MORESCO Corporation

MORESCO Group delivers sustainable one-of-a-kind products

The 66th 3Q Financial Report

(From March 1, 2023 to November 30, 2023)

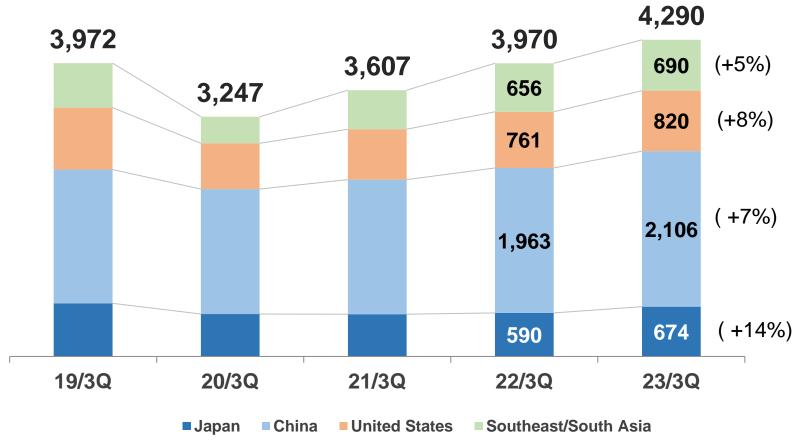
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Changes in automobile production volume in regions of our sites

10,000 units (% compared to previous year)



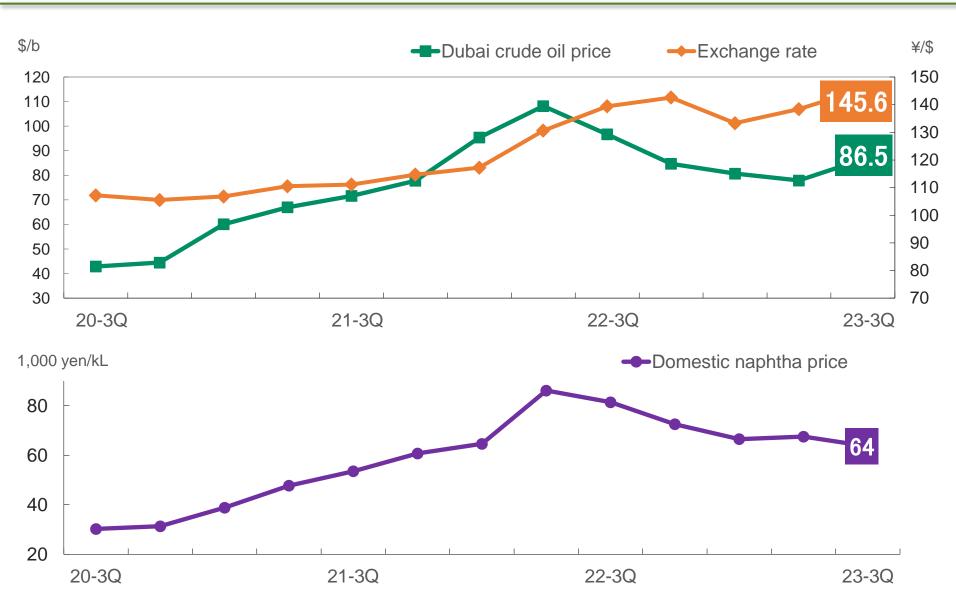
Source: Prepared by MORESCO based on data released by MarkLines Co., Ltd.

Note 1: Data is aggregated based on MORESCO's fiscal year (Japan: March to August, overseas: January to June). Note 2: Data for Southeast/South Asia includes only Thailand, Indonesia, and India, where we have operating sites.

