

Results of Operations

for the Second Quarter
of the Fiscal Year Ending October 31, 2024
June 10, 2024

Tobila Systems Inc. (Tokyo Stock Exchange Standard Market, 4441)

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Financial Highlights and Business Overview



Financial Highlights and Business Overview FY10/24 Earnings Forecast

2Q FY10/24 Financial Highlights

Net sales

¥586 million Up 12.3% YoY

Operating profit

¥235 million Up 34.4% YoY

Mobile phone services

Net sales

¥399 million

Up 5.7% YoY

 Increased mainly because of higher rates for fixed-payment contracts starting in December 2023 and higher rates for contracts x unit price contracts starting in **April 2024**

Landline phone services

Net sales

¥53 million

Up 11.7% YoY

 Sales remained strong mainly for the optional service offered by JCOM's Cable Plus Phone service

Business phone services

Net sales

¥132 million

Up 56.8% YoY

 TobilaPhone Biz and TobilaPhone Cloud sales continue to grow



Our Vision for a Better Future

Corporate Philosophy / Code of Conduct

We open the door to a better future for our lives and the world

Using technologies for the challenge of solving social issues

We are constantly changing without any fear of failure and challenging conventional thinking to realize a better future which we dream of.

We will be a source of products that help solve social issues and have benefits for people. We will also pursue appropriate earnings for steady growth as we expand and upgrade our operations.

We believe that maintaining an environment where we can live in peace with our loved ones will lead directly to our growth and a better life for people worldwide.

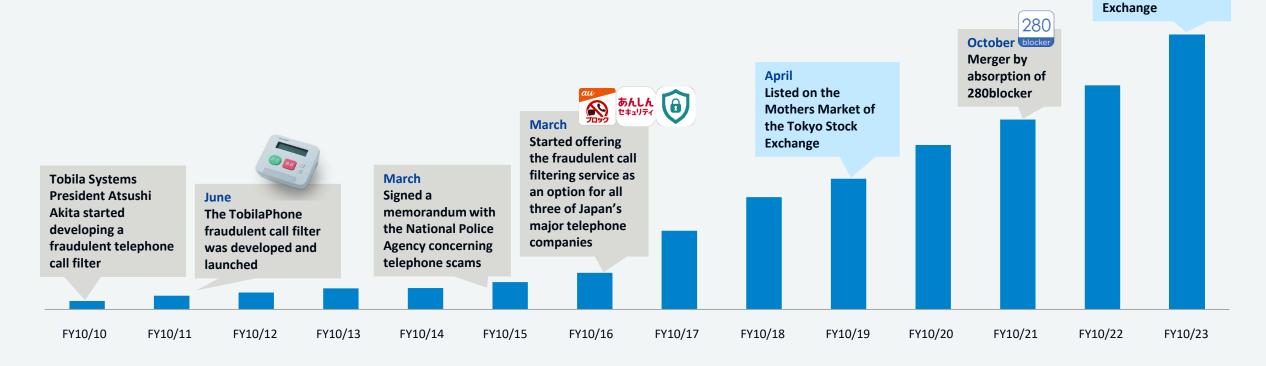


History of Consistent Growth*

• Sales have increased every year since Tobila Systems started operations.

• Operations generate consistent recurring revenue because services are provided as an option to customers of Japan's big three cell phone carriers.

Currently focusing on the creation of a second core business



^{*}Bar graphs are sales



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The Social Problem of Special Fraud and Phishing

- In 2023, there were 19,038 reports of special fraud (fraud with no face-to-face contact) and losses of ¥45.2 billion. Both figures are record highs since 2016.
- Almost all losses caused by fraudulent fund remittances using internet banks were caused by phishing. The amount of these losses and number of reports both rose to new records in 2023.



^{*1:} Identification and Control of Special Fraud in 2023 (final version), National Police Agency

^{*2: &}lt;u>Threats in Cyberspace in 2023</u>, National Police Agency



A Rapid Increase in Reports of SMS Scams Involving Investments

SNS investment scams by parties impersonating famous people are increasing rapidly: 2,271 reports and losses of about ¥27.8 billion in 2023. As a result, the number of SMS investment scams detected is growing.



^{*}Press release titled "Tobila Systems Report on Special Fraud and Phishing" (March 2024). The April data is for April 1-April 24, 2024



