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Construction Machinery Filter Demand Remains Strong Strengthening Profit Improvement Initiatives

YAMASHIN-FILTER CORP. Financial Results for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2022

May 20, 2022

Executive Summary (1)



Market Environment

Construction machinery filter business

Market

Japan

North America

Europe

Asia

China

Slower

Construction machinery operating time and demand for new vehicles is high

Logistics costs and raw material prices

Currency exchange

Soaring

Yen depreciation

Air filter business

⇒ Replacement demand in areas such as office buildings is on a recovery trend, and based on the Post-COVID-19 era and environmental issues such as climate change; presenting opportunities to expand our business

Company Actions for FY2021

Construction machinery filter business

- ◆ Promoting the expansion of high-value-added filter product lineup that leverage new materials and IoT technologies
- ◆ Increasing market share in the North American and Chinese markets YAMASHIN is proposing new applications in North America, and has made progress on winning projects with Chinese construction machinery manufacturers.
- ◆ Strengthening the value chain and restructuring the supply chain YAMASHIN started mass production at the Vietnam Plant, and established a new plant in North America to increase local procurement and reduce logistics costs.

Air filter business

♦ Expansion of nanofiber air filter supply and market share

Other business portfolio

Expansion of market area into industrial materials

Business results for FY2021

Consolidated sales: 18.8 billion yen

YoY:

29.0% increase

Consolidated operating income: 1,344 million yen

Operating loss: 145 million yen in the last fiscal year

Construction machinery YoY 42.1% increase 15.5 billion yen filter Air filter YoY 1.2% decrease 2,577 million yen YoY 35.4% decrease 651 million yen Healthcare

Significant increase in sales and profit due to changes in market environment: distribution costs and raw material prices were factors in lower profit

The profitability fell due to a decline in the use of office buildings and other facilities

Operating loss due to a significant decrease in demand resulting from changes in the market environment in the household mask market



Market Environment and Our Actions for FY2022

Further strengthening of sales capacity

Construction machinery filter business:

Promoting business by leveraging a solid business environment

- YAMASHIN has expanded its high value-added filter product lineup by utilizing new materials and IoT technology.
- We started promoting filter sales of YAMASHIN Nano Filter[®]
 materials from April 2022.
- We are applying our construction machinery filter technology to other fields.

Air filter business:

We will capture new market share by leveraging the superiority of new products.

 Balancing SDG initiatives and business portfolio expansion

We have expanded the market area of YAMASHIN Nano Filter® to industrial

Profit improvement initiatives

Construction machinery filter business:

Restructuring and strengthening the value chain

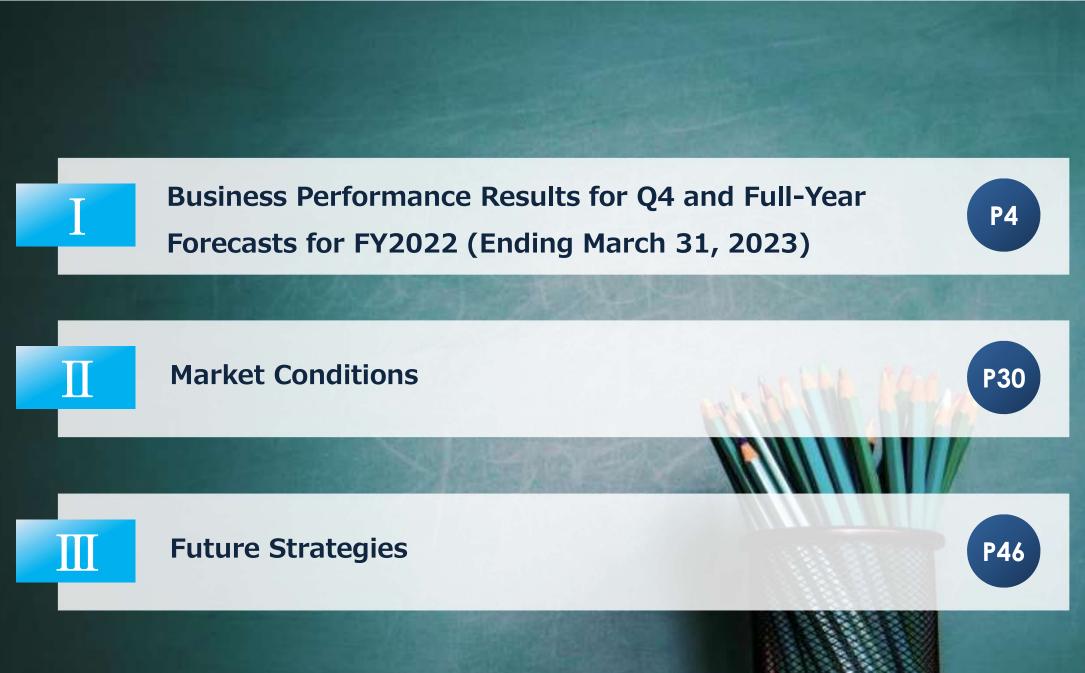
- We are reviewing our supply chain and reducing logistics costs through the operation of YVC (Vietnam Plant).
- We are making further efforts to stabilize procurement of key raw materials and to increase prices of our products sold to customers to combat the soaring prices of materials.

Exchange rate fluctuations measures

- We are strengthening operational hedge-marry and netting measures and actively using derivatives transactions to reduce the impact on business performance.
- Air filter business:

We are improving profitability through increased productivity.









Business Performance Results for Q4 FY2021 (Jan to Mar 2022)

FY2021 Q4 Financial Results (Jan to Mar)



		Q4 FY2020 Results	Q4 FY2021 Results	YoY change		
(million yen)		Amount	Amount	Amount	%	
Net sales			4,192	4,633	440	10.5%
Con etc.		chinery filters,	3,227	3,824	596	18.5%
Air f	filters		649	683	33	5.1%
Hea	althcare		315	125	△189	△60.1%
Operating income			0	230	230	_
Con etc.		chinery filters,	491	603	112	22.8%
Air f	filters		5	21	15	273.9%
Hea	althcare		△131	13	144	_
Corp	porate exper	ises*	△364	△407	△42	_
Operating income ma	argin		0.0%	5.0%	5.0Pt	
Ordinary profit			△1	238	240	_
Ordinary profit marg	çin		△0.0%	5.1%	5.2Pt	
Net income			366	135	△230	△63.0%
Net income margin		8.7%	2.9%	△5.8Pt		
Exchange rates ((ave)	USD	106.1	112.4	6.3	6.0%
Exertainse rates ((200.)	EUR	123.7	130.6	6.9	5.6%

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^{*}With the goal of more accurately representing segment results and corporate expenses, general and administrative expenses and other expenses of the administrative divisions of the head office and subsidiaries are separately listed.

FY2021 Q4 Sales by Product Category (Jan to Mar)



(million yen)		Q4 FY2020 Results	Q4 FY2021 Results	YoY change		
		Amount	Amount	Amount	%	
Construction machiner	y filters	2,872	3,509	636	22.2%	
	Line parts	1,302	1,465	163	12.5%	
	Service parts	1,570	2,043	473	30.1%	
Industrial filters		126	108	△18	△14.5%	
Process filters		228	206	△21	△9.4%	
	total chinery filters, etc.)	3,227	3,824	596	18.5%	
Air filters		649	683	33	5.1%	
Healthcare		315	125	△189	△60.1%	
То	tal	4,192	4,633	440	10.5%	

FY2021 Q4 Sales by Region (Jan to Mar)



(million yen)	Q4 FY20 Results		Q4 FY20 Results		YoY chan	ge
		Amount	Ratio (%)	Amount	Ratio (%)	Amount	Ratio (%)
	nstruction machinery ers, etc.*	3,227	77.0%	3,824	82.5%	596	18.5%
	Japan	1,515	36.2%	1,747	37.7%	231	15.3%
	North America	552	13.2%	692	14.9%	140	25.4%
	China	421	10.0%	392	8.5%	△28	△6.8%
	Other Asian countries	358	8.6%	595	12.9%	236	65.9%
	Europe	378	9.0%	395	8.5%	17	4.5%
	Others (Middle East, etc.)	1	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	△3.2%
Aiı	filters (Japan)	649	15.5%	683	14.7%	33	5.1%
He	althcare (Japan)	315	7.5%	125	2.7%	△189	△60.1%
	Total sales	4,192	100.0%	4,633	100.0%	440	10.5%

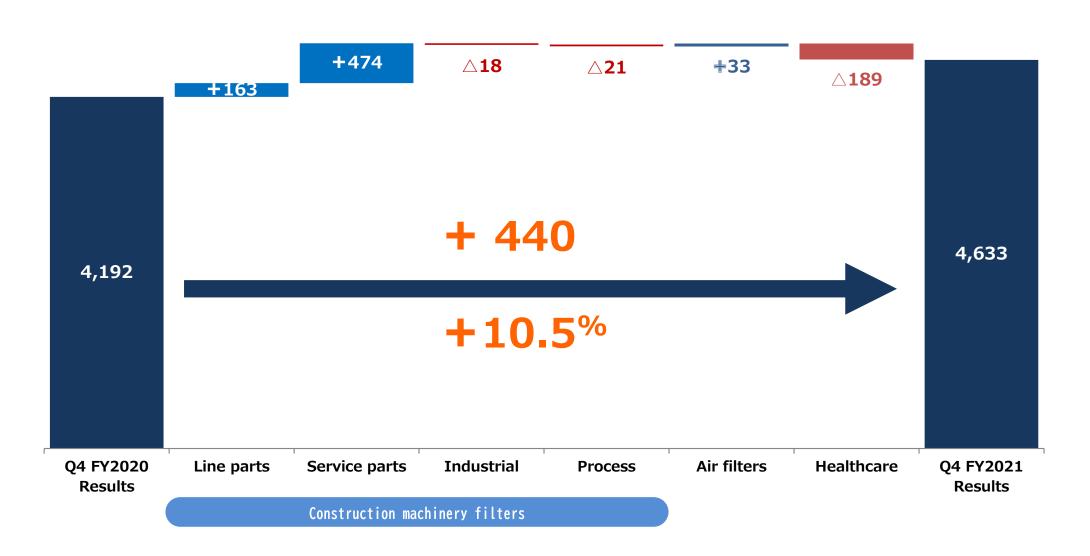
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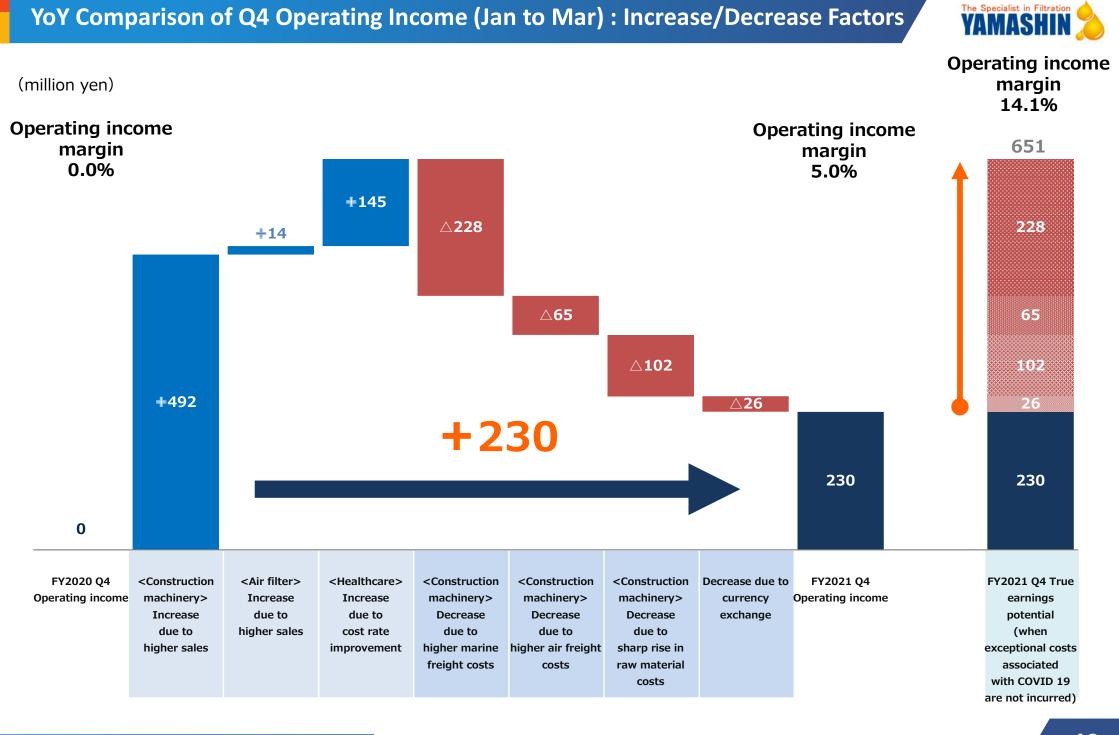
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YoY Comparison of Q4 Sales (Jan to Mar): Increase/Decrease factors



