

First Quarter of FY 3/2024

Financial Results Briefing Materials

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Summary



FY 3/2024 1Q Results

- Both net sales and operating profit were the highest for 1Q since NISSO's listing
- Operating profit increased by 92.9% year-on-year
- The impact of inventory adjustments in the Semiconductor Industry (memory field, etc.) continued
- Although demand for components in the Electronics Industry was weak, it was on a recovery trend
- Engineering net sales increased steadily
- Full-scale assignment of new graduate engineers to start from July

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FY 3/2024 1Q Financial Results Summary

From Account Strategy to Industry Strategy



NISSO will contribute to the industries that drive Society 5.0 through

training and human resources development

Account Strategy



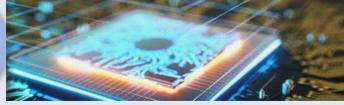
To date, NISSO has adopted an account strategy that aims to contribute to the growth of Japanese *MONOZUKURI* by treating each client individually and intensively responding to the needs of our target clients.

Industry Strategy Industries driving Society 5.0



Automotive Industry

Automobiles/ EV-related



Semiconductor Industry

Semiconductors/ Semiconductor manufacturing equipment



Electronics Industry

Communications equipment/
Electronic components

In the future, as the industrial structure will change at an accelerated pace against the backdrop of technological innovation and environmental issues, NISSO will proactively and speedily respond to the needs of new clients through the development of human resources tailored to the needs of each industry that we are focusing on.

FY 3/2024 1Q Consolidated Financial Results Highlights No.

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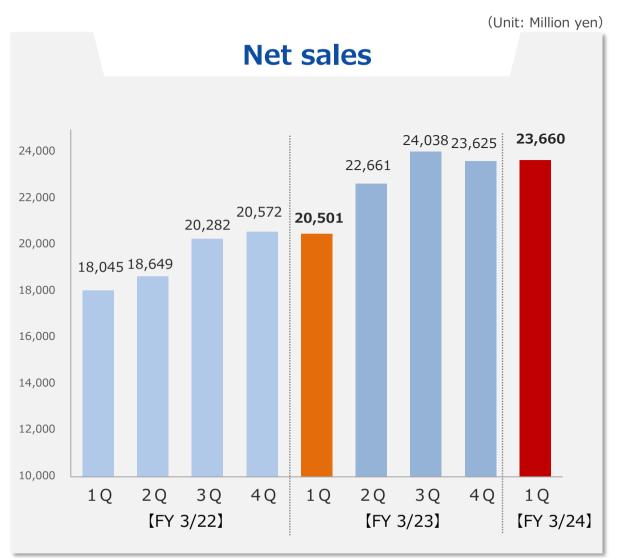
Operating profit increased by 92.9% YoY

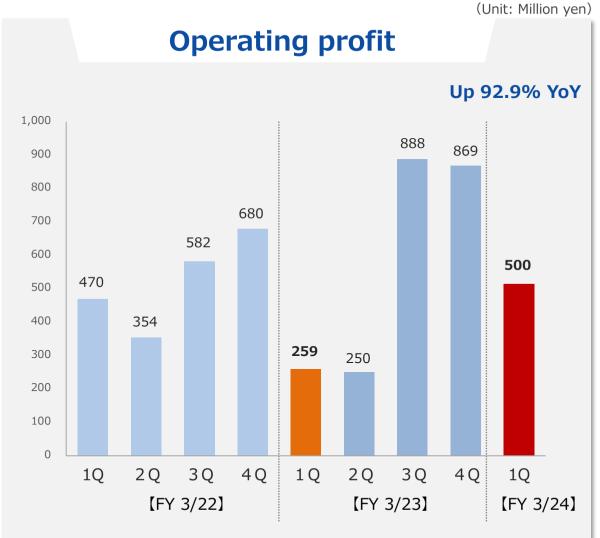
- Net sales increased by 15.4%, partly due to an increase in the number of enrolled staff and a gradual recovery in operations in the Automotive Industry.
- Other Businesses (Nursing Care · Welfare Services) increased revenue and profits YoY.

	FY 3/2023 1Q		FY 3/2	FY 3/2024 1Q		n-Year
	Results	% of Total	Results	% of Total	Increase (Decrease)	% Change
Net sales	20,501	100.0%	23,660	100.0%	3,158	15.4%
Gross profit	3,114	15.2%	3,722	15.7%	608	19.5%
SG&A expenses	2,854	13.9%	3,221	13.6%	367	12.9%
Operating profit	259	1.3%	500	2.1%	241	92.9%
Ordinary profit	313	1.5%	511	2.2%	197	62.9%
Profit attributable to owners of parent	182	0.9%	316	1.3%	134	73.8%

FY 3/2024 Quarterly Consolidated Financial Results







FY 3/2024 1Q Non-consolidated Financial Results Highlights NOO

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Net Sales

Increase by 9.2% YoY due to recovery in operations

 Net sales increased YoY, partly due to an increase in the number of enrolled staff and a gradual recovery in operations in the Automotive Industry.

