performance



(¥ billion)

FY 20		FY 2011		H1	H1 2012 forecast			H1 2012 forecast in May	Increase (decrease)
	H1 a	H2	Total	Q1	Q2 forecast	Total b	(decrease) b–a	C C	b-c
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Net sales ¹	784.4	788.8	1,573.2	365.0	429.0	794.0	9.6	847.0	(53.0)
Operating income	63.8	40.5	104.3	10.8	24.7	35.5	(28.3)	45.0	(9.5)
Ordinary income	62.1	45.4	107.6	8.1	24.4	32.5	(29.6)	46.0	(13.5)
Net income	38.2	17.6	55.8	3.2	15.3	18.5	(19.7)	25.5	(7.0)

¹ The accounting policy for naphtha resale was changed in Q4 2011 to exclude the naphtha resale amount from net sales, which is applied retroactively for the full FY 2011. (Naphtha resale amount was ¥17.7 billion in H1 2011 and ¥22.0 billion in H2 2011.)

Key operating factors

Naphtha price (¥/kL, domestic)	56,950	52,900	54,925	60,600	49,000	54,800	(2,150)	62,000	(7,200)
¥/US\$ exchange rate (market average)	80	78	79	80	77	79	(1)	80	(1)

	FY 2011	H1 2012 (planned)
Dividends per share	¥14	¥7

Sales¹ forecast by segment



										(# DIIIIOII)
		FY 201	1		FY 2012	2		111 2012		Increase
	Q1	Q2	1st half	Q1	Q2 forecast	1st half forecast	Increase (decrease)	H1 2012 forecast in May	Increase (decrease)	(decrease) from Q1 to Q2 2012 forecast
Chemicals	177.9	182.2	360.1	161.1	172.9	334.0	(26.1)	385.0	(51.0)	11.9
Homes	79.2	120.8	200.0	86.3	126.7	213.0	13.0	213.0	_	40.4
Health Care	29.4	30.6	60.0	32.4	32.6	65.0	5.0	62.0	3.0	0.3
Fibers	27.7	28.4	56.1	26.3	27.7	54.0	(2.1)	55.0	(1.0)	1.5
Electronics	39.8	37.8	77.5	34.0	35.0	69.0	(8.5)	74.0	(5.0)	1.1
Construction Materials	10.1	12.2	22.2	11.5	14.5	26.0	3.8	26.0	_	2.9
Critical Care ²			_	9.1	13.9	23.0	23.0	23.0	_	4.8
Others	4.0	4.5	8.5	4.4	5.6	10.0	1.5	9.0	1.0	1.2
Consolidated	368.0	416.5	784.4	365.0	429.0	794.0	9.6	847.0	(53.0)	64.0

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Operating income forecast by segment

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										(1 Dillion)
		FY 201	1		FY 2012	2		H1 2012		Increase (decrease)
	Q1	Q2	1st half	Q1	Q2 forecast	1st half forecast	Increase (decrease)	forecast in May	Increase (decrease)	from Q1 to Q2 2012 forecast
Chemicals	19.4	14.7	34.1	4.3	10.2	14.5	(19.6)	22.0	(7.5)	5.9
Homes	3.6	14.2	17.9	3.6	14.4	18.0	0.1	18.0	_	10.7
Health Care	2.6	3.0	5.6	4.7	1.3	6.0	0.4	4.5	1.5	(3.5)
Fibers	1.4	0.7	2.1	0.6	0.9	1.5	(0.6)	2.0	(0.5)	0.3
Electronics	4.8	2.2	7.0	(0.4)	1.4	1.0	(6.0)	3.5	(2.5)	1.7
Construction Materials	0.2	0.5	0.8	0.5	1.0	1.5	0.7	1.5	_	0.5
Critical Care ¹			_	(0.5)	(1.0)	(1.5)	(1.5)	(1.5)	_	(0.5)
Others	0.4	0.8	1.2	0.8	0.2	1.0	(0.2)	1.0	_	(0.6)
Corporate expenses and eliminations	(2.2)	(2.7)	(5.0)	(2.9)	(3.6)	(6.5)	(1.5)	(6.0)	(0.5)	(0.6)
Consolidated	30.2	33.5	63.8	10.8	24.7	35.5	(28.3)	45.0	(9.5)	13.8
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Appendix