Tobila Systems' Strengths: The Fraudulent Call/Message Database

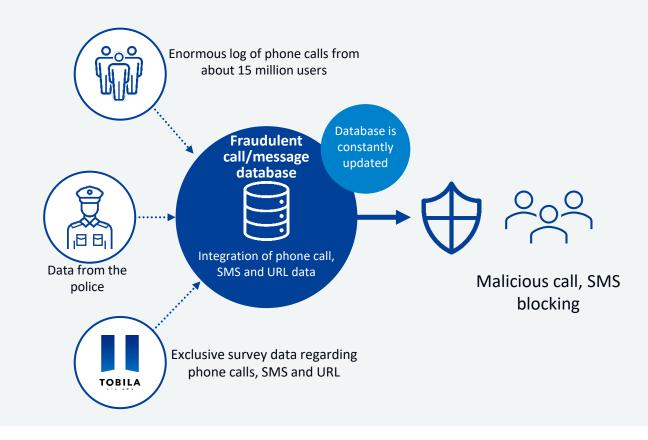
- Losing money due to a scam begins with answering a dangerous phone call, responding to malicious SMS or visiting a dangerous website
- Tobila Systems updates every day its fraudulent call/message database that contains dangerous phone number, SMS and URL
 information to protect users of Tobila Systems services by blocking incoming calls and messages from these sources

Strengths of Our Fraudulent Call/ Message Database

- Tobila Systems receives information from the police about telephone numbers and URLs that were used for crimes and other malicious activities
- The database includes a system for incorporating feedback from users concerning phone numbers and SMS
- The database is updated every day by using information from the Tobila Systems survey team



The volume of data increases along with the number of users, resulting in a cyclical system for the constant improvement of phone call and SMS blocking accuracy





Outline of Services

For all-inclusive protection, the Fraud and Spam Prevention Business has three categories of services: mobile phones, landline phones and business phones

Mobile phone products









- Provided mainly as a mobile carrier app.
- Blocks fraudulent phone calls and SMS.
- Blocks uncomfortable ads.



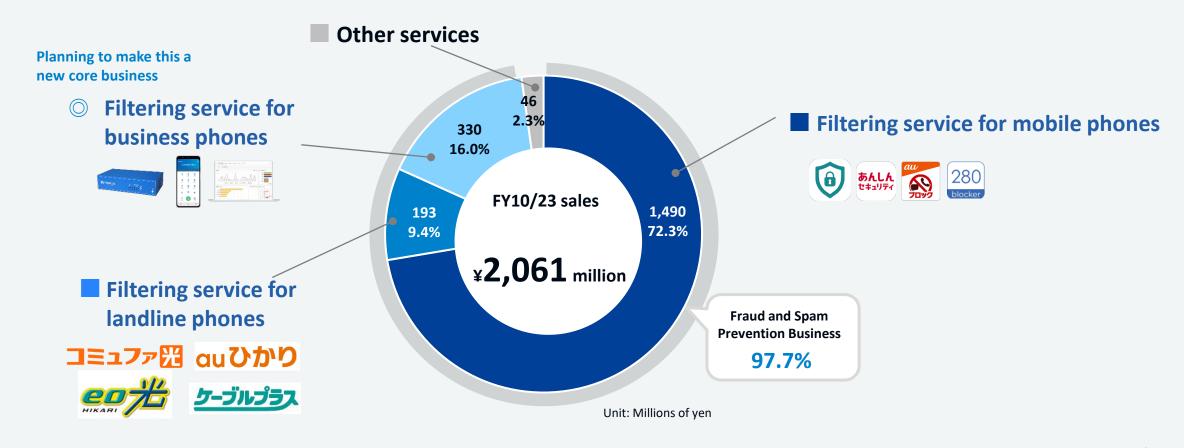
- infrastructure.
- Blocks unnecessary sales calls and fraudulent calls.





Business Segments (FY10/23)

- In the core Fraud and Spam Prevention Business, filtering services for mobile phones are about 72.3% of sales.
- Consistent earnings of mobile phone services are used to fund expenditures in the rapidly growing filtering services for business phone category.

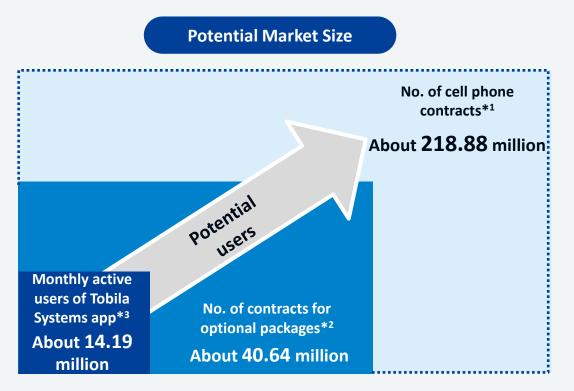


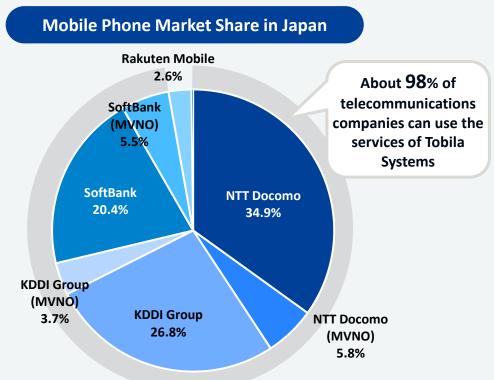


Mobile Phone Services

Growth Potential for Mobile Phone Services

- The number of users who can use Tobila Systems services at no extra charge are currently more than about 40.64 million.
- All major cell phone carriers in Japan provide Tobila Systems services, which makes possible effective activities for promoting the use
 of these services.