Expenses · Profits

Gross profit increased by 14.1%

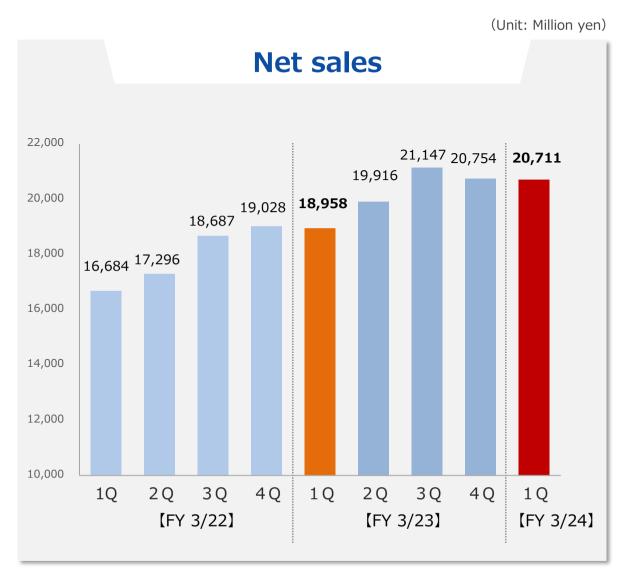
- Although the impact of parts shortages in the Automotive Industry continued to some extent, the gross profit margin improved by 0.7 percentage points YoY partly due to a gradual recovery in operations.
- Recruitment costs were made more efficient, and the SG&A ratio improved by 0.1 percentage points YoY.

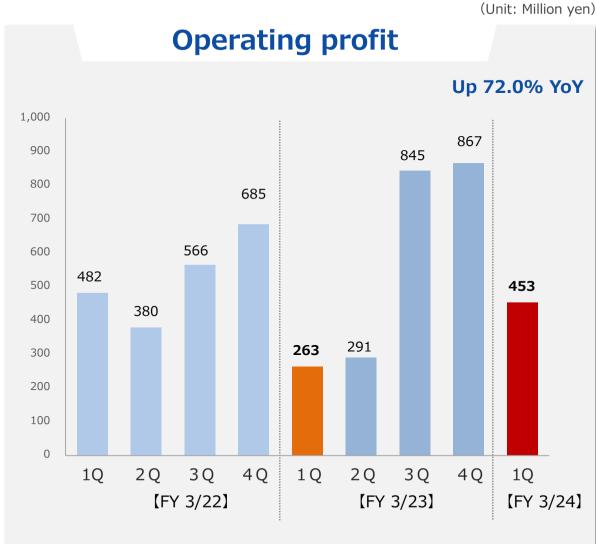
(Unit: Million yen)

	FY 3/2023 1Q		FY 3/2024 1Q		Year-on-Year		
	Results	% of Total	Results	% of Total	Increase (Decrease)	% Change	
Net sales	18,958	100.0%	20,711	100.0%	1,753	9.2%	
Gross profit	2,949	15.6%	3,365	16.3%	416	14.1%	
SG&A expenses	2,685	14.2%	2,912	14.1%	226	8.4%	
Operating profit	263	1.4%	453	2.2%	189	72.0%	
Ordinary profit	310	1.6%	465	2.2%	154	49.9%	
Profit	190	1.0%	299	1.4%	109	57.3%	

FY 3/2024 1Q Quarterly Non-consolidated Financial Results









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FY 3/2024 1Q Overview of NISSO's Activities

FY 3/2024 1Q Non-consolidated Financial Results Summary



Non-consolidated Financial Results Summary

Net Sales
Operating Profit

20,711 Million yen (+1,753 Million yen/ +9.2%) **453 Million yen** (+189 Million yen/+72.0%)

Non-consolidated Indicator Summary

Focused Industry Net Sales (YoY)

Focused Industries Total ... +8.1%

**Total of Automotive, Semiconductor, and Electronics Industries

• Focused industry net sales, which are the sum of the Automotive, Semiconductor, and Electronics Industries, increased by 8.1% YoY.

• 1Q-end Number of Enrolled Staff

16,132 staff (+862 staff YoY)

• The number of enrolled staff increased by 862 YoY.

· Enrollment increased, mainly in the Automotive Industry.

Avg. Monthly Net Sales per Capita

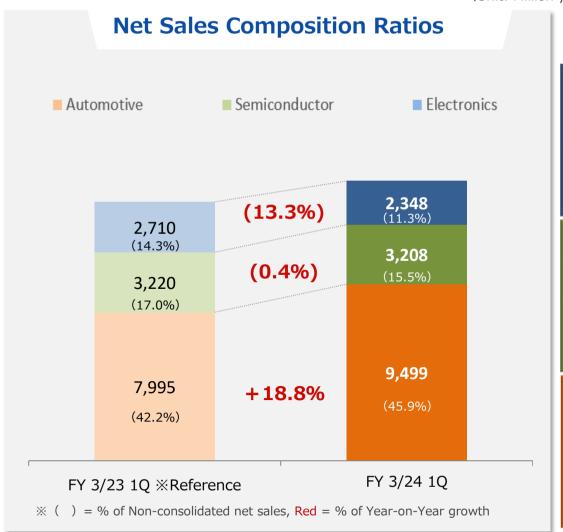
427 Thousand yen (+17 Thousand yen YoY)

 Average monthly net sales per capita increased by 4.0% YoY due in part to a gradual recovery in operations in the Automotive Industry and an increase in billing unit-costs.