(million yen)







Business Performance Results for FY2021 YTD(Apr 2021 to Mar 2022)

FY2021 YTD Financial Results (Apr 2021 to Mar 2022)



		FY2020 YTD Results	FY2021 YTD Results	YoY c	YoY change	
(million yen)			Amount	Amount	Amount	%
Net sales			14,587	18,821	4,234	29.0%
Constru	ction ma	chinery filters*	10,970	15,592	4,622	42.1%
Air filter	´S		2,607	2,577	△30	△1.2%
Healthc	are		1,009	651	△357	△35.4%
Operating income			△145	1,344	1,490	_
Constru	ction ma	chinery filters	1,289	3,115	1,825	141.6%
Air filter	´S		123	70	△53	△43.0%
Healthc	are		△150	△329	△179	_
Corpora	ite exper	nses	△1,408	△1,512	△103	_
Operating income margin	1		△1.0%	7.1%	8.1Pt	
Ordinary profit			△135	1,317	1,452	_
Ordinary profit margin			△0.9%	7.0%	7.9Pt	
Net income			750	47	△703	△93.7%
Net income margin	Net income margin		5.1%	0.3%	△4.9Pt	
Evolunge rate lava	,	USD	106.1	112.4	6.3	6.0%
Lacitatige rate (avg.	Exchange rate (avg.)		123.7	130.6	6.9	5.6%

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FY2021 YTD Sales by Product Category (Apr 2021 – Mar 2022)



		FY2020 YTD Results	FY2021 YTD Results	YoY change		
(million yen)		Amount	Amount	Amount	Ratio (%)	
Construction machiner	y filters	9,713	14,169	4,456	45.9%	
	Line parts	4,178	5,633	1,454	34.8%	
	Service parts	5,534	8,536	3,002	54.2%	
Industrial filters	Industrial filters		522	52	11.2%	
Process filters		786	900	113	14.5%	
	total hinery filters, etc. *)	10,970	15,592	4,622	42.1%	
Air filters		2,607	2,577	△30	△1.2%	
Healthcare		1,009	651	△357	△35.4%	
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FY2021 YTD Sales by Region (Apr 2021 – Mar 2022)



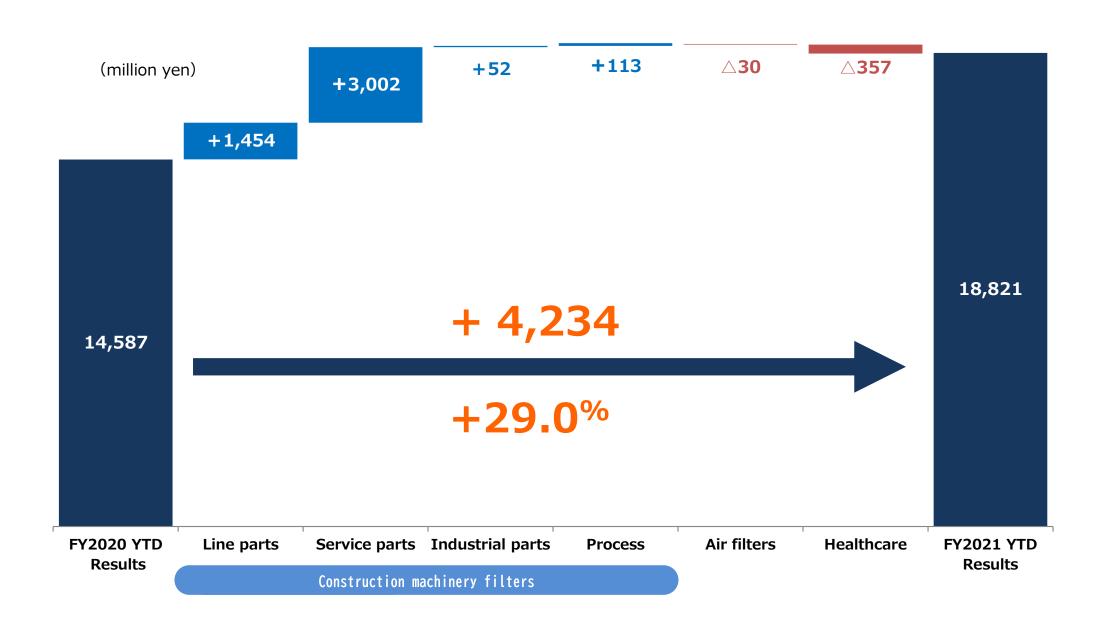
		FY2020 Y Results		FY2021 Y Result		YOY Change	
(r	nillion yen)	Amount	Composition Ratio (%)	Amount	Composition Ratio (%)	Amount	Composition Ratio (%)
	nstruction machinery ers*	10,970	75.2%	15,592	82.8%	4,622	42.1%
	Japan	5,019	34.4%	7,294	38.8%	2,275	45.3%
	North America	1,915	13.1%	2,939	15.6%	1,023	53.4%
	China	1,552	10.6%	1,711	9.1%	158	10.2%
	Other Asian countries	1,235	8.5%	1,889	10.0%	653	52.9%
	Europe	1,243	8.5%	1,755	9.3%	511	41.2%
	Others (Middle East, etc.)	3	0.0%	2	0.0%	0	△22.8%
Air	filters (Japan)	2,607	17.9%	2,577	13.7%	△30	△1.2%
He	althcare (Japan)	1,009	6.9%	651	3.5%	△357	△35.4%
	Total sales	14,587	100.0%	18,821	100.0%	4,234	29.0%

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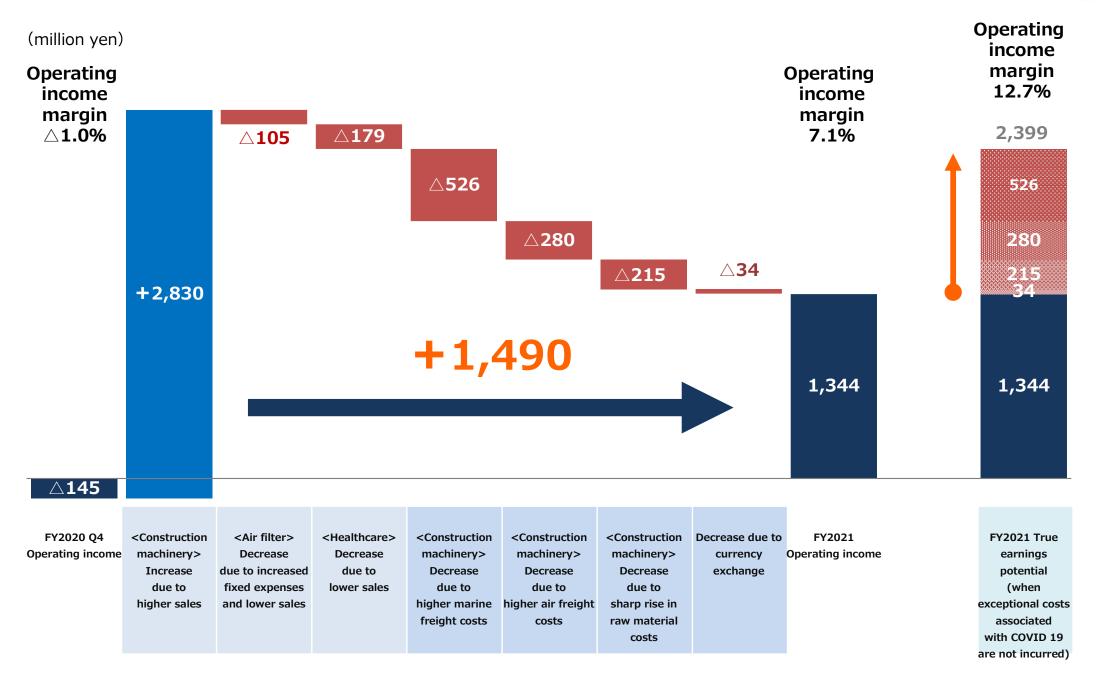
YoY Comparison of YTD Sales (Apr 2021 to Mar 2022): Increase/Decrease factors





YoY Comparison of YTD Operating Income (Apr 2021 – Mar 2022): Increase/Decrease factors



