



Financial Results Briefing for the First Quarter of the Fiscal Year Ending March 2025

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Overview of Financial Results for the 1st Quarter of the Fiscal Year Ending March 2025 (Consolidated)

(100 millions of yen)

	FY2023 1Q	FY2024 1Q	Year-on-Year Change	
Net sales	453.5	439.3	▲ 14.1	▲ 3.1%
Operating Profit	41.3	31.2	▲ 10.1	▲ 24.5%
Ordinary Profit	47.5	35.6	▲ 11.9	▲ 25.1%
Net Profit ^{*1}	30.7	21.5	▲ 9.2	▲ 29.9%
ROS ^{*2}	10.5%	8.1%	▲ 2.4pt	
ROE ^{*3}	16.2%	9.8%	▲ 6.4pt	
ROIC ^{*4}	11.4%	7.6%	▲ 3.8pt	

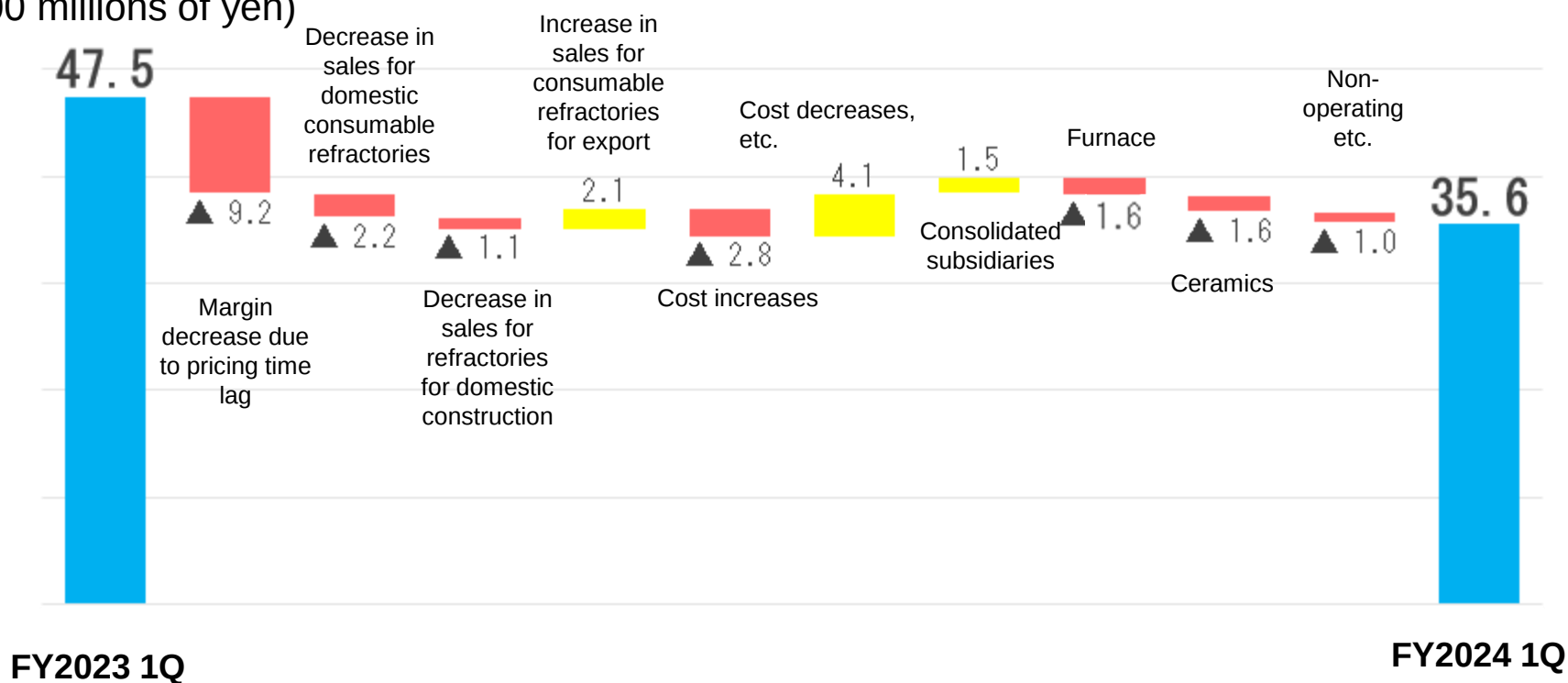
Business environment

- Domestic crude steel output (FY2024 1Q): 21.24 million tons (▲4.4% year on year)
- Global crude steel output (CY2024 1H): 954.60 million tons (+0.0% year on year)
- Indian crude steel output (CY2024 1H): 74.20 million tons (+7.4% year on year)

In addition to the impact from the decreased domestic crude steel output, temporary cost burdens from rising prices of imported raw materials as a result of the weakening yen led to the decline in ordinary profit.