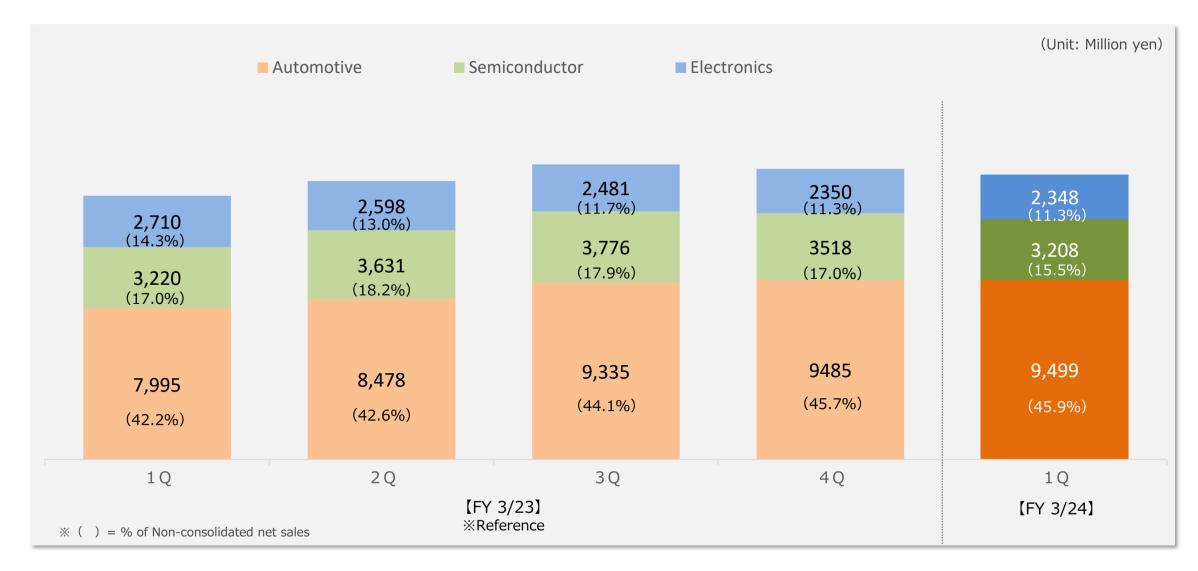
(Unit: Million yen)



	Net Sales	Operational Trends	Personnel Trends
Electronics (Electronic equipment manufacturing industry)	Down 13.3% YoY	Sluggish but partly recovered	Sluggish but partly recovered
Semiconductor (Semiconductor manufacturing industry)	Down 0.4% YoY	Manufacturing equipment and semiconductor memory were sluggish, but power semiconductors were steady	Sluggish
Automotive (Automobile manufacturing · EV-related manufacturing industry)	Up 18.8% YoY	Some effects of parts shortages continued	Steady





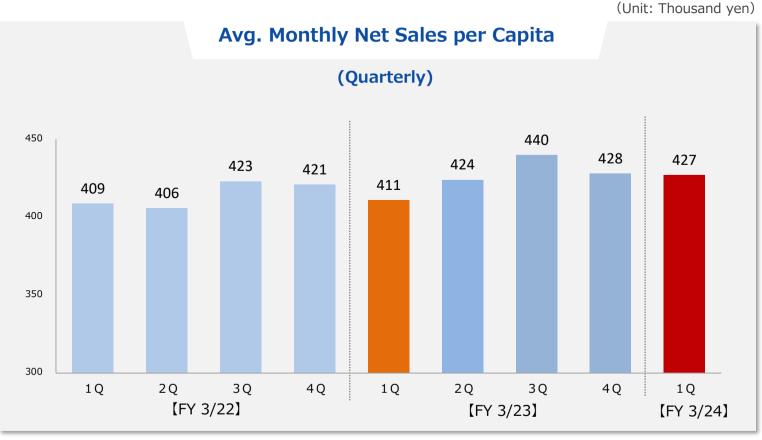


Average Monthly Net Sales per Capita (NISSO, Non-consolidated)



- ●FY 3/2024 1Q YTD Avg. monthly net sales per capita
- 427Thousand yen (+17 Thousand yen YoY)
- The average monthly net sales per capita increased YoY, due in part to a gradual recovery of operations in the Automotive Industry and an increase in billing unit-costs.





Number of Enrolled Staff (NISSO, Non-consolidated)



(Unit: # of Staff)

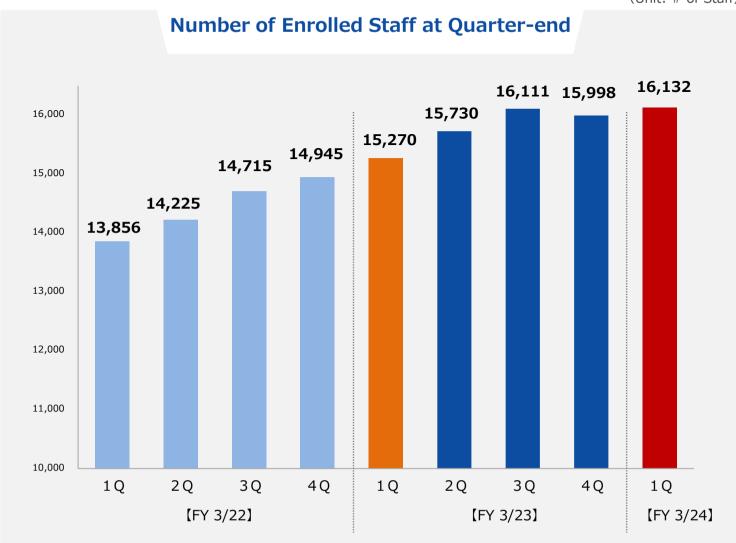
Year-on-Year

+862 staff (+5.6%)

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Highest enrollment achieved since NISSO's listing

- Due to the curbing of enrolled staff leaving NISSO, enrollment reached a record high since NISSO's listing.
- Human resources needs in the Automotive Industry were strong, which led to an increase in the number of enrolled staff.