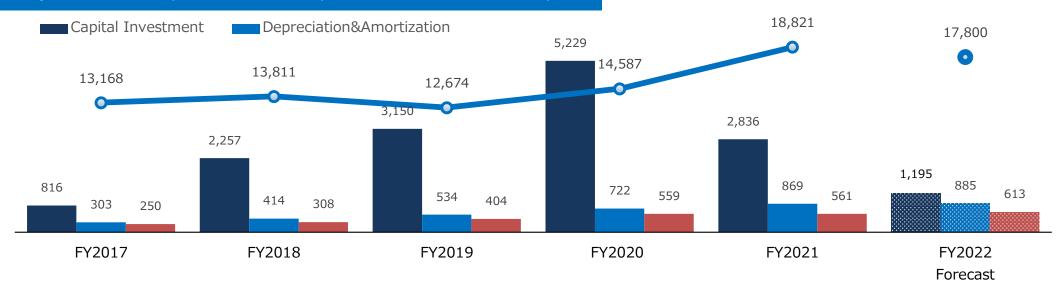


Capital Investment, Depreciation & Amortization, and R&D Expenses



(million yen)	FY2017 Results	FY2018 Results	FY2019 Results	FY2020 Results	FY2021 Results	FY2022 Forecast
Net sales	13,168	13,811	12,674	14,587	18,821	17,800
Capital investment	816	2,257	3,150	5,229	2,836	1,195
Land and building	-	1,588	2,682	3,194	1,488	124
Facilities and others	816	669	468	2,036	1,347	1,070
Expense to sales ratio	6.2%	16.3%	24.9%	35.9%	15.1%	6.5%
Depreciation and amortization	303	414	534	722	869	885
Expense to sales ratio	2.3%	3.0%	4.2%	5.0%	4.6%	4.8%
R&D expenses	250	308	404	559	561	613
Expense to sales ratio	1.9%	2.2%	3.2%	3.8%	3.0%	3.4%

Change in net sales and capital investment and depreciation & amortization & R&D expenses



Up to FY2020

From FY2021



Implement comprehensive improvements in production technology, and operation management and systems to strengthen the profit structure.

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Results

Full-year

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Target

MAVYS - Measures to Improve Corporate Value



Target figures are set at each department (administrative and other operation departments) to achieve the overall company target for MAVYS.

What is MAVYS? (ROIC-WACC)

- M aximizing
- Added
- V alue of
- Y amashin Filter
- Spread

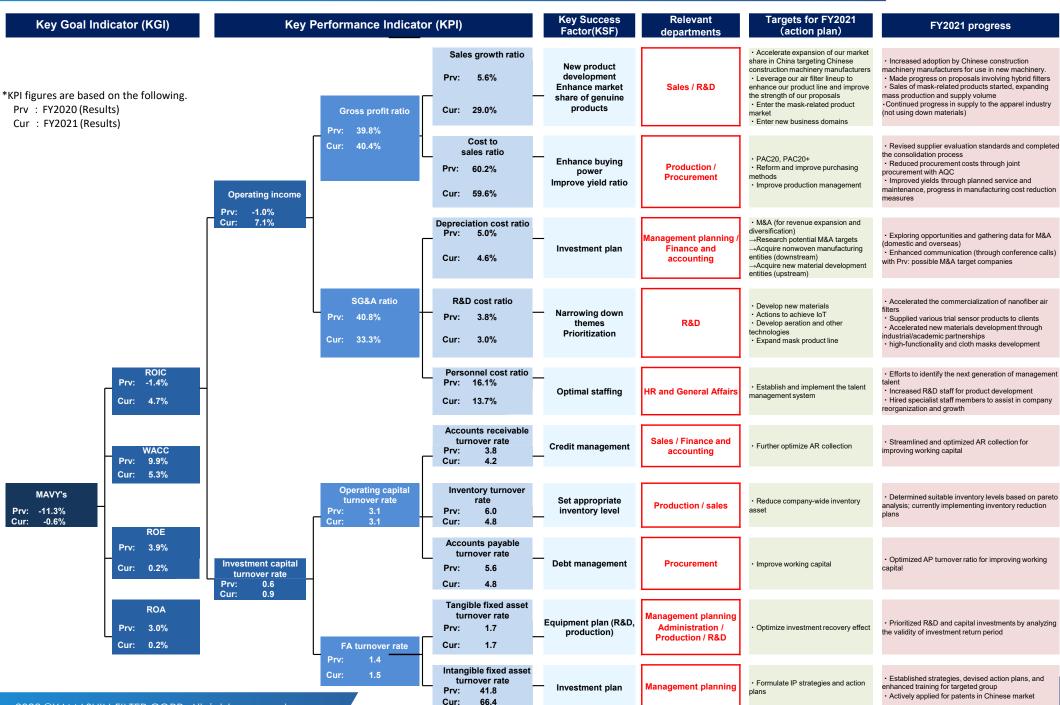
The key goal indicator (KGI), based on which each relevant department sets its KPIs and KSFs, and works on measures to attain targets, with the goal of maximizing return on invested capital.

Meet the expectations of stakeholders by improving MAVYS (key goal indicator).

Assign KPIs to relevant departments who are responsible for target setting and implementing actions for achieving the targets in a companywide coordinated effort.

MAVYS: The Big Picture and the Department (FY2021)







Full-year Forecasts for FY2022 (Ending March 31, 2023)

Preconditions for FY2022 Full-Year Forecasts



Construction machinery filters

- While new vehicle sales volume is expected to be lower than the previous year due to the slowing down
 Chinese market, demand in the construction machinery market in Japan, North America, Europe, and Asian markets is expected to remain strong.
- The outlook for logistics costs and material prices hikes remains uncertain.
- YAMASHIN will strive to improve profitability by constructing a stable production and supply system through supply chain reviews and production site transfers, as well as by stabilizing foreign exchange rates and raw material procurement.

Air filters

- YAMASHIN will recover replacement demand for existing products and develop nanofiber air filters and other highvalue-added products for use in office buildings, factories, railroad cars, and other applications.
- We will strengthen our cost management framework through the introduction of a core system.

Healthcare:

Establish a structure that will enable us to secure operating income despite anticipated decline in sales volume in the household mask market



Since the impact on consolidated earnings is extremely small,

YAMASHIN will disclose the information for the fiscal year ending

March 31, 2023 by including it in the product lineup of

the construction machinery filter business.

FY2022 Full-year Forecasts



(million yen)		FY2020 Results	FY 2021 Results	FY 2022 Forecast	Difference	
		Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	
Net sales		14,587	18,821	17,800	△1,021	
	Construction machinery filters, etc.*	10,970	15,592	15,000	△592	
	Air filters	2,607	2,577	2,800	222	
	Healthcare	1,009	651	-	△651	
Operating income		△145	1,344	700	△644	
	Construction machinery filters, etc.*	22	1,797	660	△1,137	
	Air filters	△18	△123	40	163	
	Healthcare	△150	△329	-	329	
Operating income n	nargin	△1.0%	7.1%	3.9%	△3.2Pt	
Ordinary profit		△135	1,317	650	△667	
Ordinary profit mar	gin	△0.9%	7.0%	3.7%	△3.3Pt	
Net income		750	47	458	410	
Net income margin		5.1%	0.3%	2.6%	2.3Pt	
Exchange rate (IDV)	Exchange rate (JPY) EUR		112.4	122.0	8.6%	
Exchange rate (31 1)			130.6	137.0	4.9%	

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^{*}The healthcare business is included in the product lineup of the construction machinery filter business from the fiscal year ending March 31, 2023, to reflect the degree of impact on YAMASHIN's performance.

^{*}With respect to operating income for the fiscal years ending March 31, 2021 and 2022, general and administrative expenses and other expenses of the administrative divisions of the head office and subsidiaries, which were separately listed as corporate expenses, are included in the operating income of each segment.

Sales Forecast by Product Category



	FY2020 Results FY2021 Results		Results	FY2022 Forecast		Difference			
(millio	n yen)	Amount	Composition Ratio (%)	Amount	Composition Ratio (%)	Amount	Composition Ratio (%)	Amount	%
Construction filters	machinery	9,713	66.6%	14,169	75.3%	13,273	74.6%	△896	△6.3%
	Line parts	4,178	28.6%	5,633	29.9%	5,733	32.2%	100	1.8%
	Service parts	5,534	37.9%	8,536	45.4%	7,539	42.4%	△996	△11.7%
Industrial filt	ers	470	3.2%	522	2.8%	653	3.7%	130	25.0%
Process filter	s	786	5.4%	900	4.8%	1,072	6.0%	172	19.1%
(Construction	total on machinery etc. *)	10,970	75.2%	15,592	82.8%	15,000	84.3%	△592	△3.8%
Air filters		2,607	17.9%	2,577	13.7%	2,800	15.7%	222	8.6%
Healthcare*		1,009	6.9%	651	3.5%	-	_	△651	△100.0%
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Sales Forecast by Region



		FY2020	Results	FY2021	Results	FY2022	Forecast	Difference	
	(million yen)	Amount	Composition Ratio (%)	Amount	Composition Ratio (%)	Amount	Composition Ratio (%)	Amount	%
	onstruction machinery ters, etc. *	10,970	75.2%	15,592	82.8%	15,000	84.3%	△592	△3.8%
	Japan	5,019	34.4%	7,294	38.8%	7,079	39.8%	△215	△3.0%
	North America	1,915	13.1%	2,939	15.6%	3,135	17.6%	196	6.7%
	China	1,552	10.6%	1,711	9.1%	1,507	8.5%	△204	△11.9%
	Other Asian countries	1,235	8.5%	1,889	10.0%	1,902	10.7%	12	0.6%
	Europe	1,243	8.5%	1,755	9.3%	1,371	7.7%	△384	△21.9%
	Others (Middle East, etc.)	3	0.0%	2	0.0%	5	0.0%	2	122.3%
Ai	ir filters (Japan)	2,607	17.9%	2,577	13.7%	2,800	15.2%	222	8.6%
Н	ealthcare (Japan)	1,009	6.9%	651	3.5%	_	_	△651	△100.0%
	Total sales*	14,587	100.0%	18,821	100.0%	17,800	100.0%	△1,021	△5.4%