Business Environment

- Raw material prices and Exchange rates





Consolidated Income Statement



(Million yen)	22/3Q	23/3Q	Year-on-year change
Net sales	22,479	23,731	+5.6%
Gross profit	6,188	6,623	+7.0%
SG&A	5,677	5,572	-1.8%
Operating profit	511	1,050	+105.5%
Non-operating profit (loss)	633	649	+2.5%
Ordinary profit	1,144	1,699	+48.5%
Profit before tax	-	250	_
Profit*	719	1,335	+85.7%

^{*} Profit attributable to owners of parent, the same hereafter

Net sales by Business Segment



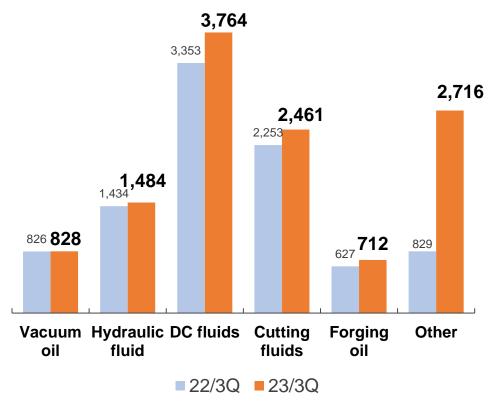
(Million yen)	22/3Q	23/3Q	Year-on-year change
Functional Fluids	11,081	11,965	+8.0%
Hot Melt Adhesive	5,801	6,419	+10.7%
Synthetic Lubricants	1,381	957	-30.7%
Liquid Paraffin & Sulfonates	2,849	2,993	+5.1%
Other	1,367	1,397	+2.1%
Total net sales	22,479	23,731	+5.1%

Functional Fluids



[Net sales] Up 8.0% year on year (¥11,965 million) [Sales volume] Down 11.2% year on year





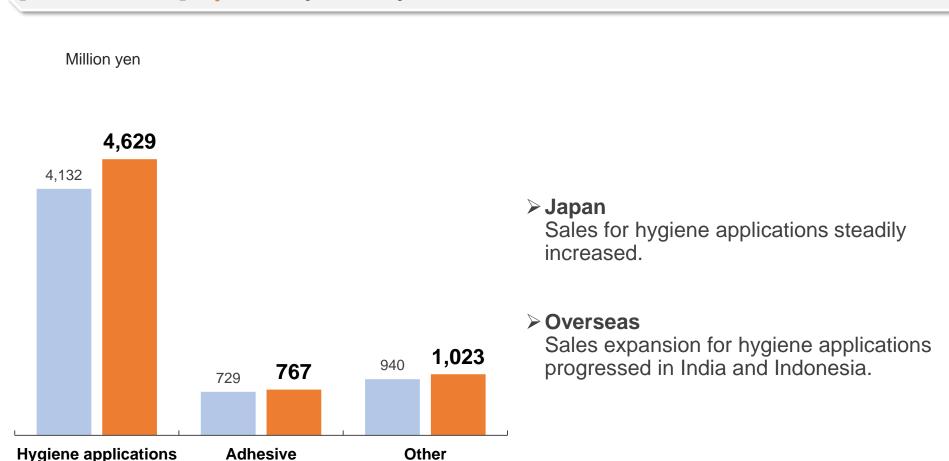
- ➤ Japan Shipments of DC fluids increased as automobile production resumed operations.
- China Shipments decreased due to the decline in operating rates of Japanese automobiles.
- Southeast/South Asia, North America
 Shipments increased due to an increase in the number of automobiles produced.

Hot Melt Adhesive



[Net sales] Up 10.7% year on year (¥6,419million) [Sales volume] Up 4.2% year on year

■ 22/3Q ■ 23/3Q

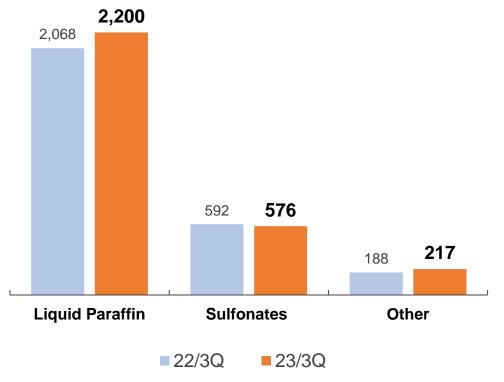


Liquid Paraffin & Sulfonates



[Net sales] Up 5.1% year on year (¥2,993 million) [Sales volume] Down 5.8% year on year

Million yen



► Liquid Paraffin

Sales of polystyrene plasticizer products have been on a recovery trend since the previous fiscal year.