Educational Achievements (NISSO, Non-consolidated)



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Although the overall number of participants decreased YoY due in part to a decrease in production of semiconductor memory and electronics, the number of participants each month was on an upward trend. The full-scale assignment of new graduates are scheduled from July.

FY 3/2024 1Q Educational achievements (total # of participants)

(Unit: # of participants)

Classification	Training content	FY 3/23 1Q		YoY Comparison
(Direct) Engineer training	Manufacturing equipment maintenance · manufacturing equipment technology Mechanical design · production technology Special education for industrial robots, etc.	515	402	78.1%
(Direct) Other training	MONOZUKURI (manufacturing) education Foreman education Hazard simulation education, etc.	4,808	4,037	84.0%
Indirect training	Business manners Career enhancement Life planning Semiconductor seminars, etc.	244	241	98.8%
	Total	5,567	4,680	84.1%



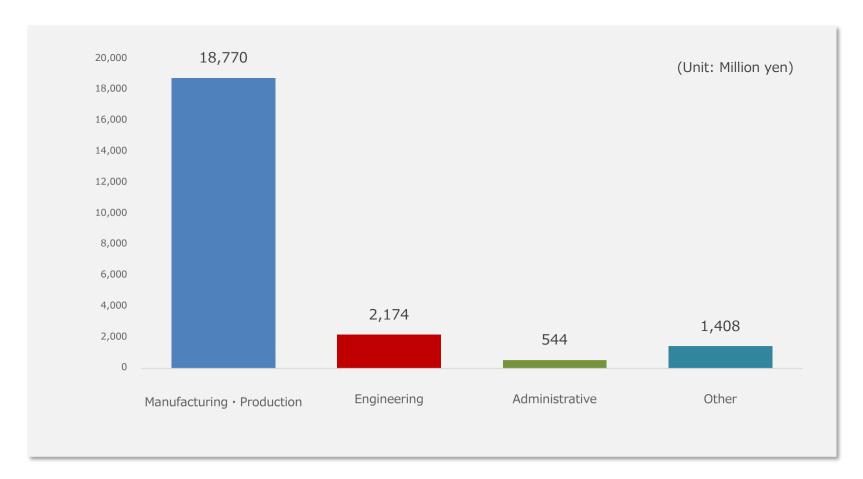
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Financial Results by Segment (FY 3/2024 1Q)

Net Sales by Segment (Services)



FY 3/2024 1Q General Human Resources Services Business



FY 3/2024 1Q Other Businesses



Manufacturing · Production Human Resources Services

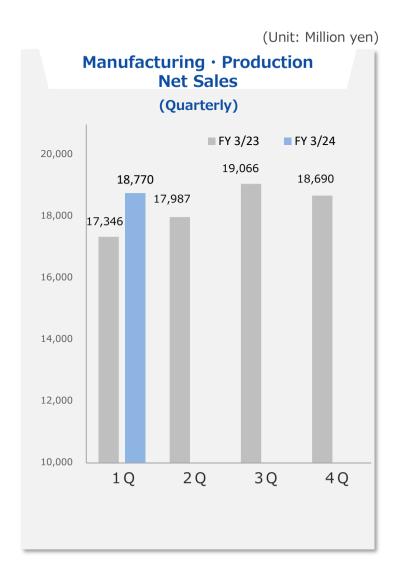


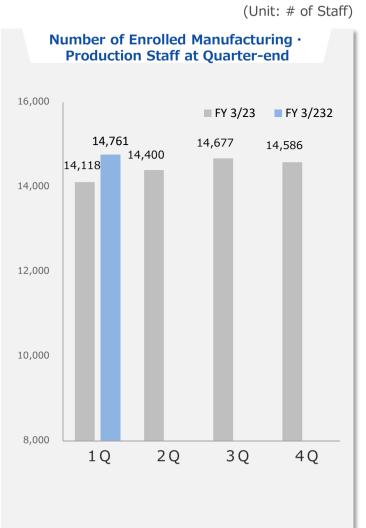
Net Sales

In 1Q, manufacturing • production net sales increased by 8.2% YoY, partly due to an increase in the number of enrolled manufacturing • production staff.

Number of Enrolled Staff

The number of enrolled manufacturing • production staff increase by 643 YoY.





Manufacturing · Production Human Resources Services

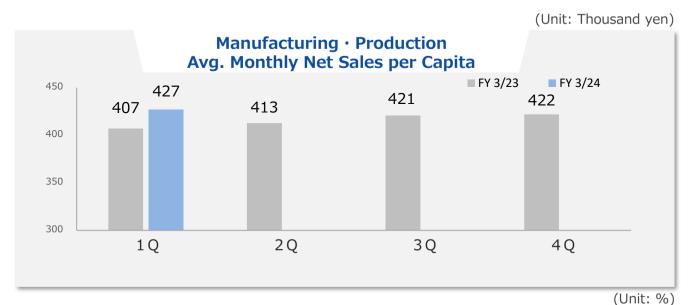


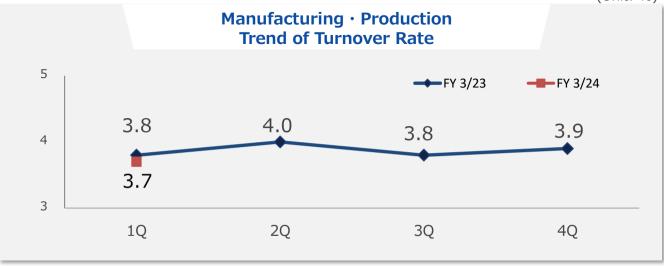
Avg. Monthly Net Sales per Capita

Manufacturing • production net sales per capita increased by 4.9% YoY.