Extraordinary income and loss



	Q1 2011	Q1 2012	Increase (decrease)
Extraordinary income			
Gain on sales of noncurrent assets	_	0.0	0.0
Total extraordinary income	_	0.0	0.0
Extraordinary loss			
Loss on valuation of investment securities	0.0	0.0	(0.0)
Loss on disposal of noncurrent assets	0.5	1.1	0.6
Impairment loss	0.0	0.0	(0.0)
Loss on disaster	0.6	_	(0.6)
Business structure improvement expenses	0.6	0.0	(0.6)
Total extraordinary loss	1.8	1.2	(0.6)
Net extraordinary income (loss)	(1.8)	(1.2)	0.7

Quarterly sales¹ by segment



		FY 2	2010			FY 2	2011		FY 2	2012
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2 forecast
Chemicals	165.0	180.4	173.7	180.8	177.9	182.2	165.6	154.5	161.1	172.9
Homes	64.5	109.0	90.5	145.2	79.2	120.8	109.0	143.0	86.3	126.7
Health Care	28.7	29.0	30.5	28.1	29.4	30.6	30.7	28.8	32.4	32.6
Fibers	26.5	28.1	27.1	27.1	27.7	28.4	27.2	27.5	26.3	27.7
Electronics	40.9	42.2	38.4	36.7	39.8	37.8	35.6	32.9	34.0	35.0
Construction Materials	11.0	12.4	13.7	10.3	10.1	12.2	12.8	11.1	11.5	14.5
Critical Care ²	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	9.1	13.9
Others	3.5	3.9	3.7	4.9	4.0	4.5	4.4	5.7	4.4	5.6
Total	340.1	405.1	377.7	433.0	368.0	416.5	385.3	403.5	365.0	429.0
Naphtha resale amount excluded from net sales	13.4	6.2	16.2	6.6	8.2	9.6	16.4	5.6		

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Quarterly operating income by segment

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	FY 2010					FY 2	FY 2	2012				
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2 forecast		
Chemicals	15.3	22.0	16.6	10.5	19.4	14.7	9.2	1.2	4.3	10.2		
Homes	(0.9)	11.0	7.9	18.5	3.6	14.2	10.9	17.5	3.6	14.4		
Health Care	3.3	0.8	3.5	(0.6)	2.6	3.0	3.7	(0.6)	4.7	1.3		
Fibers	1.2	1.1	1.3	0.6	1.4	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.9		
Electronics	5.2	5.5	3.2	0.4	4.8	2.2	(0.5)	(0.2)	(0.4)	1.4		
Construction Materials	0.3	0.8	1.3	(0.3)	0.2	0.5	0.9	0.1	0.5	1.0		
Critical Care ¹	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	(0.5)	(1.0)		
Others	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.7	0.4	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.2		
Corporate expenses and eliminations	(2.0)	(1.0)	(2.8)	(1.4)	(2.2)	(2.7)	(2.5)	(2.3)	(2.9)	(3.6)		
Total	22.8	40.7	31.0	28.4	30.2	33.5	23.3	17.2	10.8	24.7		