^{*1:} Quarterly data on the "Number of Telecommunications Service Contracts and Market Share" (announced on March 22, 2024), Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications

^{*3:} Number of the monthly active users as of April 30, 2024, includes some provisional figures. The data may vary somewhat when the finalized figures are released and reflected in the data.

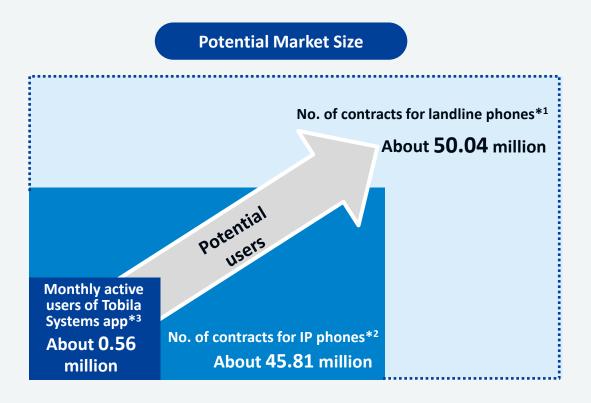


^{*2:} Tobila Systems estimate based on data collected by Tobila Systems for SoftBank, Smart Pass Premium contracts for au based on the KDDI FY3/24 financial data and the number of contracts for options announced on December 19, 2018 for NTT Docomo.

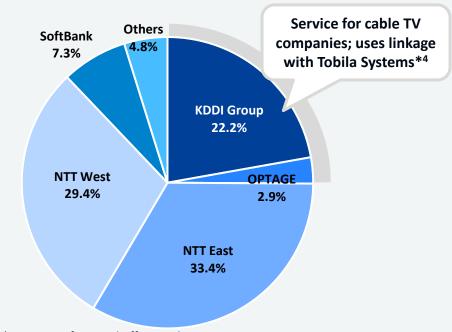
Landline Phone Services

Growth Potential for Landline Phone Services

• In January 2024, NTT East and NTT West began moving customers from landline services to IP networks. As a result, the IP phone sector has significant growth potential because many landline users are expected to shift to IP phones.



Landline Phone Market Share in Japan



^{*1} and *2: Quarterly data on the "Number of Telecommunications Service Contracts and Market Share" (announced on March 22, 2024), Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications

^{*4:} Press release titled "Provision of the Fraudulent Call Automatic Blocker, Japan's first automatic call blocking service for a landline phone that requires no external call blocking attachment"

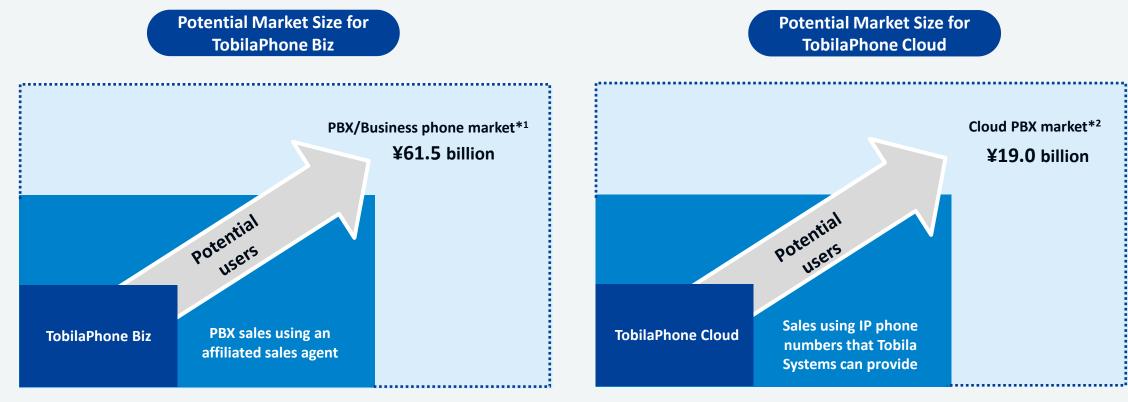


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Business Phone Services

Growth Potential for Business Phone Services

- TobilaPhone Biz is used with a PBX. The size of the PBX/business phone market in Japan is ¥61.5 billion.
- The size of the cloud PBX market in Japan, which is the market for TobilaPhone Cloud, is ¥19.0 billion. This market is growing as
 users move from the PBX to the cloud PBX market.



^{*1:} PBX and key telephone system sales in 2022 based on the CIAJ Telecommunications Medium-term Demand Forecast 2022-2027

^{*2: 2022} forecast in 2022 Communications Marketing Survey by Fuji Chimera Research Institute, Inc.



2Q FY10/24 Topics



Mobile Phone Services

Higher Rates for Contracts x Unit Price Contracts

• In April 2024, contracts were renewed at a higher rate for contracts x unit price contracts; higher rates contributed to one month of second quarter sales.

