# Year Ended March 2021 Result Briefing







### ALPS LOGISTICS CO., LTD.

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We would like to express our sincerest gratitude to our shareholders, investors, and other stakeholders for their support.



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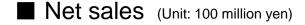
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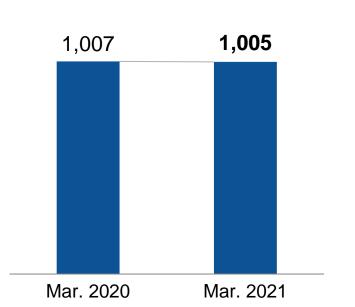
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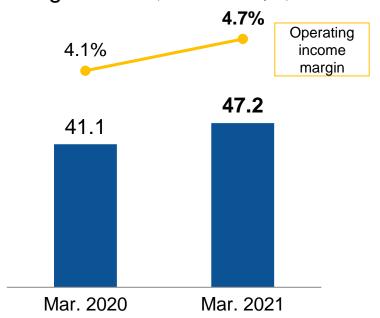
### Financial Highlights (Consolidated)

	Mar. 2020	Mar. 2021		
(Unit: million yen)	Results	Results	Percent change (y/y)	
Net sales	100,741	100,562	-0.2%	
Operating income	4,118	4,725	14.7%	
Ordinary income	3,886	4,926	26.8%	
Profit attributable to owners of parent	2,389	2,900	21.4%	



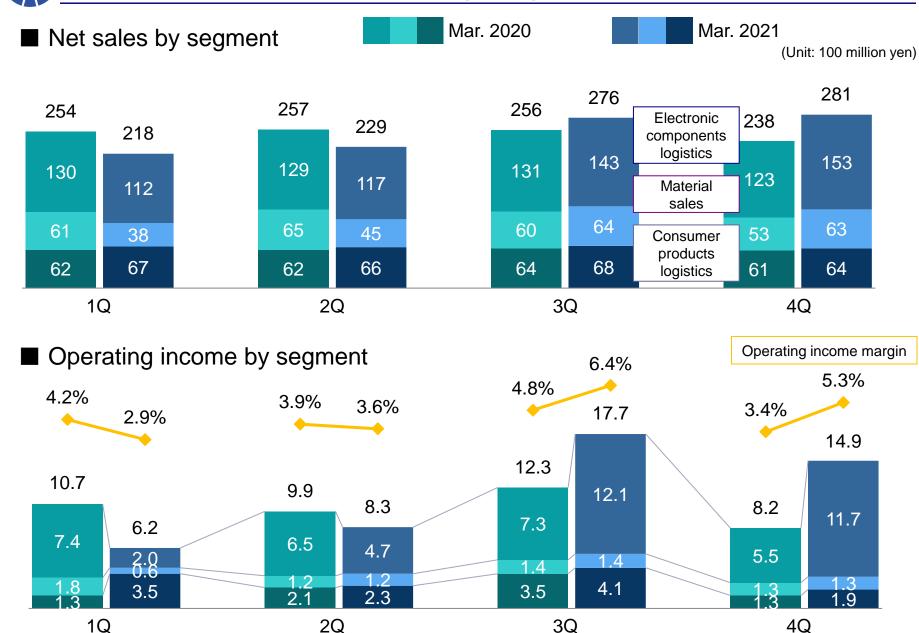


Operating income (Unit: 100 million yen)



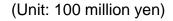


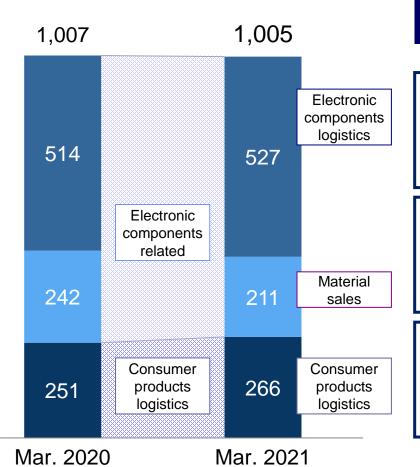
### Financial Highlights (Consolidated)



### Net Sales (Consolidated)

### ■ Net sales by segment





### -0.17 billion yen (-0.2%) y/y

- Electronic components logistics +1.3 billion yen Sales in the first half decreased due to the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic but began to recover from the late 2Q mainly in automotive components.
- Material sales

-3.1 billion yen

Although the second half saw a recovery as demand returned, sales decreased due to the deteriorating market conditions in the first half and local procurement by overseas customers.