Profit decline of 1.19 billion yen

(100 millions of yen)



Performance by Segment (Consolidated)

(100 millions of yen)

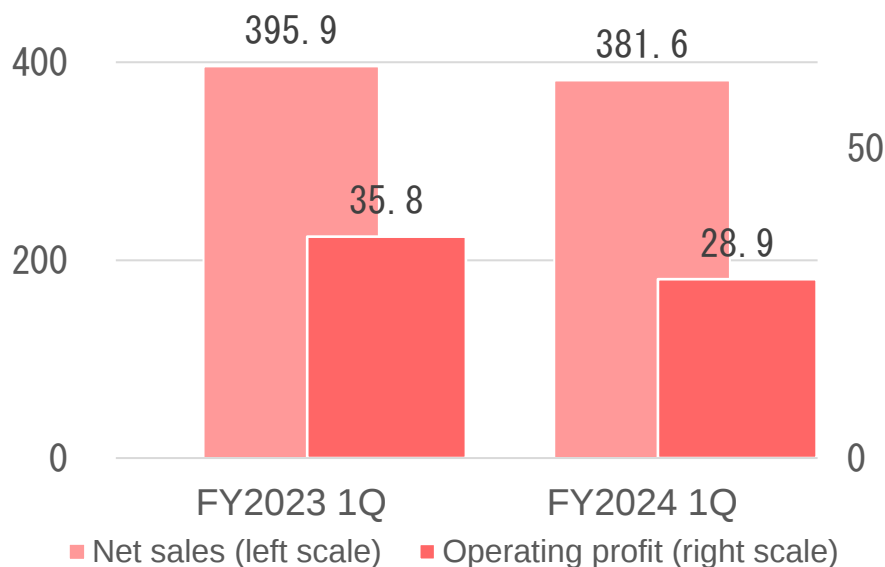
		FY2023 1Q	FY2024 1Q	Year-on-Year Change	
Refractories	Net sales	395.9	381.6	▲ 14.2	▲ 3.6%
	Segment profit	35.8	28.9	▲ 6.8	▲ 19.2%
Furnace	Net sales	34.2	35.3	+ 1.0	+ 3.1%
	Segment profit	2.1	0.4	▲ 1.6	▲ 78.2%
Ceramics	Net sales	19.5	17.9	▲ 1.6	▲ 8.3%
	Segment profit	1.8	0.2	▲ 1.6	▲ 86.6%
Real estate & others	Net sales	3.8	4.4	+ 0.6	+ 17.3%
	Segment profit	1.4	1.5	+ 0.0	+ 2.0%
Total	Net sales	453.5	439.3	▲ 14.1	▲ 3.1%
	Segment profit	41.3	31.2	▲ 10.1	▲ 24.5%

The net sales of each segment represent sales to external customers and do not include inter-segment sales or transfers. The amounts of segment profit are based on operating profit.

Performance Trend

(100 millions of yen)

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Performance Review

▪ In spite of strong business growth in the robust Indian steel market, in addition to the impact from the decline in domestic crude steel output, temporary cost burdens from rising prices of imported raw materials as a result of the weakening yen led to the decreased sales and profit.