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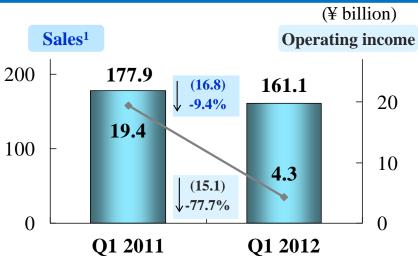
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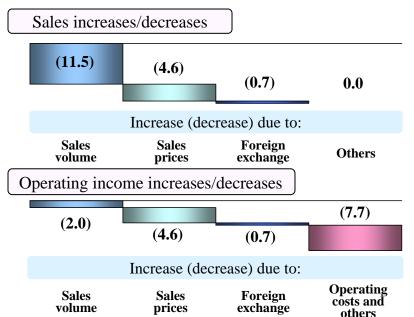
	FY 2011	FY 2012	Increase
	Q1	Q1	(decrease)
a: Income before minority interests	19.7	3.2	(16.4)
Net unrealized gain on other securities	3.2	(3.1)	(6.2)
Deferred gains or losses on hedges	0.1	1.4	1.3
Foreign currency translation adjustment	2.8	(11.7)	(14.5)
Share of other comprehensive income of affiliates accounted for using equity method	0.6	(1.5)	(2.2)
b: Other comprehensive income	6.7	(14.9)	(21.6)
Comprehensive income [a+b]	26.4	(11.7)	(38.1)
Comprehensive income attributable to owners of the parent Comprehensive income attributable to minority interests	26.1 0.3	(11.4) (0.2)	(37.5) (0.5)

Chemicals

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¹ The accounting policy for naphtha resale was changed in Q4 of FY 2011, and naphtha resale amount is now excluded from net sales, which is applied retroactively for the full FY 2011. (Naphtha resale amount ¥8.2 billion for Q1 of FY 2011)



Review of operations

Sales and operating income decrease.

Volume products:

Chemicals and derivative products: Impact of major plant maintenance turnaround. Decreased exports of acrylonitrile (AN) and adipic acid due to an economic slowdown in China. Deteriorating terms of trade.

Polymer products: Firm shipments of engineering plastics for automotive applications and synthetic rubber for tires.

Specialty products:

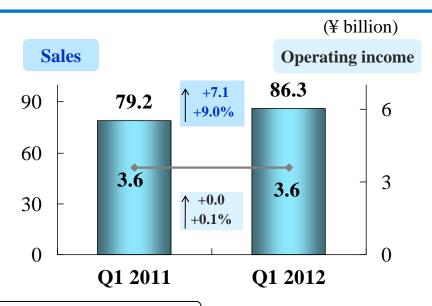
Solid performance in coating materials for the domestic Japanese market, home-use products such as Saran WrapTM, and functional additives for pharmaceuticals.

Highlights

- May, completion of a new plant for Saran WrapTM.
- June, start of operation at a large-scale municipal MBR wastewater treatment facility in Paju, Gyeonggi-do, Korea, using MicrozaTM hollow-fiber membrane system.

Homes

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Results by product category¹

	Q	1 2011
	Sales	Operating income
Order-built homes	51.0	
Pre-built homes	8.1	
Housing- related, etc.	20.0	
Total	79.2	3.6

	Q	1 2012
	Sales	Operating income
Order-built homes (Asahi Kasei Homes)	61.4	1.9
Real estate-related (Asahi Kasei Fudousan Residence)	14.4	
Remodeling (Asahi Kasei Reform)	9.8	1.8
Other housing-related, etc.	0.7	
Total	86.3	3.6

Review of operations

Sales increase and operating income unchanged. Increased deliveries of both Hebel HausTM unit homes and Hebel MaisonTM apartment buildings in order-built homes operations. Decreased deliveries of condominiums, but good performance of remodeling operations in housing-related operations.

Effect of government policy to support home purchases. Value of new orders 6.6% higher than in the first quarter a year ago.

Highlights

- April, launch of two-generation Hebel HausTM homes featuring designs which facilitate family communication with a system for energy sharing between families.
- April, launch of Hebel HausTM with enhanced disaster resistance and independent energy supply system.
- July, introduction of V2H system² and new home energy management system as options for Hebel HausTM.

¹ Product categories are revised from FY 2012. A portion of sales previously included in pre-built homes is now included in order-built homes. Otherwise, sales in the previous pre-built homes category are now included in real estate—related.

² Vehicle to home system, which enables return of energy from rechargeable battery of electric vehicle to home energy system.