No. of Contracts × unit price contract formats*

No. of Contracts × Unit Contracts

• Sales are linked to the number of optional package Contracts that permit the use of Tobila Systems services

• Contractual rates were increased in April 2024

^{*}IR note <for Mobile Phone Filtering Services> "Differences in contract formats" https://note.com/tobila4441/n/n71f22dbaab6d

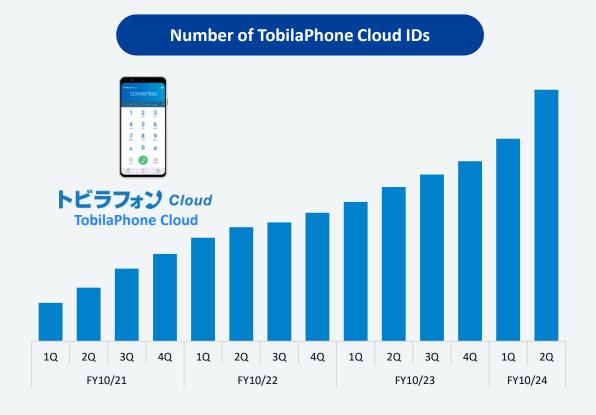


Business Phone Services

Growth of TobilaPhone Biz and TobilaPhone Cloud Sales

- Steady sales growth of TobilaPhone Biz and TobilaPhone Cloud
- Sales of TobilaPhone Cloud, which has received an ITreview Grid Award and BOXIL SaaS Award, are growing even faster with the support of measures to strengthen sales structure







2Q FY10/24 Financial Results



2Q FY10/24 Financial Summary

Sales and earnings at all levels were higher than one year earlier and higher than in the previous quarter. Net sales, operating profit and ordinary profit increased to new all-time highs.

Unit: Millions of yen	2Q FY10/23	1Q FY10/24	2Q FY10/24 Results	YoY	QoQ
Net sales	521	567	586	112.3%	103.2%
EBITDA*	221	247	280	126.5%	113.3%
Operating profit	175	202	235	134.4%	116.4%
Ordinary profit	174	201	235	134.6%	116.5%
Profit	115	155	157	136.5%	101.3%

^{*}EBITDA = Operating profit + Depreciation + Goodwill amortization



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2Q FY10/24 Service Category Sales

- Steady growth of mobile phone service sales mainly because of a fixed-payment contract format rate increase in December 2023 and a contracts x unit price contract format rate increase in April 2024
- Growth of business phone services sales is continuing as sales of TobilaPhone Biz and TobilaPhone Cloud increase

Unit: Millions of yen	2Q FY10/23	1Q FY10/24	2Q FY10/24 Results	YoY	QoQ
Fraud and Spam Prevention Business	510	567	586	114.9%	103.2%
Mobile phone services	378	397	399	105.7%	100.5%
Landline phone services	47	51	53	111.7%	102.5%
Business phone services	84	113	132	156.8%	116.9%
Other*	-	5	0	-	17.9%
Other services	11	-	-	-	-

^{*}Beginning with 1Q FY10/24, we have changed to a single reportable segment of Fraud and Spam Prevention Business due to the sale of HP4U in the previous fiscal year. "Other services" has been included in "Fraud and Spam Prevention Business".



First Half vs. FY10/24 Forecasts

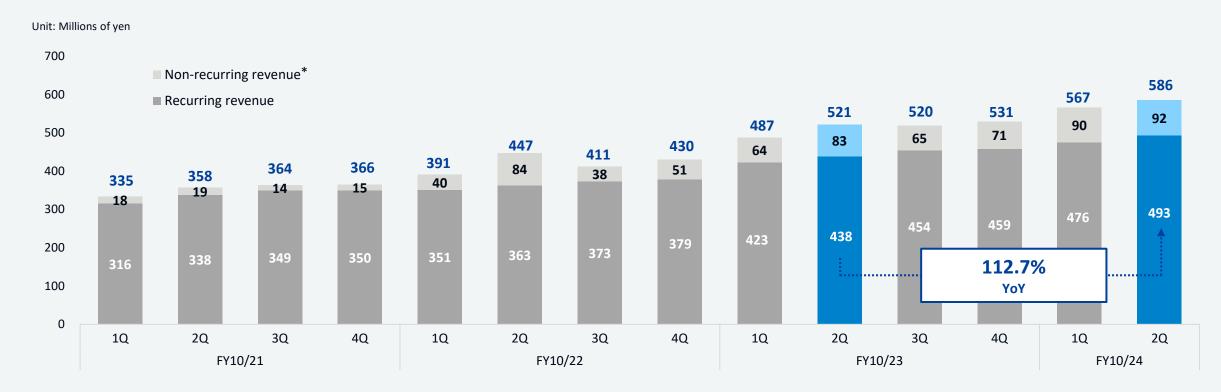
- Sales were consistent with the first half forecast. Expect total sales to reach the initial forecast.
- Although first half earnings at all levels were more than 50% of the fiscal year forecast, there is no change in the fiscal year earnings
 forecasts due to the outlook for second half expenses for recruiting and advertising activities involving growing market sectors.