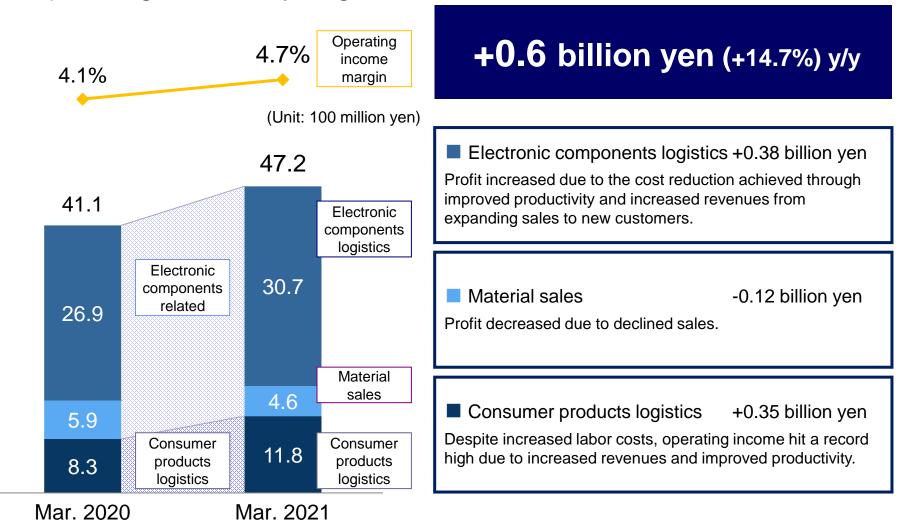
Consumer products logistics +1.5 billion yen Sales hit a record high due to the increased demand for home delivery as more people refrain from going out and work remotely at home.

<sup>\*</sup> Sales of each segment represents sales after elimination of intra-company transactions.



### Operating Income (Consolidated)

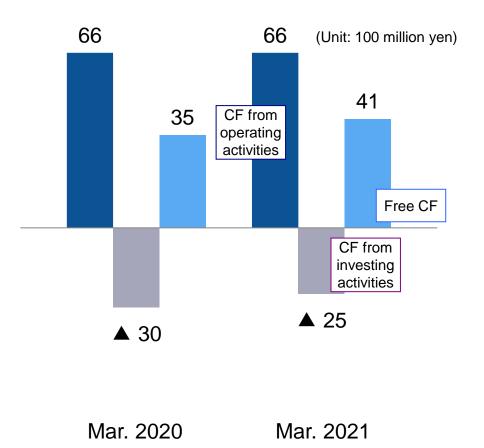
### Operating income by segment



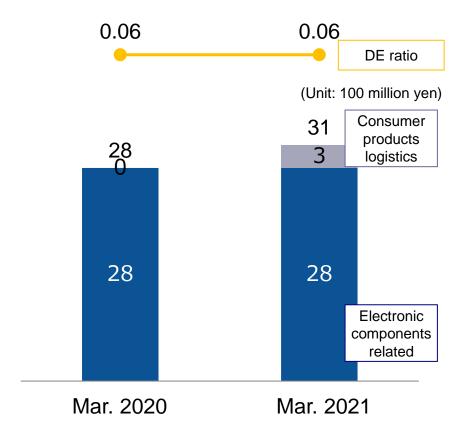
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### Financial Status (Consolidated)