> Sulfonates

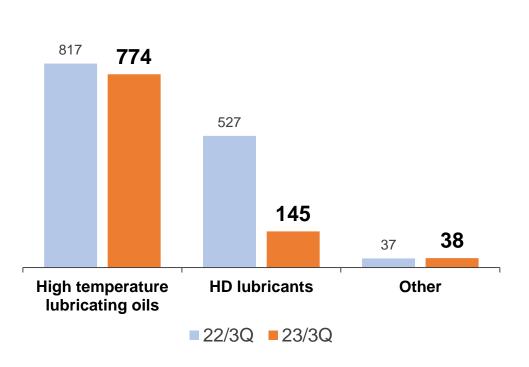
Shipments decreased due to inventory adjustments at auto parts manufacturers.

Synthetic Lubricants



[Net sales] Down 30.7% year on year (¥957 million) [Sales volume] Down 21.2% year on year

Million yen

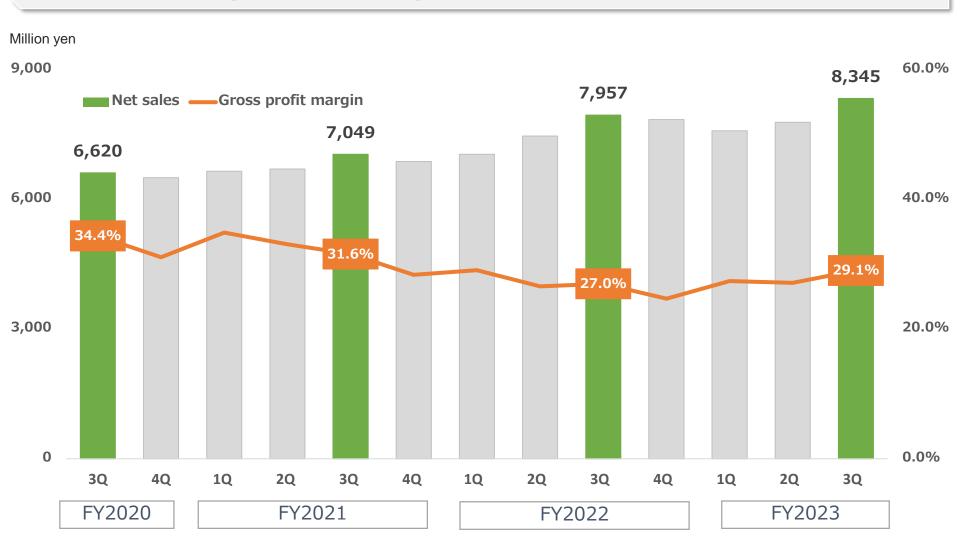


Hard disk surface lubricant Sales decreased due to a decline in data center investment.