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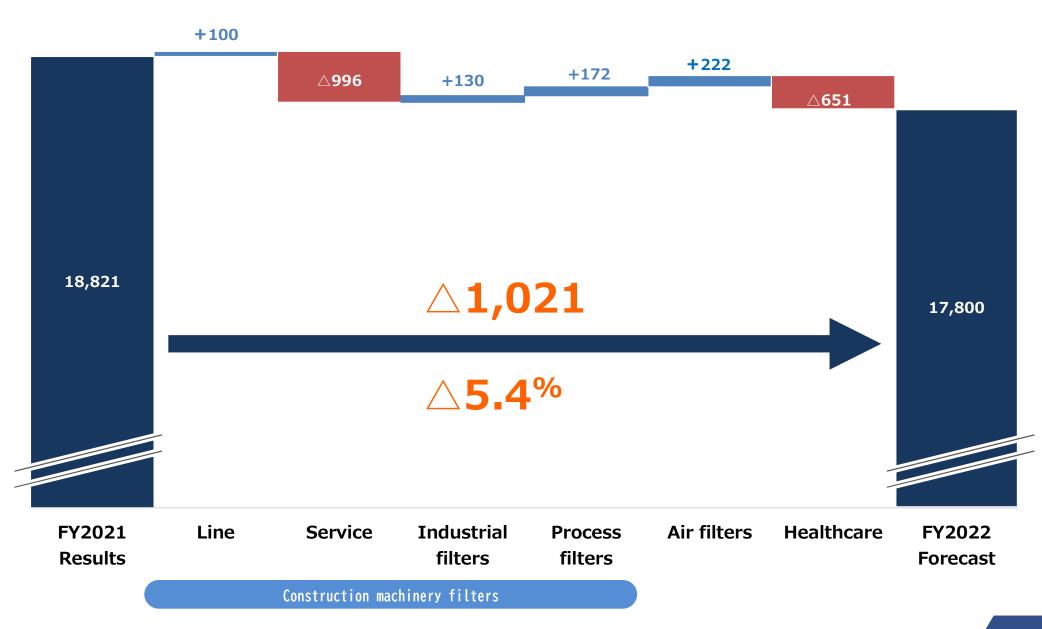
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FY2022 Forecasts: Changes in Sales

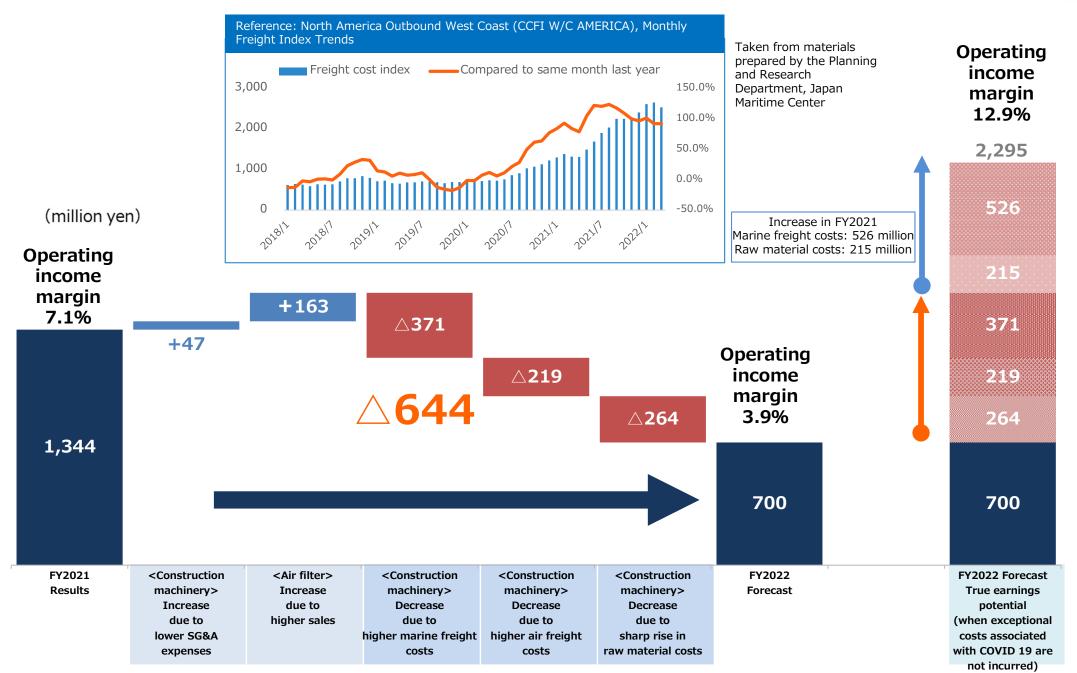


(million yen)



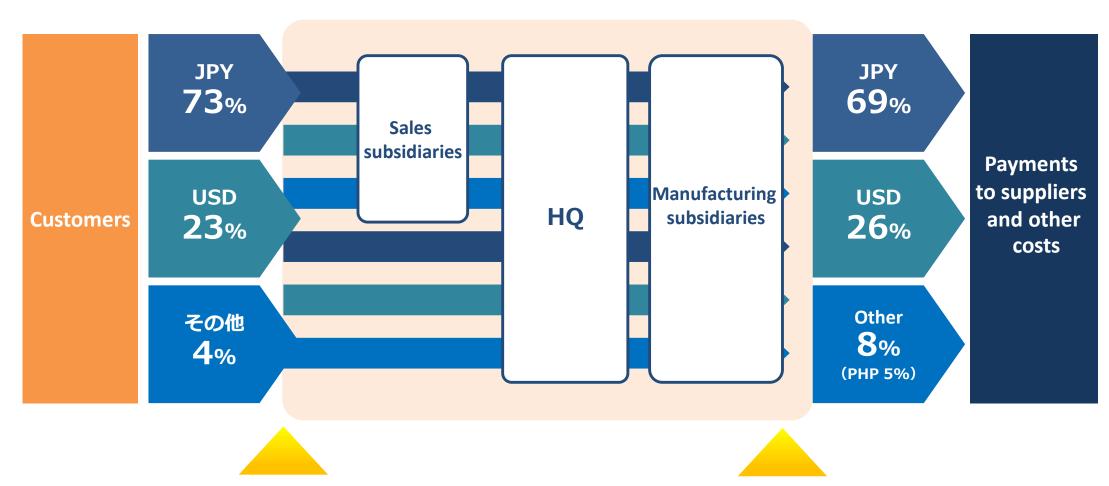
FY2022 Forecasts: Changes in Operating Income







The operational hedge-marry and netting implementing



70% of transaction currency is JPY.

The operational hedge-marry and netting was successfully conducted for USD.

• 1-yen appreciation of the yen would increase operating income by about 13 million yen.



The annual dividend, consisting of the interim dividend of 3.0 yen and the year-end dividend of 3.0 yen, will remain unchanged at 6.0 yen per share.

	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022 Forecast
Dividend per share	¥ 6.0	¥ 6.0	¥ 6.0	¥ 6.0
DOE*1	2.3%	2.2%	2.1%	2.1%
Total return ratio*2	72.3%	59.3%	960.4%	97.7%

^{*1} DOE (Dividend on equity) = (Annual dividend ÷ Shareholders' equity) × 100 = (ROE × Dividend payout ratio)

^{*2} Total return ratio = (Total dividend + Treasury stock acquired + Shareholder benefit) \div Net income





Conditions in the Construction Machinery Market

External conditions impacting the construction machinery market



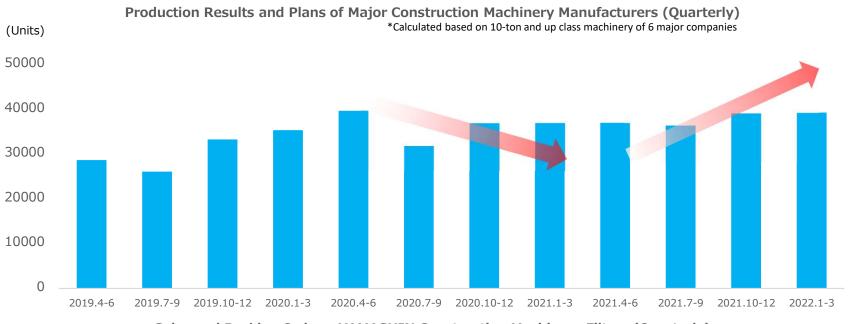
- There is strong demand for new vehicles with high level of operating hours, including North American and Southeast Asian markets.
- There is uncertainty in Chinese and European markets due to the Shanghai lockdown and Russia-Ukraine situation.
- Supply issues still exist for semiconductors and other components, but the market is strong.

	FY2020 Q4	FY2021 Q4	Future outlook
Japan	Demand for construction machinery has remained strong particularly in the area of public works which has proven particularly resilient to the effects of rising COVID-19 infection rates.	The operating hours of construction machinery and demand for new vehicles remain high. Marine freight costs and prices of key raw materials have risen.	Demand for construction machinery remains firm. The impact of rising marine freight costs and prices of key raw materials will continue.
North America	Our major customers have resumed production activity and demand is increasing, heralding a recovery to pre-pandemic levels.	The operating hours of construction machinery and demand for new vehicles remain high. Marine freight costs and prices of key raw materials have risen.	Construction machinery operating hours and demand for new vehicles will remain high. The impact of rising marine freight costs and prices of key raw materials has continued.
Europe	The region is starting to recover from the impact of rising COVID-19 infection rates.	Demand for construction machinery has grown in both the new and rental markets. Demand for construction machinery remains high. Marine freight costs and prices of key raw materials has soared.	Demand outlooks are uncertain due to the escalating situation in Russia and Ukraine. The impact of rising marine freight costs and prices of key raw materials will continue.
Southeast Asia	Our major customers have resumed production activity, and the operating hours of construction machinery seem to have bottomed out, signaling a return to normal operations.	The recovery from COVID-19 has become clearer, the operating hours of construction machinery remains high.	Demand for construction machinery remains firm. The impact of rising marine freight costs and prices of key raw materials will continue.
China	Significant increase in demand for new vehicles due to the effects of government-led investment and consumption stimulus measures driven by a policy environment of growing industry subsidies	There is a slump mainly due to tighter government restrictions on activities in response to the spread of the Omicron strain.	New vehicle sales are expected to fall below the previous year's level due to sluggish market conditions.

Construction Machinery Market (Global)



 Despite some uncertainties in the market environment, projected production volume and order levels remained steady.



Strong demand for new vehicles linked to high operating hours

Sales and Backlog Orders: YAMASHIN Construction Machinery Filters (Quarterly)

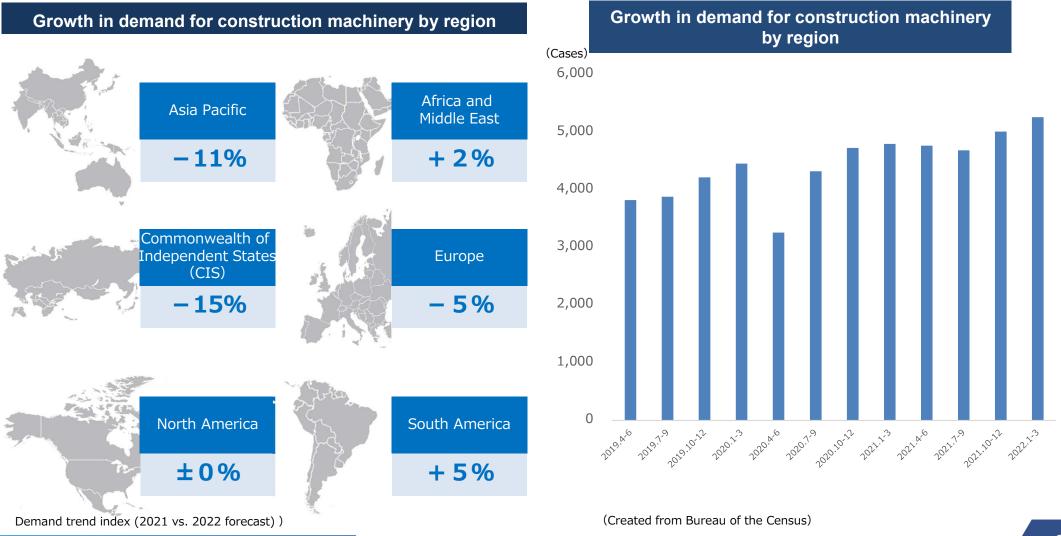


Orders for supply parts are being exhausted, but order backlogs remain high

Construction Machinery Market (Global and North America)



- Demand remains high, although some regions are down year-on-year.
- The issue is whether the supply is sufficient to meet the strong demand.
- The number of new residential construction projects in North America remains at a high level due to the increasing amount of remote work.