### ■ Cash flow (CF)



## Outstanding interest-bearing liabilities



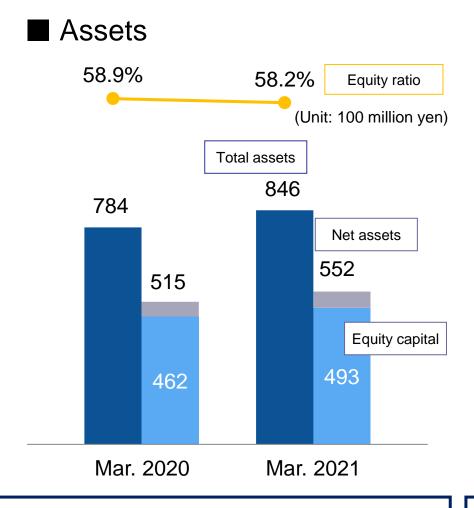
CF from operating activities: Remained flat due to the increased year-end accounts receivable, despite increased profit.

CF from investment activities: Decreased in building investment spending.

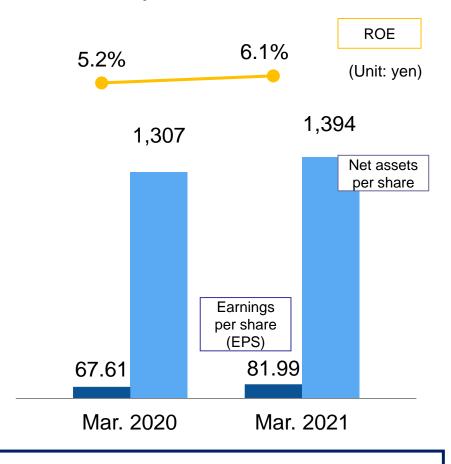
Borrowing: Increased in consumer products logistics.

DE ratio: Both capital and borrowing increased and remained flat.

### Financial Index (Consolidated)



### Index per share



Total assets: Increased due to an increase in cash and accounts receivable.

Equity ratio: Decreased due to an increase in total assets, despite an increase in equity capital.

EPS +14.38 yen and ROE +0.9p due to an increase in net profit attributable to owners of the parent company.



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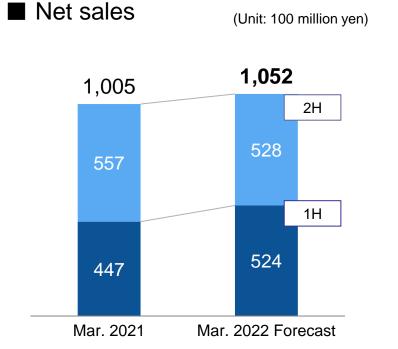
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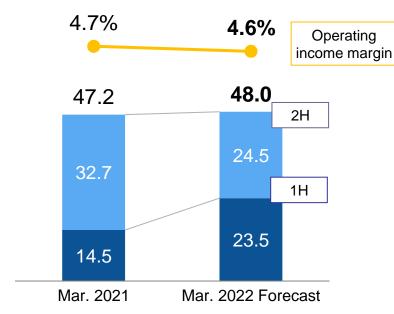
### Financial Forecast (Consolidated)

	Mar. 2021		Mar. 2022		
(Unit: million yen)	Results	Income ratio	Forecast	Income ratio	Percent change (y/y)
Net sales	100,562	1	105,200	-	+ 4.6%
Operating income	4,725	4.7%	4,800	4.6%	+ 1.6%
Ordinary income	4,926	4.9%	4,700	4.5%	- 4.6%
Profit attributable to owners of parent	2,900	2.9%	2,800	2.7%	- 3.5%



■ Operating income

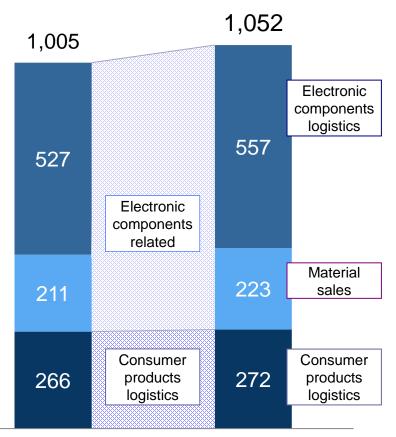
(Unit: 100 million yen)





### ■ Net sales by segment

(Unit: 100 million yen)



### +4.6 billion yen (+4.6%) y/y

■ Electronic components logistics +2.9 billion yen

Sales will increase in transportation and warehousing business mainly in Japan and decrease in forwarding business overseas.