Trends in Net sales and Gross profit margin

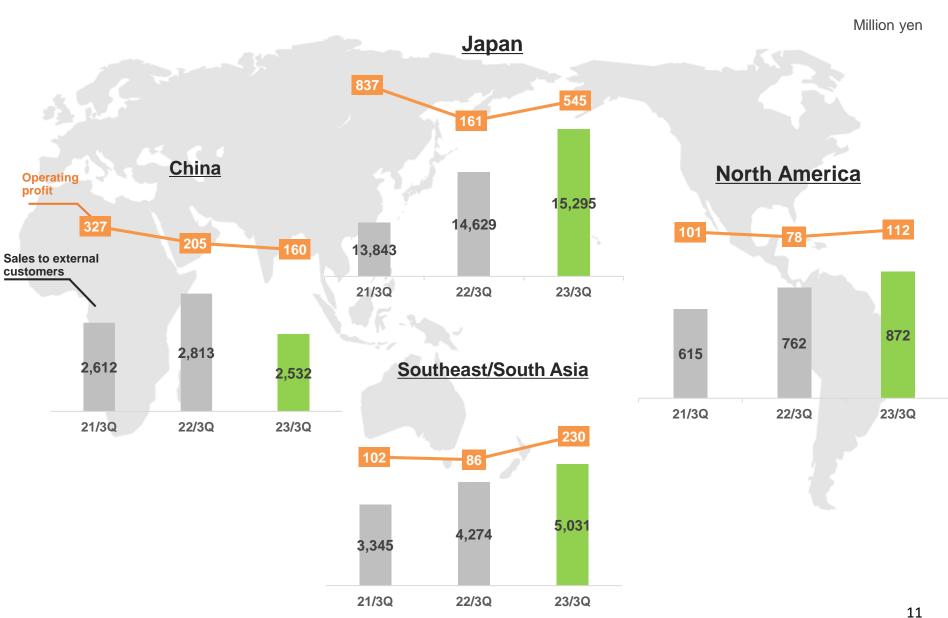


The decline in gross profit margin has slowed down.



Sales and Operating profit trends by segment





FY2023 Earnings Forecast



> Assumptions for full-year forecast

Crude oil price: 90 dollars/b Exchange rate: 130 dollars/yen

(Million yen)	23/3Q	Full-year forecast	Progress rate
Net sales	23,731	34,500	68.8%
Operating profit	1,050	1,400	75.0%
Ordinary profit	1,699	1,600	106.2%
Profit	1,335	700	81.3%

Dividend per share
 20 yen for interim, 25 yen estimated for year-end (including commemorative dividend of 5 yen)

Recording of Extraordinary loss



➤ Due to the conversion of Wuxi MoreTex Technology Co., Ltd. into a wholly owned subsidiary (in October 2023), an extraordinary profit (285 million yen) was recorded as a gain on negative goodwill.



2024年1月9日

各 位

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連結業績予想への影響は現在精査中であり、必要ある場合は開示いたします。

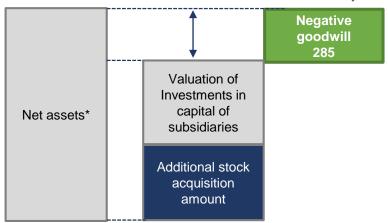
以上

■ Our business restructuring in China

October 2023	Our company has made Wuxi MoreTex Technology Co. Ltd. a wholly owned subsidiary. (50% \rightarrow 100%)
June 2024 (planned)	MORESCO (ZHEJIANG) FUNCTION MATERIAL CO., LTD. will be the surviving company and will be merged with Wuxi MoreTex Technology Co., Ltd. and MORESCO HANANO DIE-CASTING COATING (SHANGHAI) CO., LTD.

■ Regarding gain on negative goodwill

Million yen



^{*} Net assets include a loss of 34 million yen related to step acquisition.





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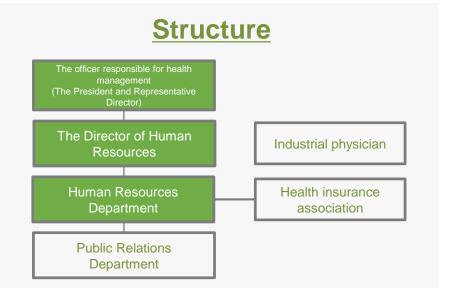




*A system to honor corporations that practice particularly excellent health management (Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry)

Health management declaration

MORESCO believes that the physical and mental health of its employees is essential for the sustainable development of the company. We will promote the health of our employees in order to realize "a company where each and every person grows up in a rich environment and creates new value."









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