Future Initiatives

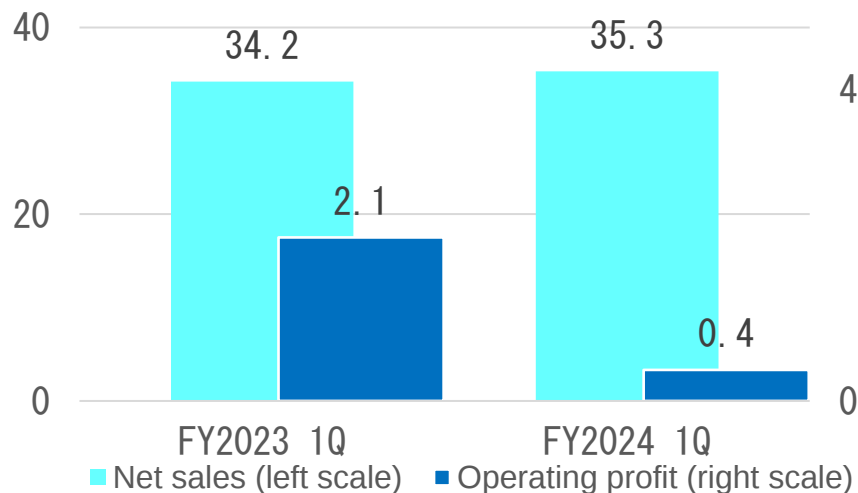
▪ In Japan, further strengthen our competitiveness by promoting automation and labor-saving measures and digital transformation, as well as launching new products that will fully leverage our technological capabilities, thereby consolidating our revenue base.

▪ Overseas, maximize the full-range production and sales system we have established in the Indian market and further increase our production capacity, while working to further expand our businesses in Europe and the United States by capturing demand, including in the field of non-ferrous metals, through deepening collaboration between alliance partner companies and our regional bases in those areas.

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Performance Review

- Sales increased due to an increase in maintenance work but profit decreased due to a temporary difference in the composition of orders received.

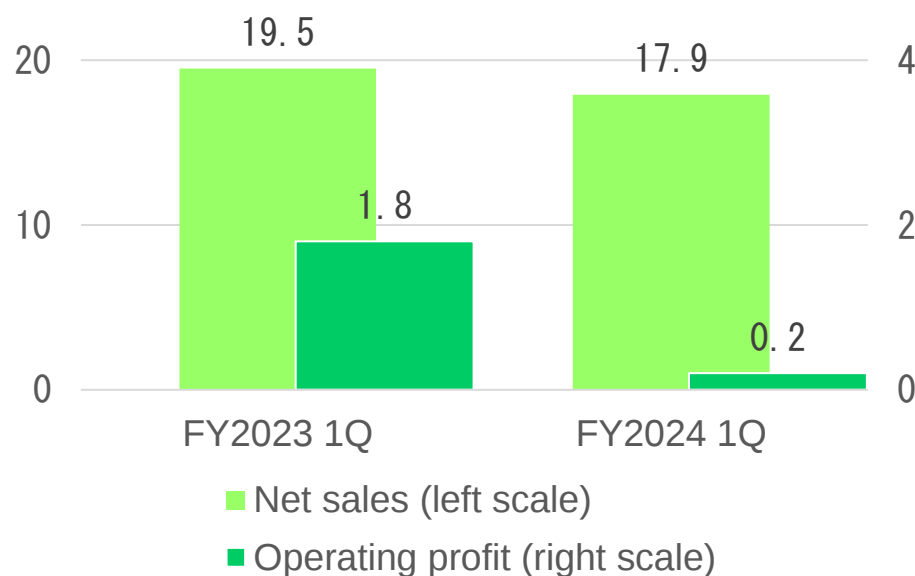
Future Initiatives

- Improve profitability by winning large-scale construction projects, continuing to receive orders for steelmaking facilities maintenance work, and reducing costs through personnel optimization.
- Grow profits by winning orders for maintenance and new projects from non-ferrous materials users such as for biomass and other power generation boilers and incinerators, etc., in addition to the design and construction of energy-saving industrial furnaces.

Performance Trend

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Net sales	19.5	17.9	▲1.6	▲8.3%
Operating profit	1.8	0.2	▲1.6	▲86.6%



Performance Review

- Both sales and profits declined due to a trough in orders for ceramic materials for semiconductor manufacturing equipment and insulation materials for household fuel cells.

Future Initiatives

- The US Semiconductor Equipment and Materials International (SEMI) has announced that the semiconductor manufacturing equipment market is expected to grow 17%, year-on-year, to US\$128 billion in 2025 (approximately 20 trillion yen at an exchange rate of 158 yen to the US\$1). The Company will work to capture expanding demand for ceramics, particularly for semiconductor lithography equipment.
- We will further expand profits by growing sales in each field, including insulation materials for the environmental field, ceramic materials for electronic components, and products for new fields such as aerospace and medical care.



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