Quarterly Sales (Recurring Revenue and Non-recurring Revenue)

- Recurring revenue increased 12.7% YoY mainly because of higher business phone service revenue and higher rates for services for mobile phones
- Non-recurring revenue includes one-time revenue from 280blocker (ad blocking app), sales of TobilaPhone and TobilaPhone Biz hardware, and one-time development projects



^{*}Non-recurring revenue includes sales of 280blocker (iOS ad blocking app), hardware for TobilaPhone and TobilaPhone Biz, and other products



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Major Contract Formats for Mobile Phone Filtering Services*

- Tobila Systems filtering services are included in the optional packages of major carriers; there are three types of contract formats
- Focusing on raising the accuracy of the Tobila Systems app to enable sales through major carriers

Fixed payment (Subscription contract)

This fixed payment format generates sales that are not affected by changes in the number of contracts or monthly users.

Fixed payment (Subscription contract)

- Service provided for a fixed monthly fee
- Steady sales because changes in the number of contracts or monthly users does not change sales

No. of contracts × Unit price

Sales are linked to the number of optional package contracts that permit the use of Tobila Systems services.

No. of contracts

× Unit price

- Tobila Systems revenue is directly linked with the revenue of major cell phone carriers
- The number of people with an optional package contract is decreasing as more people switch to low-cost smartphones

Monthly active users × Unit price

Sales are linked to monthly users of Tobila Systems services

Monthly active users



- The characteristics of this contract format make it easy to conduct highly effective activities for attracting more users
- The change in the number of monthly active users of Tobila Systems services must be monitored closely

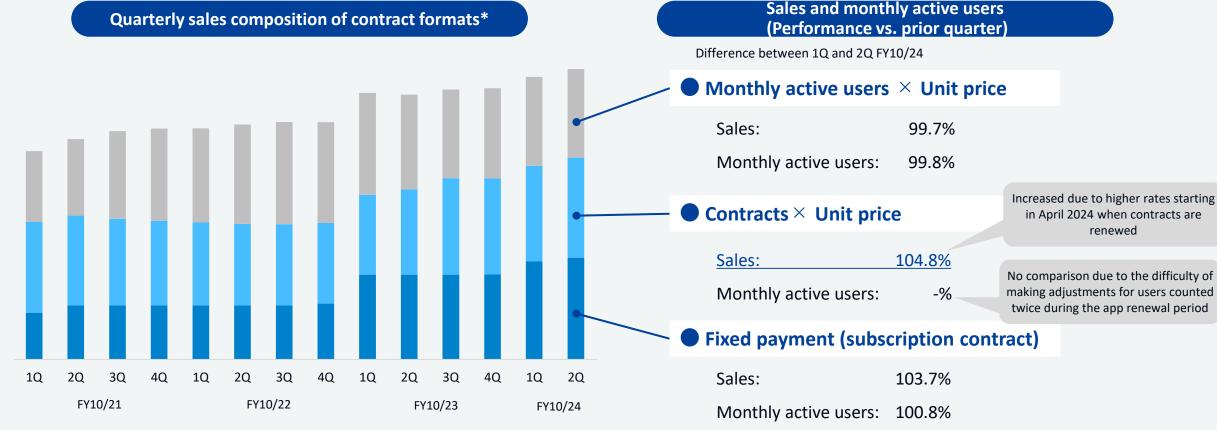
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Mobile Phone Services

Quarterly Sales of Contract Formats

- Contracts x unit price contract sales increased because of rate increases beginning with contract renewals in April.
- Improvement in the number of users for some contract formats. Activities with telecommunication carriers for increasing the use of Tobila Systems services will continue.

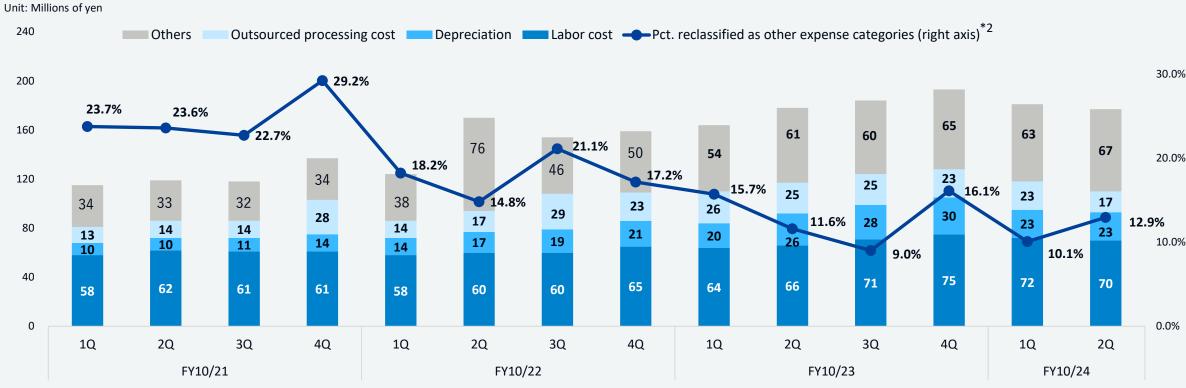


^{*}Sales and the number of monthly users are for only contracts with Japan's big three telecommunication companies. Inexpensive smartphone service and other MVNO contracts are not included.