Initiatives in the North American Market



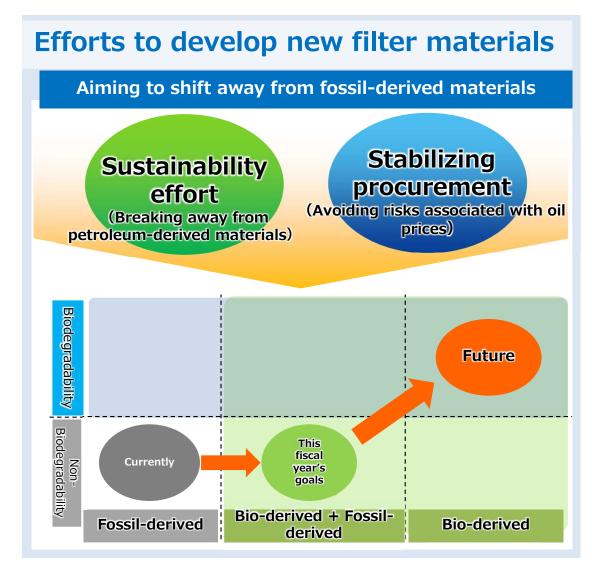
- Clear differentiators have led to steady growth in market share among major North American customers.
- Initiatives have been launched to cater to customers with a strong interest in sustainability.

Share of a major North American construction machinery manufacturer in each market

■Hydraulic filter share						
	2021	2022	Increase/Decrease			
Construction machinery	39%	46%	7%			
Mining machinery	20%	29%	9%			
Forestry machinery	30%	44%	14%			

■TM filter share					
	2021	2022	Increase/Decrease		
Construction machinery	88%	92%	4%		
Mining machinery	54%	58%	4%		
Forestry machinery	71%	75%	4%		

■ Other filter share					
	2021	2022	Increase/Decrease		
Construction machinery	17%	33%	16%		
Mining machinery	12%	26%	14%		
Forestry machinery	15%	20%	5%		



Construction Machinery Market (China)



- Annual sales volume have reached 340,000 units as demand recovers after COVID-19, but sales volume is slowing down at present.
- Sales volume is expected to decline in 2022, mainly for small models, where price competition is fierce.

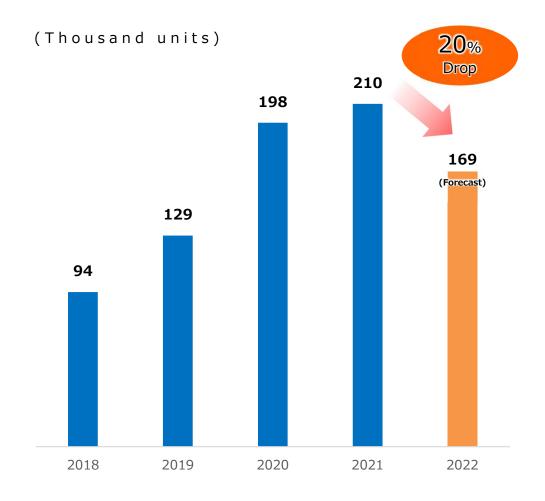
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2020

2021

2022

Production volume of 5 major Chinese construction machinery manufacturers



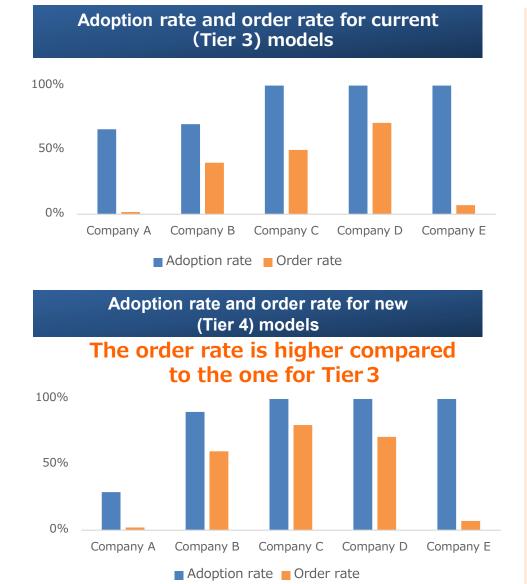
2019

2018

Initiatives in the Chinese Market



- The adoption rate and order rate for new models in line with emission regulations are progressing steadily.
- YAMASHIN commenced sales activities to expand the base of demand for new models.





Improvement of Earning Power and Our Three Business Challenges

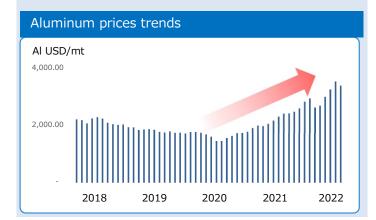


- Operating income is under pressure due to material price hikes, exchange rate fluctuations, and logistics costs.
- We implemented measures to curb losses as much as possible in order to improve earning power.

Soaring material prices

Current conditions:

Prices of materials such as aluminum and steel, which account for 60% of raw materials, soared to double the previous year's level.



Yen depreciation

Current conditions:

Negative impact on operating income due to rapid yen depreciation

Reference data

 Depreciation by 1 yen reduces operating income by approximately 13 million yen

Increase in logistics costs

Current conditions:

Marine freight costs more than tripled from the previous year

Container unit price is approximately 5 times higher than the previous year

North America Outbound West, Monthly Freight Index Trends



Taken from materials prepared by the Planning and Research Department, Japan Maritime Center

Consideration of stabilizing procurement of key raw materials & passing on the savings

Stabilize procurement prices by considering effective transactions, etc.

Review of payment currencies

Review of settlement currencies and strengthening of operational hedge-marry and netting measures, mainly with suppliers.

Improvement of awareness towards foreign exchange.

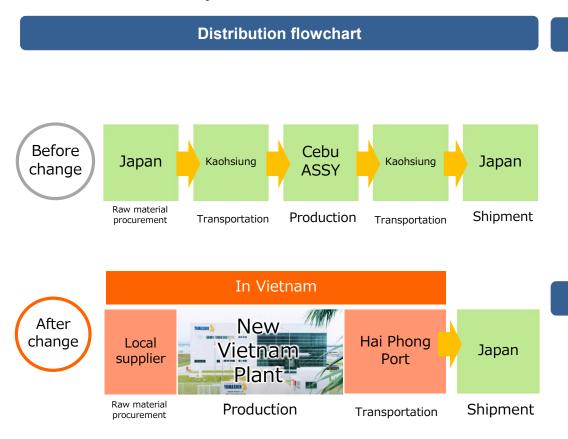
Strengthening of supply chain

Review of supply chain and reduced logistics costs by operating YVC (Vietnam Plant).

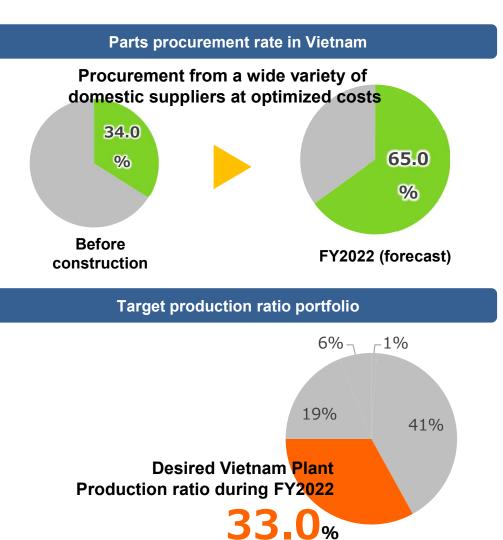
Measures to Address Rising Logistics Costs



- YAMASHIN is reviewing the supply chain and reduce logistics costs by starting operation of YVC (Vietnam Plant).
- We replaced production at YCF (Cebu Plant), targeting a 33% production ratio for the current fiscal year.



Aiming to reduce costs by shortening transportation distances





Conditions in the Air Filter Market

Air Filter Business: Market Conditions



- The building market, which is our main market, is expected to continue its recovery trend in the current fiscal year.
- The need to curb maintenance costs is increasing in response to various cost hikes.
- We began to focus on the semiconductor and vehicle markets, where demand is expected to increase.

		Market env	ironment
	Market overview	Previous period	Forecast for the current term
Buildings	Air filters for outdoor air intake units and indoor air conditioning systems installed in offices, commercial buildings, etc.	The building market has calmed down in the 4Q, and orders for repeat properties were solid.	Repeat orders in urban areas are stable, but new projects are sluggish.
General factories	Air filters for outdoor air intake units and indoor air conditioning systems installed in factories	Production conditions appear to be on a recovery track, but capital investment was somewhat delayed.	Activity for major renovations is sluggish but activity is positive for necessary capital investment.
Semiconductor factories	Replacement market for chemical filters	Continued strong capital investment.	Continued strong capital investment.
Environmental equipment	Air filters for residential air conditioning and air purifiers used in general households	Although the aftermath of the Wood Shock persisted, a recovery trend was projected in the 4Q.	Housing-related sectors continue to be affected by the Wood Shock, but are recovering.
Vehicles	Air filters for air conditioning of railroads, etc. Air filters for protecting construction machinery from dust	Construction machinery remained strong. Railroads remained on schedule despite a decrease from the previous year.	Orders for filters for construction machinery are firm. Orders for filters for railroads are as projected.

Air Filter Business: Outlook



- With more interest being shown to air quality, we find ourselves in a position where we can leverage our strengths as a comprehensive filter manufacturer.
- Our differentiated, high value-added technologies give environmentally friendly products that can contribute to reduced costs to users.

Challenges faced by users

Users who install air filters are also required to effectively address social issues such as CO₂ reduction.