Homes – sales¹ and order trends



(¥ billion, % change from same period of previous year shown at right)

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		Value of n	ew orders	Sales of order-	Sales of pre-	-built homes	Other	Conso	olidated	Consc	olidated	Order
		during t	the term	built homes	Sales of pre-	-built Hollies	sales	subsidiaries		Consc	maaca	backlog
FY08	H1	157.1	(+2.3%)	129.4 (-1.4%)	6.0	(+19.7%)	0.7	34.3	(+13.2%)	170.3	(+2.0%)	326.6
	H2	133.9	(-12.1%)	177.9 (+7.2%)	24.0	(+22.8%)	0.9	36.9	(+10.8%)	239.6	(+9.3%)	282.6
	annual	291.1	(-4.9%)	307.3 (+3.4%)	29.9	(+22.2%)	1.5	71.2	(+11.8%)	409.9	(+6.1%)	
FY09	H1	154.6	(-1.6%)	115.8 (-10.5%)	5.2	(-12.6%)	0.8	35.8	(+4.4%)	157.7	(-7.4%)	321.3
	H2	152.3	(+13.7%)	166.5 (-6.4%)	26.9	(+12.4%)	1.1	37.5	(+1.7%)	232.0	(-3.2%)	307.1
	annual	306.9	(+5.4%)	282.3 (-8.1%)	32.1	(+7.4%)	1.9	73.4	(+3.0%)	389.7	(-4.9%)	
FY10	H1	181.7	(+17.6%)	125.5 (+8.3%)	9.4	(+79.8%)	1.1	37.5	(+4.8%)	173.5	(+10.0%)	363.4
	H2	172.8	(+13.4%)	176.6 (+6.1%)	18.4	(-31.7%)	1.5	39.2	(+4.5%)	235.7	(+1.6%)	359.5
	annual	354.5	(+15.5%)	302.1 (+7.0%)	27.8	(-13.6%)	2.5	76.8	(+4.6%)	409.2	(+5.0%)	
FY11	Q1	94.6	(+5.9%)	51.0 (+25.0%)	8.1	(+77.9%)	0.7	19.3	(+3.5%)	79.2	(+22.8%)	403.1
	Q2	94.8	(+2.5%)	94.9 (+12.1%)	3.7	(-22.6%)	0.8	21.3	(+13.0%)	120.8	(+10.8%)	403.0
	H1	189.4	(+4.2%)	145.9 (+16.3%)	11.9	(+26.5%)	1.5	40.6	(+8.3%)	200.0	(+15.2%)	
	H2	182.5	(+5.6%)	193.7 (+9.7%)	11.8	(-35.7%)	46.	5	(+14.2%)	252.0	(+6.9%)	391.8
	annual	371.9	(+4.9%)	339.6 (+12.4%)	23.7	(-14.7%)	88.	7	(+11.8%)	452.0	(+10.4%)	

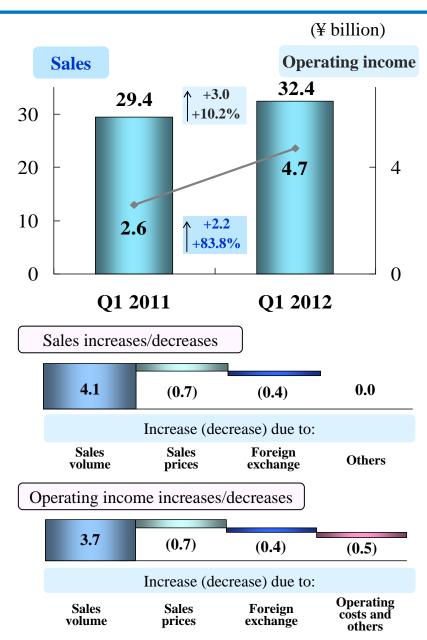
		Value of new orders		Value of new orders		Value of new order		Sales of order-	Sales	of real	estate-r	elated	Sales of	Other		Order
		during	the term	built homes	Pre-built homes	Rental housing	Other	Total	Remodeling	sales	Consolidated	backlog				
FY12	Q1	100.9	(+6.6%)	61.4	2.4	11.4	0.5	14.4	9.8	0.7	86.3 (+9.0%)	433.1				
	Q2 forecast	99.1	(+4.5%)	99.8	2.2	11.7	0.6	14.5	11.5	0.9	126.7 (+4.9%)	434.3				
	H1 forecast ²	200.0	(+5.6%)	161.2	4.6	23.1	1.1	28.9	21.3	1.6	213.0 (+6.5%)					

¹ Product categories are revised from FY 2012. A portion of sales previously included in pre-built homes is now included in order-built homes. Otherwise, sales in the previous pre-built homes category are now included in real estate–related.