Cost of Sales

- The cost of sales*1 was controlled generally as planned.
- Lowered the fiscal year cost of sales forecast from ¥712 million to ¥664 million mainly because of a reexamination of the plan for unit sales of hardware

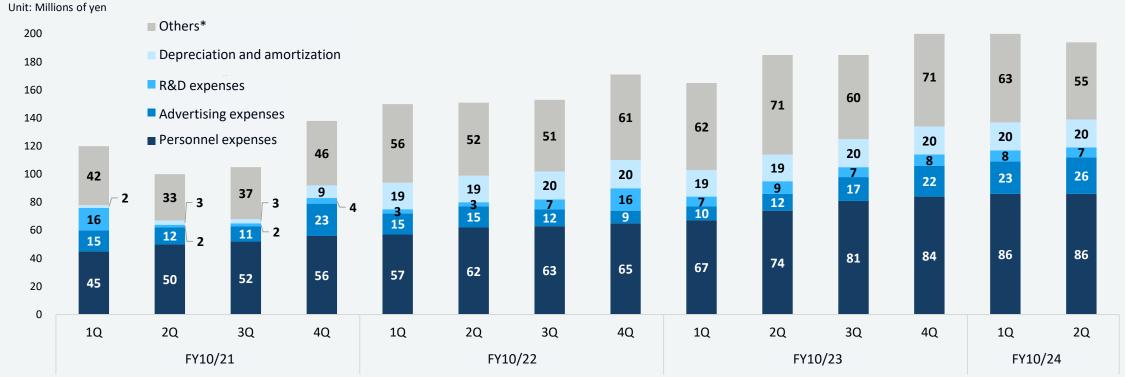


- *1: The sum of labor cost, depreciation and others does not match the total cost of sales on the income statement because these figures are before adjustments for reclassified expenses and work in process transfers
- *2: Pct. reclassified as other expense categories is the percentage of the cost of sales included in R&D expenses and assets due mainly to the characteristics of work performed by employees



SG&A Expenses

- SG&A expenses were controlled generally as planned.
- Increased the fiscal year forecast for SG&A expenses from ¥883 million to ¥930 million. One reason is the second half use of recruiting and other expenses that were pushed back from the first half. Another reason is expected advertising expenditures for TobilaPhone Cloud and 280blocker, which are categories where sales are growing.

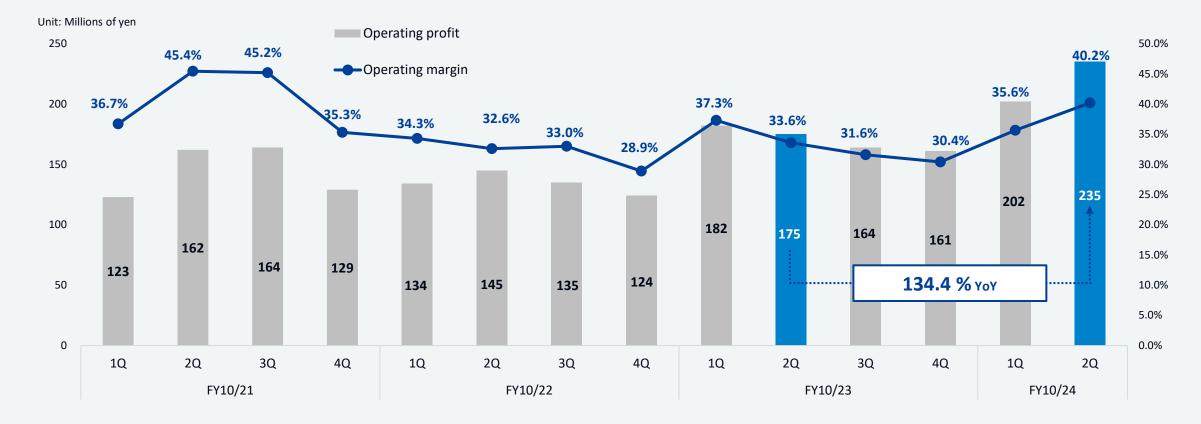


*Others include collection fees, business process outsourcing fees, real estate leases and other items



Operating Profit

- Record high quarterly operating profit
- Expenditures in the second half are planned for hiring people and for advertising and marketing activities in the growth sector.
 No change in the fiscal year forecast of ¥755 million.