YAMASHIN provides solutions

New Product NanoWHELF

World's first nanofiber air filter



- Unparalleled filter performance
- Lower cost due to longer times between replacement
- Competitively priced

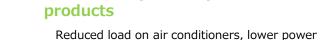


Superior environmentally friendly products

Pressure

OSS low compared

to other companies (Low resistance when air passes through the filter)



consumption

Contributing to the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions









Initiatives to Grow Sales (Trends in NanoWHELP Sales)



- YAMASHIN has earned a high reputation for filter performance and environmental friendliness.
- We will be highly competitive due to the reliability of the MERV14 standard and the scarcity of acquiring Japanese manufacturers.

New Product NanoWHELP®

The world's first nanofiber air filter

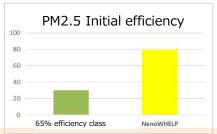




Product Features

- The performance inherent to YAMASHIN NANO FILTER® keeps pressure loss consistently low
- Among medium-to-high performance filters, NanoWHELP® is the only Japan-made filter to achieve MERV 14 certification
- In addition to its high-performance, <u>effectively reduces CO2</u> <u>emissions</u>

96% collection efficiency for PM2.5 Initial effectiveness of at least 80%



Target Markets

Data centers, server rooms, IT-enabled factories, public facilities, medical facilities, etc. Even general buildings due to a growing interest in air quality.

Market Position



Installed in all systems, including classrooms as well as outdoor air treatment and libraries in suburban art universities.



Installations were made in midrise Tokyo tenant buildings with poor outside air quality along major roads.

Mist collector installed filters

A two-layer structure combining semi-HEPA and HEPA filters



Semi-HEPA: Captures at least 95% of larger particles down to 0.3µm. The addition of this filter alleviates some of the load on the HEPA filter and extends its lifespan.

HEPA: Captures more than 99.97% of particles down to $0.3\mu m$. Significantly reduces the emissions of particles to the outside of the device.



Installed in a mist collector newly developed by a machine tool manufacturer.

We are expanding to other mist collector manufacturers.



Conditions in the Mask Market

Healthcare Business: What's New



Contribution to local communities and society through YAMASHIN's business

YAMASHIN Filter Masks® donated to Yokosuka City to support COVID-19 infection control







Mayor Kamiji of Yokosuka and President Yamazaki



General Manager Yamaguchi of Yokosuka City and General Manager Kitajima of the Development Division

Events

Sponsored by the Ski Association of Japan, which provides original Zexeed® masks.

Attendance at the SNOW

AWARD2022* as an official sponsor





Receiving awards



Photoshoot

*A ceremony organized by the Ski Association of Japan to honor athletes who performed well in the 2021/2022 ski season.



Shift to New Market Classification



Shift

to Prime Market

from April 4, 2022,

as per the "Result of Selection of New Market Classification by Listed Companies" announced by Tokyo Stock Exchange dated November 4, 2021







Achieving SDGs through our business activities



ESG and **SDGs** Management at YAMASHIN Filter



Realizing corporate philosophy: 仕濾過事 (Rokajini tsukafuru) or

"Contribute to society through filtration business"

3 Themes of YAMASHIN Initiatives







Solving societal problems through filter design and manufacture

Construction machinery filters

High value-added filters are increasingly being used

Air filters

Producing the world's first nanofober air filter

Aiming to increase product demand through environmental responsiveness using new materials and technologies.

Contributing to the prevention of air pollution through expanding the air filter business

YAMASHIN's Strengths



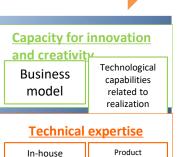
Reduction of resource usage

Value to the external

world

Reduction in CO₂ emissions

Providing medical welfare for health



development/pro

duction

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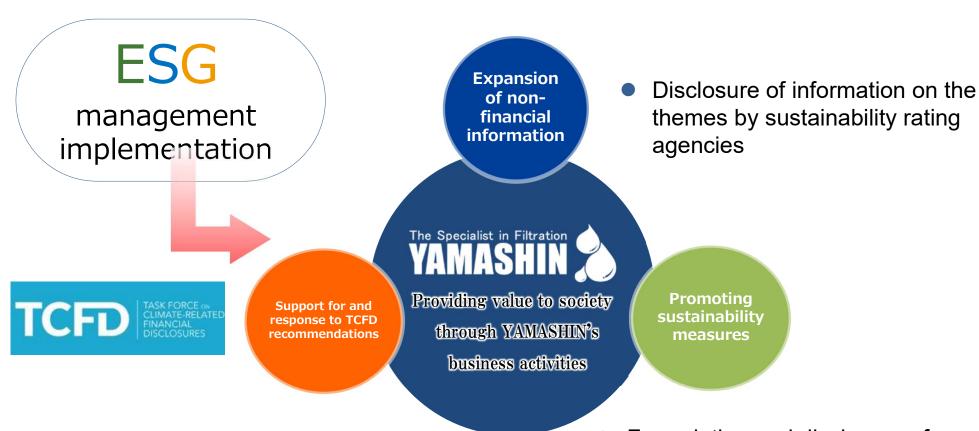
pursuit of

excellence

Promotion of ESG Management



 YAMASHIN will promote group-wide projects and measures to put ESG management into practice.



- Support for TCFD Recommendations
- Disclosure of information on governance, strategies, risk management, indicators and targets associated with the recommendations
- Formulation and disclosure of sustainability policy, materiality, etc.
- Regularly conducting sustainabilityrelated training

Promotion of Sustainability initiatives



 YSS launches as part of its sustainability initiatives and has identified materiality in response to social issues.

YSS Yamashin Sustainable Solutions (Theme at time of launch) Solving societal issues and creating business opportunities: (Direction) · In order to solve societal issues such as the environment and climate change, we will examine measures to contribute to areas such as the reduction of CO₂ emissions and industrial waste by utilizing YAMASHIN's technologies and products. · Calculation of quantitative KPIs, etc. in the future. [Major products] Construction machinery filters : Return filters made with nanofiber filter : Air filters made with nanofiber filter Air filters (NanoWHELP®) Healthcare : Masks made with nanofiber filter

	Ident	ifying materiality
Environment	Climate change	Contributing to climate change prevention and a decarbonized society We will achieve a business model that contributes to climate change prevention in terms of both products and production in order to achieve the carbon neutrality required throughout the world.
Environment	Recycling	Reducing environmental impact and contributing to a recycling-oriented society through filter technology We will focus on resource recycling to achieve a business model with high economic and environmental efficiency through the value chain.
Air and health	Air quality and health	Reducing health hazards caused by air pollution - Contributing to a safe and secure lifestyle Our filter technology protects people from the health hazards of air pollution and PM. Our filter technology improves indoor air quality.
	Infection prevention measures	Preventing infectious diseases - The power of filters contributing to the fight against infectious diseases We are protecting people from infectious diseases through advanced and sophisticated filter technology.
	Technology innovations	Technical training and application - Pursuit of filter technology demanded by society We are refining our unique technology to create filters that do not exist anywhere else in the world. We are creating new value by applying our original technology.
People and work	Rewarding work	Rewarding work and active human resources - Contribute to Society through filtration business We provide rewarding work to show appreciation and be appreciated by our customers, colleagues, and family members. We will innovate working styles and promote a diverse workforce.
	Respecting human rights	Promoting human rights due diligence - Becoming a company trusted by society We respect human rights throughout the value chain and fulfill our responsibilities as a company.

ESG Project Schedule



- YAMASHIN will strengthen its response to rating agencies etc., and will respond to the CDP Climate Change Questionnaire
 for the first time.
- We will begin disclosing information in line with the TCFD recommendations in our Sustainability Report 2022.
- We will promote initiatives in line with the recommendations over the next few years.
- We aim to improve the quality of non-financial figures by ensuring the accuracy and comprehensiveness of performance data by a third-party assurance organization.

Category	2022/1Q		2022/2Q		2022/3Q		2022/4Q					
Category	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar
Response to ESG rating agencies, etc.												
· CDP				>	Deadl	ine: 7/2						
· MSCI · FTSE						Res	sponse a	s neces	sary			+
● Sustainability Report 2022 (Japanese*)												
• TCFD response (initial disclosure)												
Third party assurance (Scope 1, 2)							>					
• Other measures						Ца	ld montl	alv				
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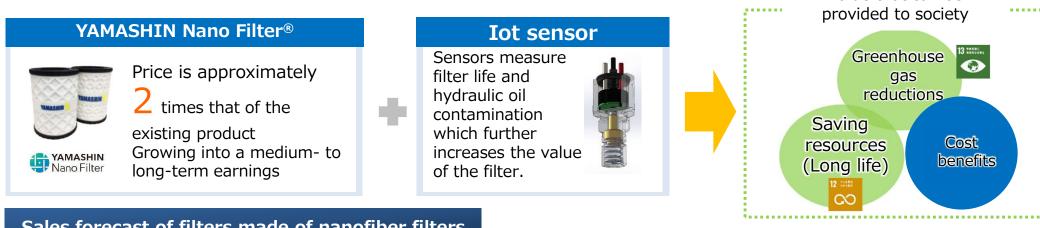
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Growth Strategies in Long Life Filters

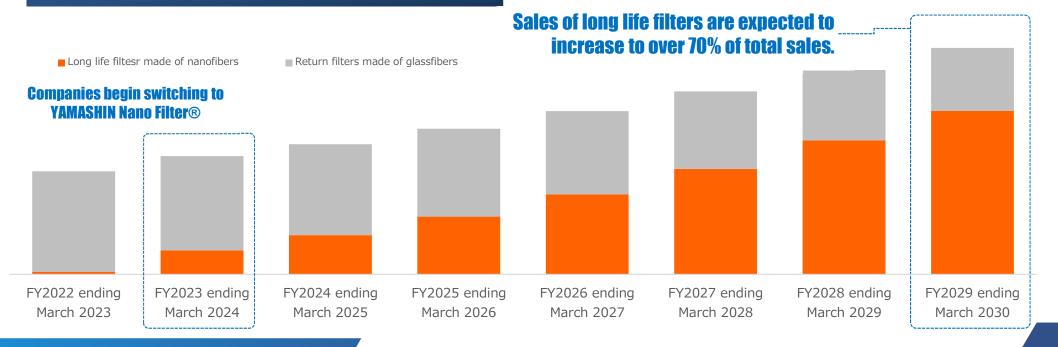


Value that can be

The switchover to YAMASHIN Nano Filter® for construction machinery filters will begin gradually from March 2024, and we are expecting a significant increase in sales.



Sales forecast of filters made of nanofiber filters



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Optimizing Corporate Value by Strengthening the Value Chain



Improving the value chain

True earnings potential by strengthening the value chain Aiming to achieve an operating margin of 20% over the medium term.

Strengthening measures

Construction machinery filter business

Improvements to profitability through PAC21, airfare control, fixed cost reduction, and cost cutting

Healthcare business

Automation of production lines and reduction of fixed costs by investment in mask production facilities, reduction of production costs, efficient management of sales promotion and advertising expenses, etc.