² Forecast in May 2012.

Health Care

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Review of operations

Sales and operating income increase.

Pharmaceuticals:

Impact of reduced reimbursement prices. Firm growth in sales of RecomodulinTM recombinant thrombomodulin and TeriboneTM, a new osteoporosis drug launched in November 2011.

Devices:

Impact of the strong yen. Increased shipments of APSTM polysulfone-membrane artificial kidneys.

Highlights

• May, investment in NxStage Medical, Inc. through conversion of an outstanding loan into newly issued shares, as part of reinforcement of the strategic alliance.

Health Care – breakdown of sales



Sales of Health Care segment

(¥ billion)

			FY 20	011	FY 2012
			Q1		Q1
		Domestic pharmaceuticals	13.9	27.7	17.1
		Others	1.2	3.2	1.3
	Asahi Kasei Pharma consolidated		15.1	30.9	18.4
	Dev	ices ¹	14.3	29.0	14.0
To	otal		29.4	60.0	32.4

¹ Asahi Kasei Medical and affiliated companies.

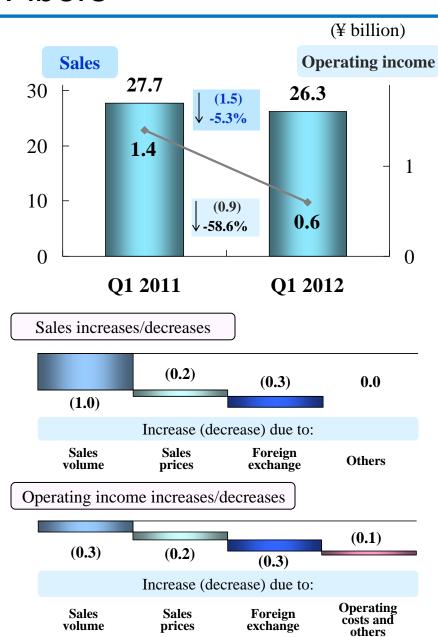
Main pharmaceuticals domestic sales

	FY 20	FY 2012	
	Q1	H1	Q1
Teribone TM	_	_	3.3
Flivas TM	3.5	6.9	3.6
Elcitonin TM	3.2	6.7	2.7
Recomodulin TM	1.5	3.4	2.0
Bredinin TM	1.6	3.2	1.6

Health Care – pharmaceutical pipeline

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Development stage	Code name, form, generic name	Remarks	Classifications	Indication	Origin
Pending approval	AK-120, oral, famciclovir	Additional indication	Antiviral	Herpes simplex	Licensed
	AK-156, injection, zoledronic acid	New efficacy, new dose; once-yearly administration	Bisphosphonate	Osteoporosis	Licensed
Phase III	AK-160, injection	New biologic	Collagenase clostridium histolyticum	Dupuytren's contracture	Licensed
Phase II	AT-877, oral, fasudil hydrochloride hydrate	Additional indication, new dosage form	Rho-kinase inhibitor	Pulmonary arterial hypertension	In-house
	HC-58, injection, elcatonin	Additional indication	Calcitonin	Shoulder hand syndrome	In-house
Phase II (overseas)	ART-123, injection, recombinant thrombomodulin alpha	New biologic	Recombinant human thrombomodulin	Sepsis with disseminated intravascular coagulation	In-house
	AK106	New chemical entity	Anti- inflammatory	Rheumatoid arthritis	In-house