Quarterly Expenses

Unit: Millions of yen	2Q FY10/23	1Q FY10/24	2Q FY10/24 Results	YoY	QoQ
Cost of sales	158	163	154	97.5%	94.2%
Labor cost	66	72	70	106.2%	97.3%
Outsourced processing cost	25	23	17	67.0%	72.3%
Depreciation	26	23	23	90.5%	99.0%
Others	61	63	67	110.7%	106.5%
Pct. of cost of sales classified as R&D expenses and assets*	11.6%	10.1%	12.9%	1.3pt	2.9pt
SG&A expenses	188	201	196	104.3%	97.4%
Personnel expenses	74	86	86	115.4%	99.9%
Advertising expenses	12	23	26	211.5%	114.6%
R&D expenses	9	8	7	77.1%	91.0%
Depreciation and amortization	19	20	20	104.1%	99.6%
Others	71	63	55	77.5%	87.7%

^{*}The percentage of the cost of sales included in R&D expenses and assets due mainly to the characteristics of work performed by employees



- Balance Sheet

• Cash and deposits and current liabilities (mainly an increase in contract liabilities because earnings are recognized over the length of contracts) were the main reasons for the increases in assets and liabilities

	FY10/23	2Q FY10/24	Change
Unit: Millions of yen			
Current assets	2,816	3,046	230
Cash and deposits	2,404	2,592	187
Trade receivables and contract assets	254	282	28
Other	156	171	14
Non-current assets	830	784	-46
Property, plant and equipment	103	85	-18
Intangible assets	405	362	-42
Investments and other assets	322	336	14
Total assets	3,646	3,830	183
Liabilities	1,510	1,678	168
Current liabilities	1,314	1,508	193
Non-current liabilities	195	170	-25
Net assets	2,136	2,152	15
Equity ratio	58.6%	56.2%	-2.4pt



O4 FY10/24 Earnings Forecast



FY10/24 Forecast

No change in the initial FY10/24 forecast for sales of ¥2,350 million and operating profit of ¥755 million

Unit: Millions of yen	FY10/22 Results	FY10/23 Results	FY10/24 Forecast	YoY
Net sales	1,681	2,061	2,350	114.0%
EBITDA*1	693	870	941	108.1%
Operating profit	540	682	755	110.6%
Ordinary profit	532	679	754	111.0%
Profit	322	517	500	96.6%
(Profit excluding extraordinary income (loss))	(350)	(469)	(500)	(106.4%)
Operating margin	32.2%	33.1%	32.1%	-
ROE*2	20.1%	26.9%	22.5%	-
Equity ratio	64.1%	58.6%	56.4%	-

^{*1:} EBITDA = Operating profit + Depreciation + Goodwill amortization

^{*2:} ROE is calculated by using average shareholders' equity in each fiscal year



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FY10/24 Sales Forecast by Category (Partially Revised)

- Mobile phone services: Sales are expected to be higher than planned because the initial plan did not include the rate increase for the contracts x unit price contract format
- Business phone services: Parts of the plan have been revised to reflect slower than expected progress with adding TobilaPhone Biz sales agents and other activities

Unit: Millions of yen	FY10/22 Results	FY10/23 Results	FY10/2 Forecas	YoY (After revision)	
Fraud and spam prevention services	1,621	2,014		2,350	116.7%
Mobile phone services	1,271	1,490	1,551	1,611	108.1%
Landline phone services	165	193		213	110.1%
Business phone services	184	330	579	520	157.2%
Others	-	-		6	-
Other services	60	46		-	-

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FY10/24 Forecast for Expenses (Partially Revised)

Cost of sales: Revisions caused by a lower labor cost due primarily to the slower than planned pace of hiring people and a smaller number of hardware sales because of the revised TobilaPhone Biz sales plan

SG&A expenses: Revisions caused by lower personnel expenses due primarily to a slower than planned pace of hiring people and to an

increase in advertising expenses

Unit: Millions of yen	FY10/22 Results	FY10/23 Results	I	YoY (After revision)		
Cost of sales	505	628	712		664	105.8%
Labor cost	245	278	320	•	304	109.6%
Outsourced processing cost	84	100	90		80	79.9%
Depreciation	72	105			99	93.8%
Others	212	241	316	•	283	117.1%
Pct. of cost of sales classified as R&D expenses and assets*	17.7%	13.1%	13.9%	•	13.1%	0.0pt
SG&A expenses	634	750	883		930	124.0%
Personnel expenses	250	308	372	•	355	115.0%
Advertising expenses	52	63	79	•	125	198.2%
R&D expenses	30	31			37	117.3%
Depreciation and amortization	80	80			84	104.8%
Others	221	266	309		329	123.5%

^{*}The percentage of the cost of sales included in R&D expenses and assets due mainly to the characteristics of work performed by employees



Disclaimer

Tobila Systems plans to announce FY10/24 third quarter results of operations at 16:00 on September 10, 2024 (Tuesday).