Turnover Rate

The manufacturing • production turnover rate improved by 0.1 percentage points YoY, and remained below 4%.





Engineering Human Resources Services

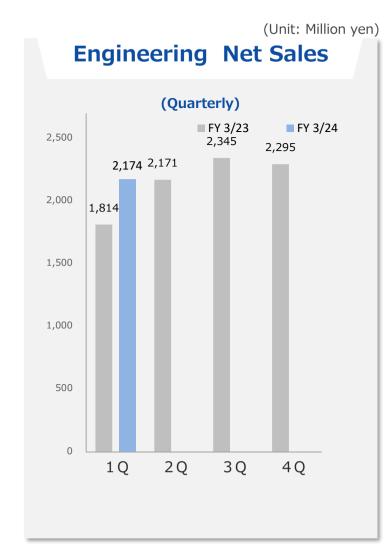


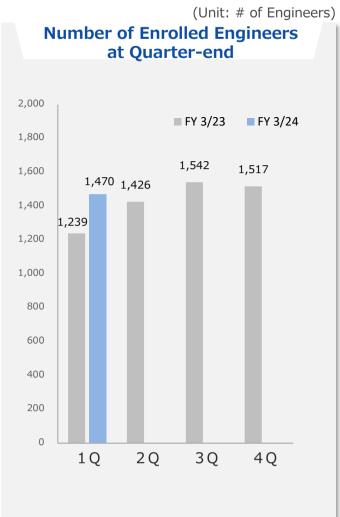
Net Sales

In 1Q, engineering net sales increased by 19.8% YoY, partly due to an increase in the number of enrolled engineers.

Number of Enrolled Engineers

The number of enrolled engineers increased by 231 YoY. Partly due to decreased production of semiconductor memory and electronics, the growth in the number of enrolled engineers slowed.





Engineering Human Resources Services

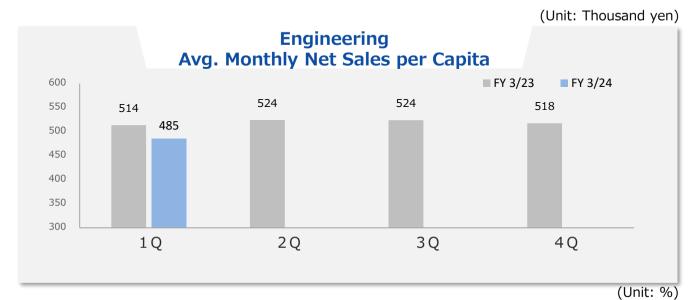


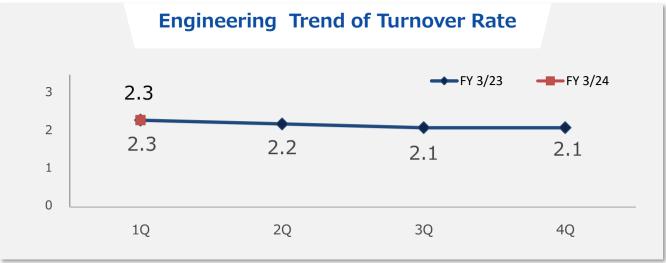
Avg. Monthly Net Sales per Capita

Engineering net sales per capita decreased by 5.5% YoY as a result of decreases in overtime and holiday work, partly due to a slowdown in semiconductor memory.

Turnover Rate

The engineering turnover rate remained at the same level YoY.

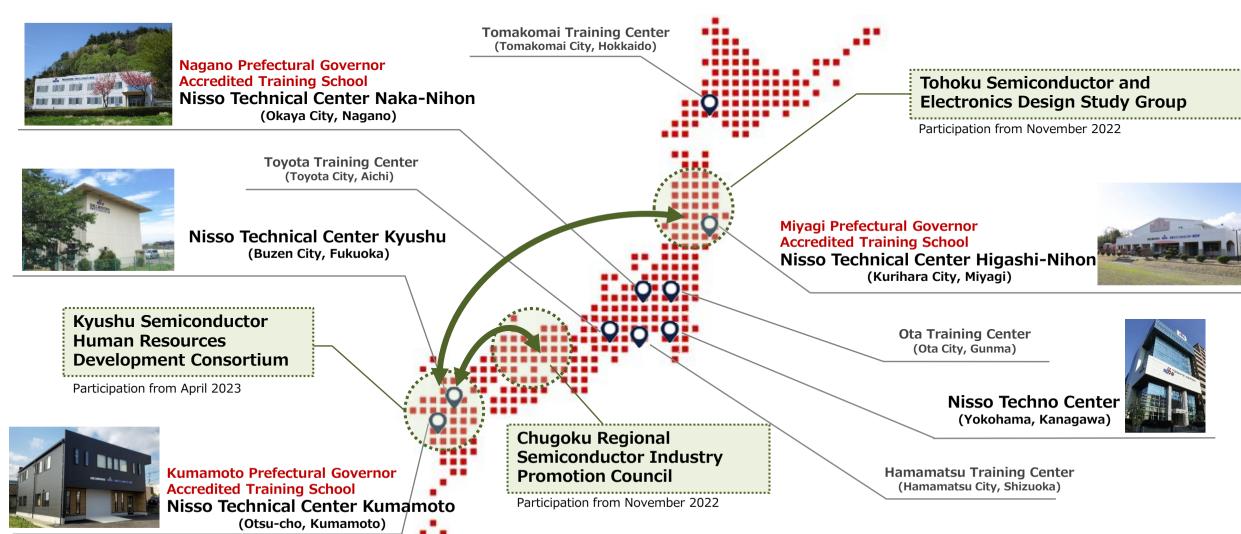




Toward the Growth of Engineering Human Resources Services



Producing high value-added human resources through nationwide expansion of in-house training facilities and industry-government-academia collaboration