Air filter business

Reduction of manufacturing costs PAC21 through transfer to YCF production and introduction of SAP (strengthening of cost management system), improvement of profitability through reduction of fixed costs, and reduction of defects

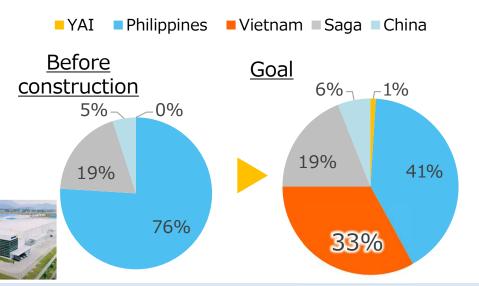
Strengthening the supply chain

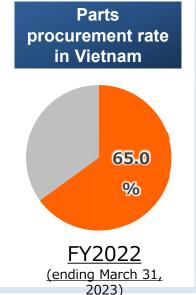
Reorganization of production bases (New Saga Plant, New Vietnam Plant, North America Plant), significantly increased production capacity and reduced manufacturing costs

Strengthening the supply chain

Main Topic of supply chain enhancement: Completion of new plant in Vietnam

YAMASHIN will hedge risks by shifting from a centralized production system to a multiple production system, and will be able to respond more flexibly to customer requests by increasing the local procurement rate of materials.





Realizing ESG Management in the Air Filter Business and the Medium-term Outlook



 We are aggressively developing environmentally friendly products by leveraging the amazing capabilities of YAMASHIN NANO FILTER®.

Goal of 5 billion yen in sales over the medium term.

Target markets for future development

Technology master

(Product appeal)

NanoWHELP

World's first air filter made of nano filters





Production capacity

(capabilities)

Strengthening of internal systems

- SAP implementation
- Optimization of workforce
- Optimization of sales network



The only medium- to high-performance filter from a Japanese manufacturer that has obtained

North America





Saving resources (Long life)





Goals of achieving sales of 5 billion yen in the medium term

Ideal YAMASHIN Group



Construction machinery filters

YCF (production)

YST (Sales/R&D)

YAI (Sales/production)

YTL (Sales)

YEB (Sales)



Accelerating the leap from a specialized manufacturer of construction machinery filters to a

Comprehensive Filter Manufacturer



YAMASHIN Nano Filter® Industrial Materials

Healthcare

Apparel

Consumables

Renewable energy materials

Everyday supplies







Air filters

(Sales/production)



About Us Overview of Our Filter Products



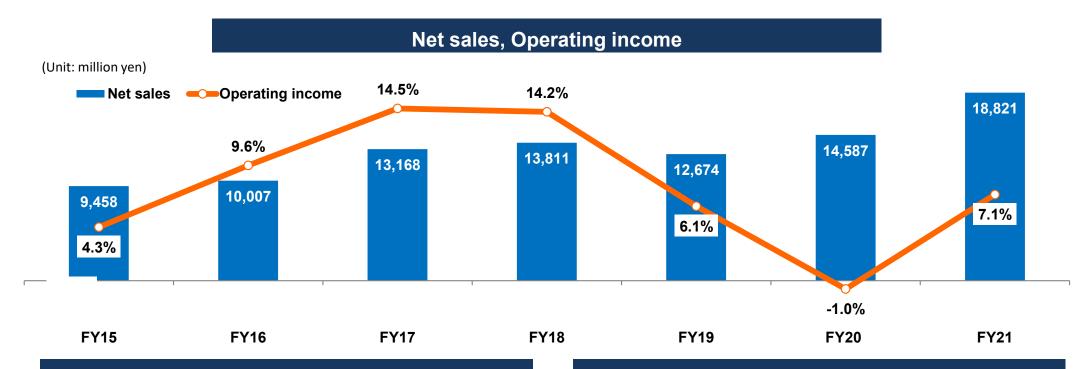
YAMASHIN Group has manufactured filters for construction machinery (hydraulic), various industrial fields other than construction machinery (hydraulic), and manufacturing processes (water) by purchasing glass-fiber and non-woven fabrics to produce filter media (the key component of any filter), resin products, and processed metal for filter components. From May 2020, we started to sell filter masks and mask inner sheets made from our proprietary synthetic polymer nanofibers, and from July 2020, we added a new Healthcare segment to our business.

Filed	Products	Product image	Composition ratio (As of March 2023)
Hydraulic filters for construction machinery	A construction machinery filter is used to filter the fluid running in the hydraulic components of construction machinery, which is the key to the operation of such machinery. Applications: Various types of construction machinery		
Hydraulic filters for various industrial fields	An industrial filter is a filter used for filtrating operating fluid and lubricants of hydraulic units applied in various industries other than the construction machinery industry. Applications: machine tools, refrigerating compressors, agricultural machinery, vessels, railway vehicles, airplanes, and helicopters		
Filters for process lines	A process filter is used for filtration and separation in processes for manufacturing customer products Applications: Production lines for electronic parts, precision parts, liquid crystal displays, and food.		
Air filters	Air filters used for dust removal and medium-to-high performance air filters Applications: general buildings, hotels and factories.		
Healthcare	High performance masks and replacement inner sheets that feature high filtration performance (one of the characteristics of our nanofiber filtration material), excellent sealing performance, and high air permeability. Applications: For general consumers in Japan and around the world	TOTAL STATE OF THE PARTY OF THE	

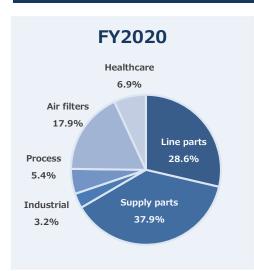


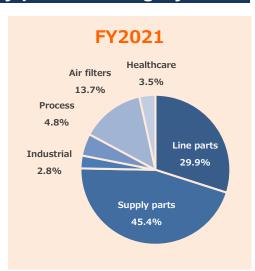
Financial Highlights





Sales breakdown by product category





Sales breakdown by region

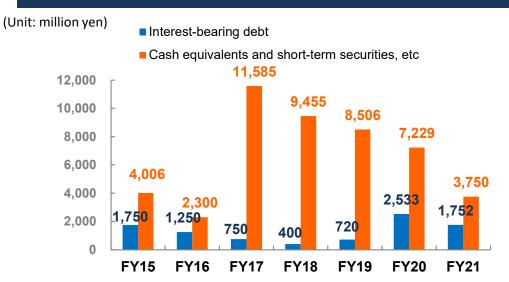


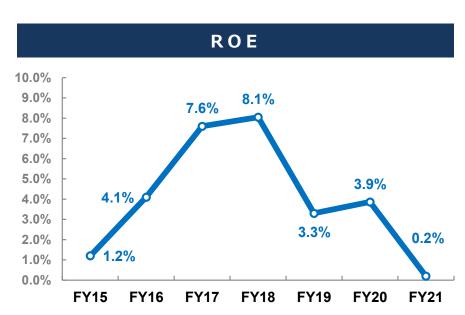


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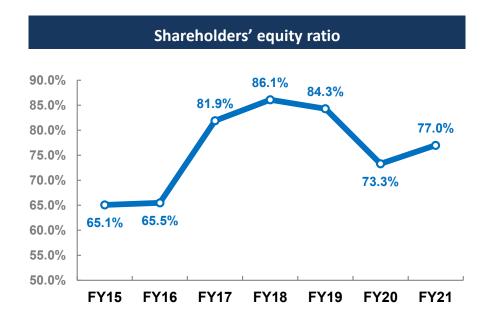


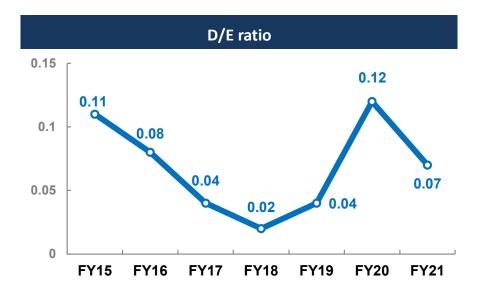
Interest-bearing debt, Cash equivalents, Short-term securities, etc.





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Balance Sheet



	(Unit: million yen)	FY2020	FY2021	Change (Amount)	Change (%)
Cı	urrent assets	15,323	13,964	△ 1,358	△8.9%
	Cash and deposits	7,229	3,750	△3,478	△48.1%
	Notes and accounts receivable-trade	4,285	4,696	410	9.6%
	Merchandise and finished goods, Raw materials and Supplies	3,021	4,775	1,753	58.0%
	Other	785	742	△43	△5.5%
Fi	xed assets	12,868	12,747	△120	△0.9%
	Tangible fixed assets	10,813	11,609	795	7.4%
	Intangible fixed assets	330	236	△93	△28.3%
	Investments and other assets	1,724	901	△822	△47.7%
To	otal assets	28,191	26,712	△1,479	△5.2%

		FY2020	FY2021	Change (Amount)	Change (%)
Cı	urrent liabilities	5,539	4,634	△905	△16.3%
	Notes and accounts payable-trade	1,952	2,213	261	13.4%
	Corporate bonds payable within one year and short-term loans payable	1,003	403	△600	△59.8%
	Other	2,583	2016	△566	△21.9%
Fi	xed liabilities	1,969	1,506	△462	△23.5%
	Corporate bonds and long-term debt	1,529	1,126	△403	△26.4%
	Net defined benefits Liability	225	232	7	3.4%
	Other	214	147	△66	△31.1%
To	tal net assets	20,682	20,571	△111	△0.5%
_	otal of liabilities and net assets	28,191	26,712	△1,479	△5.2%

*Shareholders' equity ratio

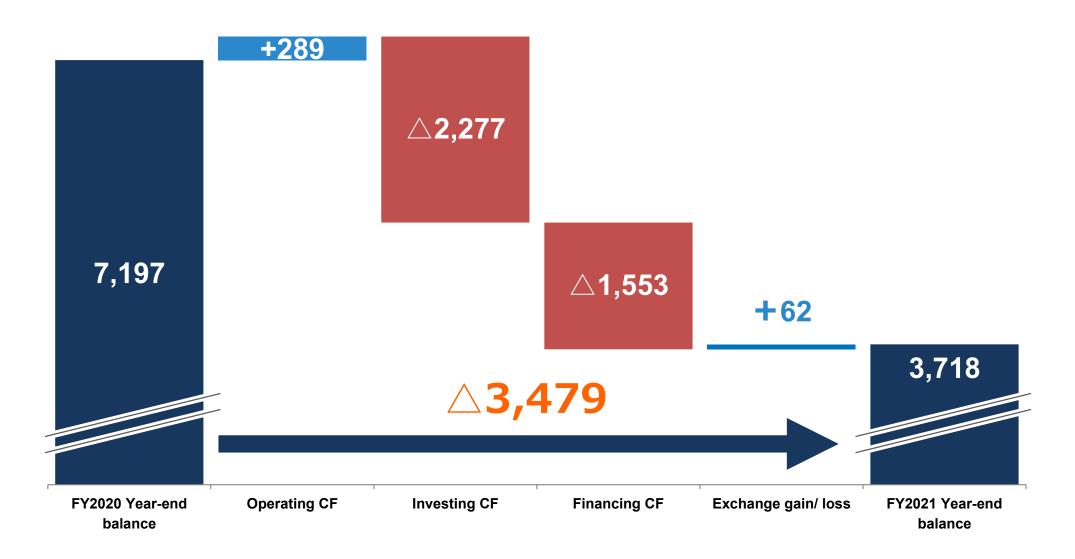
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Changes in Cash Balance