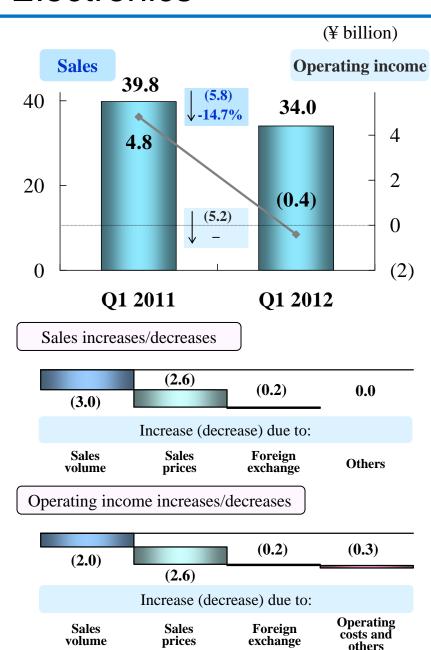


Review of operations

Sales and operating income decrease. Firm performance in exports to China and other Asian countries of BembergTM regenerated cellulose and LeonaTM nylon 66 filament for airbag applications. Decreased shipments of RoicaTM elastic polyurethane filament.

Electronics

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Review of operations

Sales and operating income decrease.

Electronic devices: Increased shipments of mixedsignal LSIs for smartphones. Impact of general deterioration in market conditions across the electronics industry in each product category.

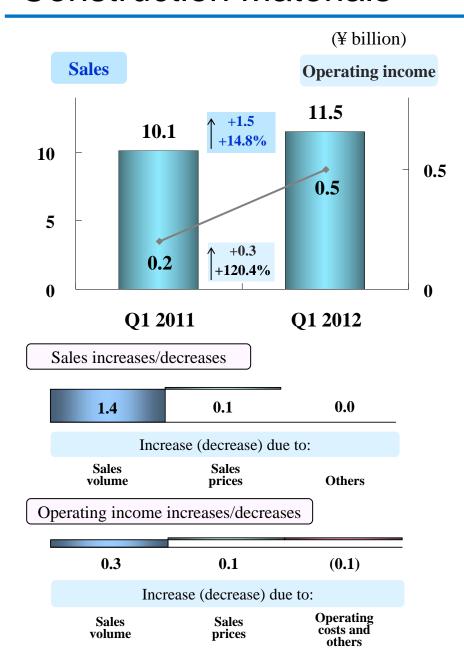
Electronic materials: HiporeTM Li-ion battery separator shipments below Q1 2011 but recovering since Q4 2011. Lower sales prices.

Highlights

- May, announcement to construct a new plant for SunfortTM dry film photoresist in Changshu, Jiangsu, China; start-up in Sep. 2013.
- June, technology to automatically adjust electronic compasses recognized with the Imperial Invention Prize.
- July, launch of a new 3-axis electronic compass with world's smallest-class package size.

Construction Materials

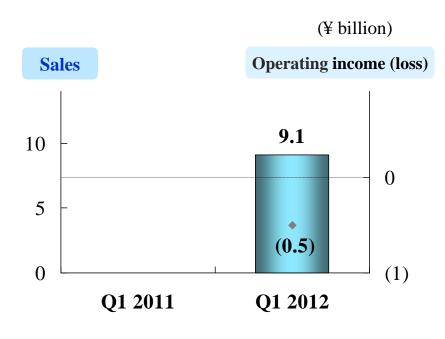




Review of operations

Sales and operating income increase. Strong sales of HebelTM autoclaved aerated concrete panels. Increased shipments of NeomaTM high-performance phenolic form insulation panels and foundation systems.





Review of operations

Operating loss due to amortization of goodwill and other intangible assets, despite increased shipments of LifeVestTM wearable external defibrillators and other products overseas.

Financial effect of consolidation¹

1) Effect on balance sheets (¥ billion)

Total assets 215.9 increase

Goodwill 112.9 increase

Other intangible assets 65.1 increase

2) Amortization and depreciation in FY2012

		H1	H2	FY2012
Amortization/depreciation of:	Q1	forecast	forecast	forecast
Goodwill	0.9	2.3	2.8	5.0
Other intangible assets, etc.	1.5	3.2	2.7	5.8
Total	2.4	5.4	5.4	10.9

¹ Consolidation of ZOLL Medical Corporation, etc.



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