Highly efficient human resources development through in-house developed e-learning system

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In order to strengthen the ability to develop high value-added human resources, NISSO has developed an e-learning system for manufacturing education and engineer training as new educational content for our employees.

With the key phrase "knowing makes it possible", NISSO is promoting DX in the education field. By utilizing this system, educational opportunities will be expanded.

After in-house operation of this system for employee education, NISSO is considering selling it to the general public.





Toward the Growth of Engineering Human Resources Services



Promoting the Development · Supply of Semiconductor Manufacturing Human Resources in collaboration with Mitsubishi Research Institute

By utilizing the human resources matching service "JOBMINEs ™" of Mitsubishi Research Institute, Inc. (MRI), NISSO will jointly promote the development and supply of engineer human resources in the semiconductor manufacturing field and other fields.

- Ability to select engineer candidates and reskilling candidates based on their work experience.
- By improving matching accuracy and developing human resources, NISSO will be able to address the social issue of human resources mobility.



Administrative • Other Human Resources Services



Administrative Human Resources Services

In 1Q, administrative net sales decreased by 7.1% YoY, partly due to a decrease in the number of enrolled administrative staff.

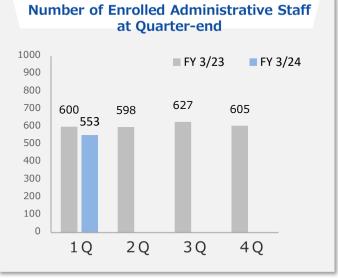
Other Human Resources Services

- Nikon Nisso Prime Corporation supports the active participation of senior employees.
- The number of senior employees was 622.
- Nisso Pure Co., Ltd. has created a workplace environment where diverse human resources can flourish.
- The number of employees with disabilities was 223.



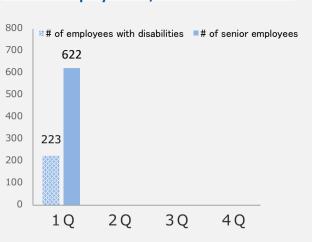






(Unit: # of Staff)

Number of Enrolled Senior Staff • Employees w/ Disabilities



Nursing Care · Welfare Services



(Unit: Million yen)

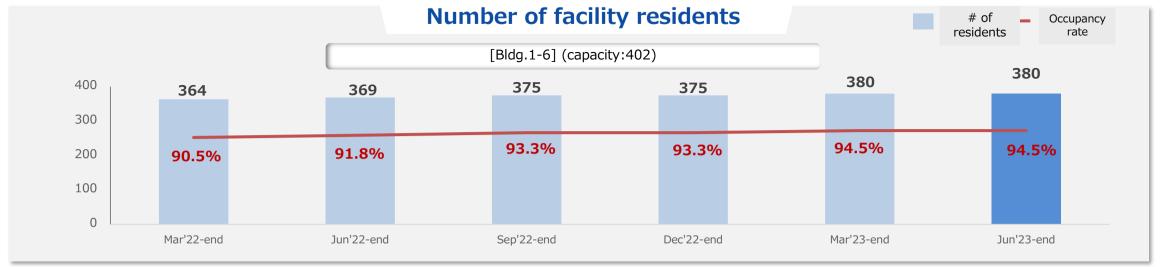
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- The overall occupancy rate of nursing care facilities remained high at 94.5%.
- Net sales increased by 3.8% YoY.

■ Results of Nursing Care • Welfare Services

	FY 3/23 1Q	FY 3/24 1Q	Year-o	n-Year	
	Results	Results	Increase (Decrease)	% Change	
Net sales	737	765	28	3.8%	

(Unit: # of residents)



Recruitment Initiatives



NISSO's Recruitment Site

A specialized site that is an absolute customer attraction tool

"Kyoto Kyujin Navi" is attracting more customers as a recruitment site specializing in the manufacturing industry.

NISSO will continue to enhance usability in the future.

URL: https://www.717450.net/ (in Japanese only)

"engineer works" expands and enhances the range of occupations listed from manufacturing engineers to IT engineers.

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Media Channels and Characteristics

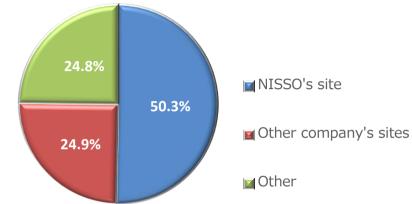
Owned media share: 50% or more

media.

Efficient recruitment with reduced recruitment costs is implemented through media management centered on NISSO's own recruitment site.

About 50% or more of the application share in 1Q was attracted by owned





Recruitment Initiatives



TV Commercial Promotion

In order to raise awareness of NISSO's recruitment site "Kojo Kyujin Navi", we continued to conduct promotional activities through TV commercials featuring actress Yuina Kuroshima.