(Unit: million yen)



Conditions of Operational Hedge – "Marry and Netting" and Foreign Exchange Sensitivity

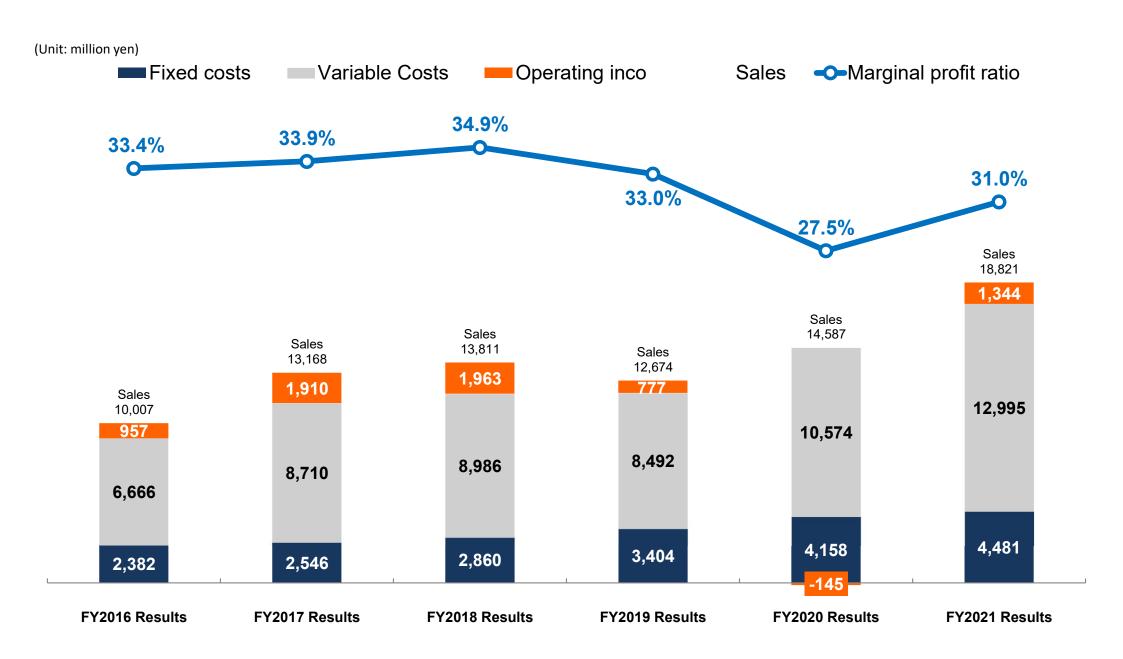


(Unit: million yen)

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	Incoming		Outgoing		Net	Average	In case of y	yen appreciati	on (10%)	In case of y	en depreciati	on (10%)
Currency	Amount by currency	Composi- tion ratio	Amount by currency	Composi- tion ratio	Amount by currency	rate during the term	If yen is appreciated ▲10% (JPY)	Difference	Affected amount (YTD)	If yen is depreciated +10% (JPY)	Difference	Affected amount (YTD)
JPY	¥22,100.0	73%	¥21,000.0	66%	¥1,100.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
USD	\$61.6	23%	\$74.4	26%	\$-12.8	¥112.4	¥101.15	¥-11.24	¥143.86	¥123.63	¥11.24	¥-143.86
EUR	€ 6.6	3%	€ 5.5	2%	€ 1.1	¥130.6	¥117.51	¥-13.1	¥-14.36	¥143.63	¥13.06	¥14.36
РНР	PP0.0	0%	PP715.9	5%	PP-715.9	¥2.3	¥2.03	¥-0.2	¥161.08	¥2.48	¥0.23	¥-161.08
ТНВ	₿100.00	1%	₿ 39.00	0%	₿61.00	¥3.4	¥3.10	¥-0.3	¥-20.98	¥3.78	¥0.34	¥20.98
Total	-	100%	-	100%	-	-	-	-	¥269.59	-	-	¥-269.59

Variation in Marginal Profit Ratio

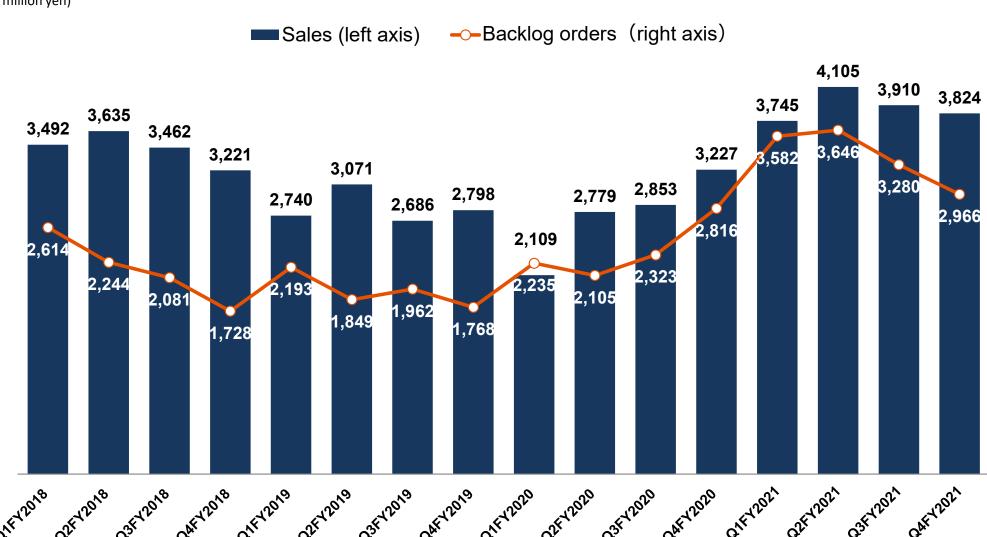




Construction Machinery Filters Changes in Backlog Orders (Quarterly)



(Unit: million yen)



FY2021 Q4 Financial Results (Jan - Mar) - All the companies' expenses included





			Q4 FY2020 YTD Results	Q4 FY2021 YTD Results	YoY c	hange
	(million yen)			Amount	Amount	%
Net sales			4,192	4,633	440	10.5%
	Construction ma etc.*	ichinery filters,	3,227	3,824	596	18.5%
A	Air filters		649	683	33	5.1%
ŀ	Healthcare		315	125	△189	△60.1%
Operating income	Operating income		0	230	230	_
	Construction ma	chinery filters*	188	259	70	37.6%
	Air filters		△55	△41	14	_
H	Healthcare		△131	13	144	_
Operating income	e margin		0.0%	5.0%	5.0Pt	
Ordinary prof	fit		△1	238	240	_
Ordinary profit m	argin		△0.0%	5.1%	5.2Pt	
Net income	Net income			135	△230	△63.0%
Net income margin		8.7%	2.9%	△5.8Pt		
Exchange rat	tes (ave.)	USD	106.1	112.4	6.3	6.0%
Exerialize rat	(470.)	EUR	123.7	130.6	6.9	5.6%

^{*&}quot;Construction machinery filters, etc." here includes industrial filters and process filters in addition to construction machinery filters.

FY2021 YTD Financial Results (Apr 2021 – Mar 2022) - All the companies' expenses included



			FY2020 Results	FY2021 Results	YoY c	nange
(million yen)			Amount	Amount	Amount	%
Net sales			14,587	18,821	4,234	29.0%
	Construction ma	ichinery filters,	10,970	15,592	4,622	42.1%
	Air filters		2,607	2,577	△30	△1.2%
	Healthcare		1,009	651	△357	△35.4%
Operating incom	Operating income		△145	1,344	1,490	_
	Construction ma	chinery filters*	22	1,797	1,774	_
	Air filters		△18	△123	△105	_
	Healthcare		△150	△329	△179	_
Operating incom	ne margin		△1.0%	7.1%	8.1Pt	
Ordinary pr	ofit		△135	1,317	1,452	_
Ordinary profit	margin		△0.9%	7.0%	7.9Pt	
Net income			750	47	△703	△93.7%
Net income margin		5.1%	0.3%	△4.9Pt		
Fychange r	ates (ave)	USD	106.1	112.4	6.3	6.0%
Exchange	Exchange rates (ave.)		123.7	130.6	6.9	5.6%

^{*&}quot;Construction machinery filters, etc." here includes industrial filters and process filters in addition to construction machinery filters.

FY2022 Full-year Forecasts - All the companies' expenses included



(million yen)		FY2019 Results	FY2020 Results	FY2021 Results	FY2022 Forecast	Compared to initial forecast	
	yen,		Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount
Net sales			12,674	14,587	18,821	17,800	△1,021
	Construction ma	chinery filters*	11,296	10,970	15,592	15,000	△592
	Air filters		1,377	2,607	2,577	2,800	222
	Healthcare		-	1,009	651	-	△651
Operating incom	Operating income		777	△145	1,344	700	△644
	Construction machinery filters*		654	22	1,797	660	△1,137
	Air filters		122	△18	△123	40	163
	Healthcare		-	△150	△329	-	329
Operating incom	e margin		6.1%	△1.0%	7.1%	3.9%	△3.2Pt
Ordinary pro	ofit		603	△135	1,317	650	△667
Ordinary profit n	nargin		4.8%	△0.9%	7.0%	3.7%	△3.3Pt
Net income			608	750	47	458	410
Net income margin		4.8%	5.1%	0.3%	2.6%	2.3Pt	
Exchange rate (JF	Fuch areas rate (IDV)		108.8	106.1	112.4	122.0	8.6%
Excitatinge rate (Ji	1)	EUR	120.8	123.7	130.6	137.0	4.9%

^{*}Construction machinery filters" includes industrial filters and process filters, in addition to construction machinery filters.

^{*}The healthcare business is included in the product lineup of the construction machinery filter business from the fiscal year ending March 31, 2023, to reflect the degree of impact on YAMASHIN's performance.

^{*}With respect to operating income for the fiscal years ending March 31, 2021 and 2022, general and administrative expenses and other expenses of the administrative divisions of the head office and subsidiaries, which were separately listed as corporate expenses, are included in the operating income of each segment.



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