This presentation includes forward-looking statements that incorporate the current outlook, forecasts and risk factors. There are many uncertainties that may cause actual performance to differ from these statements.

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Appendix



- Answers to Expected Questions

Categories	Questions	Answers
Business phone services	Why did you lower the fiscal year target for business phone service sales? What is your outlook for the growth of this category?	Our revision of the number of TobilaPhone Biz hardware units to be sold is the main reason for the change in the forecast involving business phone services. Our initial target for hardware sales was based on the assumption that we would add more sales agents and take other actions for growth. We have revised the plan for hardware sales mainly to reflect the slower than expected pace of these actions. However, the number of hardware units sold is increasing steadily with the support of firm sales in existing channels. We plan to continue taking actions for the growth of sales in existing channels while adding sales agents and taking other actions for more growth.
Corporate	You said that advertising expenditures will increase in the second half. What types of activities will be responsible for this increase?	We plan to use advertising expenditures mainly for TobilaPhone Cloud and 280blocker. The objective of most of this advertising is to raise awareness of the cloud PBX and our products. The pace of TobilaPhone Cloud sales growth is increasing. We want to use activities to raise awareness of this service for the maximization of our sales and earnings.
Corporate	You have not revised your fiscal year forecast even though first half earnings at all levels were more than half of the fiscal year forecasts. You said the reason is expenditures for recruiting and for investments in growing market sectors. Please explain how you determine estimates for expenses.	For recruiting and growth sector expenditures, senior management approves or rejects expenditures under consideration based on the expected benefits. In general, managers use a somewhat conservative stance for estimating benefits of expenditures. The key point is to achieve sales and earnings targets while making investments for growth.



Financial Status in Prior Years: Quarterly Results*1

	FY10/21					FY10/22				FY10/23				FY10/24	
Unit: Millions of yen	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q	
Net sales	335	358	364	366	391	447	411	430	487	521	520	531	567	586	
Fraud and Spam Prevention Business	316	335	344	349	377	430	397	415	471	510	509	523	567	586	
Other services	19	22	19	17	14	16	14	15	16	11	10	7	-	-	
Cost of sales	89	92	92	97	103	147	121	133	138	158	169	162	163	154	
Labor cost	58	62	61	61	58	60	60	65	64	66	71	75	72	70	
Outsourced processing cost	13	14	14	28	14	17	29	23	26	25	25	23	23	17	
Depreciation	10	10	11	14	14	17	19	21	20	26	28	30	23	23	
Others	34	33	32	34	38	76	46	50	54	61	60	65	63	67	
Pct. of cost of sales classified as R&D expenses and assets*2	23.7%	23.6%	22.7%	29.2%	18.2%	14.8%	21.1%	17.2%	15.7%	11.6%	9.0%	16.1%	10.1%	12.9%	
SG&A expenses	122	102	106	139	153	154	154	173	167	188	186	207	201	196	
Personnel expenses	45	50	52	56	57	62	63	65	67	74	81	84	86	86	
Advertising expenses	15	12	11	23	15	15	12	9	10	12	17	22	23	26	
R&D expenses	16	2	2	4	3	3	7	16	7	9	7	8	8	7	
Depreciation and amortization	2	3	3	9	19	19	20	20	19	19	20	20	20	20	
Others	42	33	37	46	56	52	51	61	62	71	60	71	63	55	

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^{*2:} The percentage of the cost of sales included in R&D expenses and assets due mainly to the characteristics of work performed by employees



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Quarterly Sales Composition by Category in Prior Years*

	FY10/21				FY10/22			FY10/23				FY10/24		
Unit: Millions of yen	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q
Fraud and Spam Prevention Business	316	335	344	349	377	430	397	415	471	510	509	523	567	586
Mobile phone services	265	281	290	295	311	331	313	314	361	378	371	378	397	399
Landline phone services	38	37	37	34	34	51	38	41	44	47	50	50	51	53
Business phone services	11	17	16	20	31	48	44	59	65	84	87	93	113	132
Other	-	-	-	_	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	-	5	0
Other services	19	22	19	17	14	16	14	15	16	11	10	7	-	

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Corporate

Aiming to Establish a Reputation as a Special Fraud and Phishing Risk and Prevention Specialist

• At the end of every month since October 2023, Tobila Systems has been issuing a Special Fraud and Phishing Monthly Report*1 for the purpose of earning a reputation as a specialist involving these types of scams



Special Fraud and Phishing Report

- Monthly information about current special fraud and phishing trends based on data that only Tobila Systems has
- Information about SNS investment scams and scams using international telephone calls
- Use of Tobila Systems surveys and data by a large number of news and other TV programs*2
- Recorded video appearances of Tobila Systems personnel on information programs and supervision of special fraud information by these individuals; for example, a Tobila Systems security research specialist appeared on a TV Asahi information program on May 23

^{*2:} Articles about Tobila Systems (https://tobila.com/news/media/)



^{*1:} Press release titled "Tobila Systems Report on Special Fraud and Phishing" (April 2024)