As a result, the number of users of has expanded, (Up 29% YoY)

URL: https://www.717450.net/cm/ (in Japanese only)





Hybrid Recruitment Interviews

In order to meet the needs of job seekers, NISSO uses both in-person (real) interviews and online interviews.

In order to improve the interview utilization rate, NISSO trains and assigns interviewers who can respond to various needs.

Branding Strategy SNS utilization, etc.

NISSO is enhancing recognition and strengthening application acquisition by utilizing SNS and video content. NISSO disseminates information that makes the best use of the characteristics of each SNS.

YouTube



Facebook

40.2%

Interview ratio (FY 3/2024 10)

59.8%



■ Real interviews **■** Web interviews

twitter



TikTok



LINE



First Exhibition at Manufacturing World Japan 2023

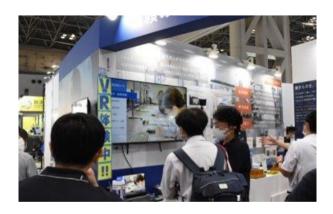


Exhibited at the 1st MONOZUKURI (Manufacturing) ODM/EMS Exhibition

With the aim of promoting understanding of NISSO's business, we exhibited at the 1st MONOZUKURI ODM/EMS Exhibition of Manufacturing World Japan 2023, which was held at Tokyo Big Sight from June 21 (Wed.) to June 23, 2023 (Fri.), for the purpose of business expansion.

Approximately 1,000 people, mainly technical manufacturers, visited.

NISSO plans to continue exhibiting at exhibitions in the future in order to expand the high value-added areas that we are aiming for.





Exhibition Overview | Content

Nisso Technical Center Higashi-Nihon VR

Promotion of NISSO's strengths in education Tour of the training facility via VR without actually visiting the site



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Information on AI services NISSO is working on Enabled booth visitors to experience foreign object detection with AI



Seminars

Two themes, the "Labor Market" and the "Dispatching Market" were prepared, and seminars were held alternately once an hour



Toward the Realization of the Nisso Group Growth Cycle

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Responding to **EVs and DX**

Active industry-government-academia collaboration

- Tohoku Semiconductor and **Electronics Design Study Group**
- · Chugoku Regional **Semiconductor Industry Promotion Council**
- Kvushu Semiconductor Human **Resources Development** Consortium

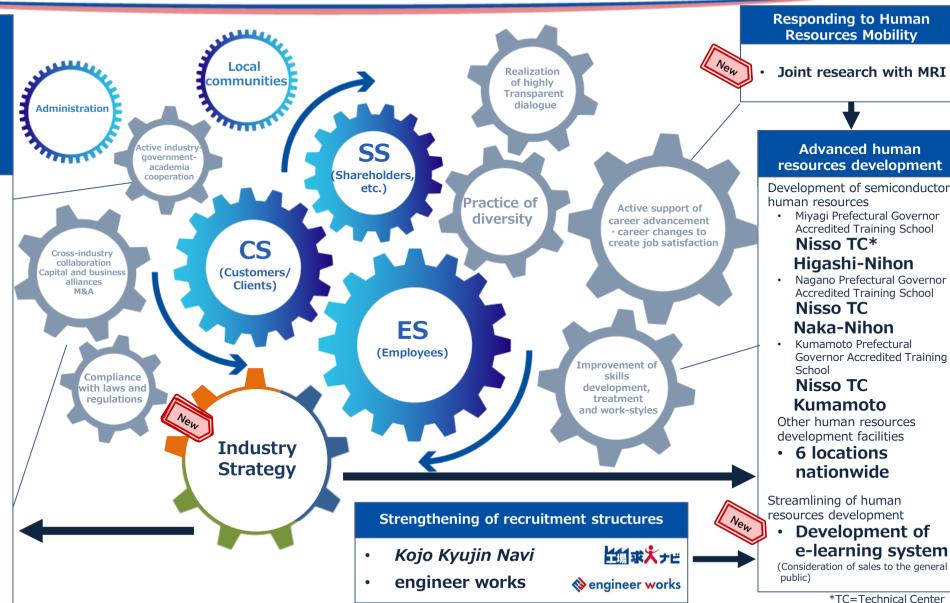
Acquisition of new points of contact

 Exhibition at Manufacturing World Japan 2023

(Promotion of understanding of NISSO's business)

Collaboration with other industries

- Capital and business alliance with DOCTORS Co., Ltd.
- Investment and partnership agreement with Interstellar **Technologies Inc.**







Future Prospects (FY 3/2024)

FY 3/2024 Full-year Consolidated Forecasts



In the full-year consolidated forecasts, in addition to the recovery of operations in the automobiles industry, demand for components related to PCs and communication equipment is expected to gradually recover. Furthermore, in the semiconductor memory field, etc., although the impact of inventory adjustments remain, NISSO expects revenue and profits to increase.

■FY 3/2024 Full-year Consolidated Forecast (April 1, 2023 ~ March 31, 2024)

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	FY 3/23 Results		FY 3/24 Forecast		Year-on-Year	
	Results	% of Total	Forecast	% of Total	Increase (Decrease)	% Change
Net sales	90,827	100.0%	100,000	100.0%	9,172	10.1%
Operating profit	2,268	2.5%	3,600	3.6%	1,331	58.7%
Ordinary profit	2,349	2.6%	3,600	3.6%	1,250	53.2%
Profit attributable to owners of parent	1,622	1.8%	2,300	2.3%	677	41.8%

Industry Trends **NISSO's own forecasts



		Automotive Industry (Automobile manufacturing · EV-related manufacturing industry)	Semiconductor Industry (Semiconductor manufacturing industry)	Electronics Industry (Electronic equipment manufacturing industry)
	Capital Investment	Will gradually expand	Will expand	Will be flat
1 H	Production Trends	Production growth will stall	Manufacturing equipment • memory will be sluggish Power semiconductors will be strong	Will be sluggish in conjunction with semiconductors
	Operational Trends	Impact of parts shortages will continue	Operations will be sluggish	Operations will be sluggish
	Personnel Trends	Will be steady	Will be sluggish	Will be sluggish
	Capital Investment	Will expand	Will expand further	Will gradually expand
2	Production Trends	Will be busy with parts shortages	Manufacturing equipment will recover moderately Memory will be sluggish	Will recover but slower than semiconductors
H I	Operational Trends	Operations will fully recover	Manufacturing equipment will recover moderately Memory will be sluggish	Will recover but slower than semiconductors
	Personnel Trends	Will be steady	Human resources needs will increase rapidly for next year	Will gradually increase following semiconductors



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Shareholder Return Policy

Shareholder Return Policy

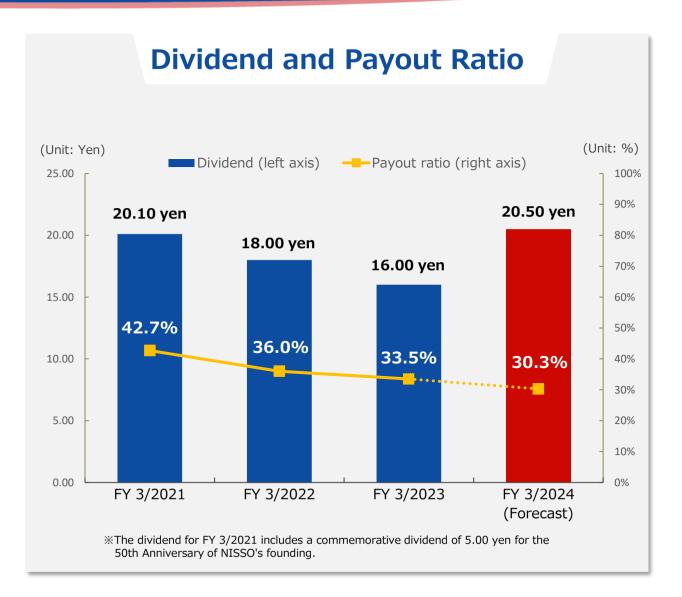


Basic Policy

NISSO considers the redistribution of profits to shareholders and the enhancement of corporate value as key management issues. In addition, by setting the consolidated dividend payout ratio of 30% or more as a general standard, NISSO's basic policy is to continue to steadily redistribute profits to all of our shareholders.

FY 3/2024 Dividend Forecast

NISSO expects to pay a dividend of 20.50 yen per share (consolidated dividend payout ratio of 30.3%).





6 Supplementary Materials

Consolidated Balance Sheet



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	Mar. 202	3-end	Jun. 202	3-end	Increase
	Amount	% of Total	Amount	% of Total	(Decrease)
Current assets	21,747	72.3	21,371	72.3	(375)
Cash and deposits	9,800	32.6	8,673	29.3	(1,126)
Accounts receivable - trade	10,986	36.5	11,515	39.0	529
Non-current assets	8,344	27.7	8,184	27.7	(160)
Property, plant and equipment	4,660	15.5	4,682	15.8	21
Intangible assets	1,514	5.0	1,467	5.0	(46)
Investments and other assets	2,169	7.2	2,034	6.9	(134)
Total assets	30,092	100.0	29,556	100.0	(536)
Current liabilities	12,187	40.5	11,946	40.4	(240)
Accrued expenses	6,119	20.3	6,504	22.0	384
Income taxes payable	555	1.8	81	0.3	(473)
Provision for bonuses	1,395	4.6	772	2.6	(623)
Non-current liabilities	3,097	10.3	3,022	10.2	(74)
Long-term loans payable	2,019	6.7	1,896	6.4	(122)
Total liabilities	15,284	50.8	14,969	50.6	(315)
Shareholders' equity	14,563	48.4	14,336	48.5	(227)
Non-controlling interests	239	0.8	245	0.8	5
Total net assets	14,807	49.2	14,586	49.4	(220)
Total liabilities and net assets	30,092	100.0	29,556	100.0	(536)

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1 Increase due to expansion of operating personnel

Due to the expansion of operating personnel in the manufacturing-related human resources services, "accounts receivable (trade)" of current assets and "accrued expenses" of current liabilities increased.

2 Tax payments

"Income taxes payable" of current liabilities decreased due to the payment of income taxes and other taxes at the end of May.

3Bonus payments

Due to the payment of summer bonuses at the end of June, "provision for bonuses" of current liabilities decreased.

4 Dividends

Shareholders' equity decreased due to dividend payments in June.

5 Overall

As a result of the above, total assets decreased by 1.8%, total liabilities decreased by 2.1%, and total net assets decreased by 1.5%, resulting in an equity ratio was at 48.5% compared to the end of the previous fiscal year.



The forward-looking statements and performance forecasts contained in this document are forecasts determined by NISSO based on information available at the time of preparation, and include potential risks and uncertainties. Therefore, please be aware that the actual results may differ greatly from the forward-looking statements described due to changes in various factors.

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