Material sales

+1.1 billion yen

Sales will increase in all fields of packaging, device and molding.

Consumer products logistics +0.5 billion yen

Sales will increase through efforts, such as the expansion of the pharmaceutical transportation and delivery business areas and mail-order/online-shopping logistics sales.

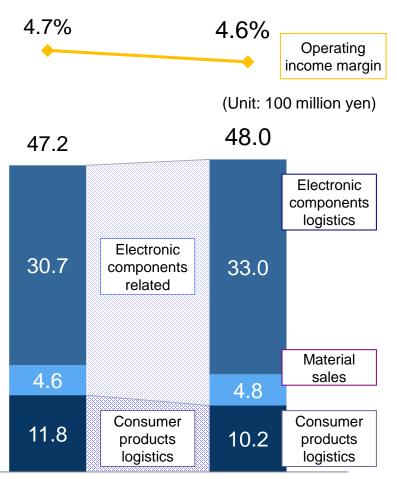
Mar. 2021 Mar. 2022 forecast

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### Operating Income (Consolidated)

### Operating income by segment



+0.07 billion yen (+1.6%) y/y

■ Electronic components logistics +0.22 billion yen

While profit will increase due to increased revenues and improved productivity, activity costs will increase in anticipation of the convergence of COVID-19.

Material sales

+0.01 billion yen

Operating income will slightly increase due to increased revenues.

■ Consumer products logistics -0.16 billion yen

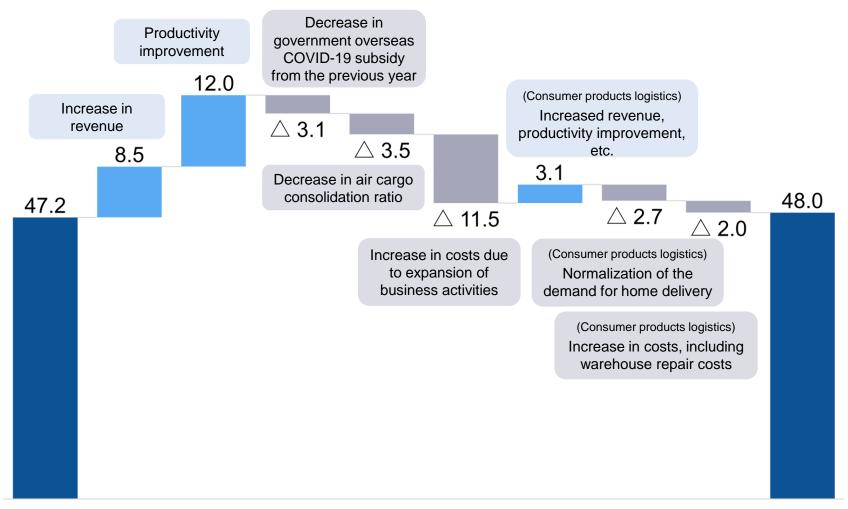
While aiming to increase profit through increased revenues and improved productivity, operating income will decrease due to large-scale warehouse repair costs, etc.

Mar. 2021 Mar. 2022 forecast

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While revenues increase and productivity is improved, the factors specific to the previous year will disappear and profit will increase slightly.



Mar. 2021

Mar. 2022



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# 1. Electronic components related business









### Business Policy for the year ending 2022

# To provide evolving "optimal logistics" to more customers.

"Return to a growth trajectory", "Enhance our corporate quality"

GTB (Business)

**Expansion of markets and products** 

- (1) We will enhance our hub functions and network.
- (2) We will expand our business bases for components of automobile and industrial machinery.
- (3) We will strengthen our service competitiveness that suits our target markets and regions.

#### GTP (Profit)

Improvement of direct and indirect productivities

- (1) We will upgrade our IT/automation/TIE system and expand the adoption.
- (2) We will make strategic investments focusing on capital efficiency.
- (3) We will upgrade our improvement activities.

#### GTC (Confidence)

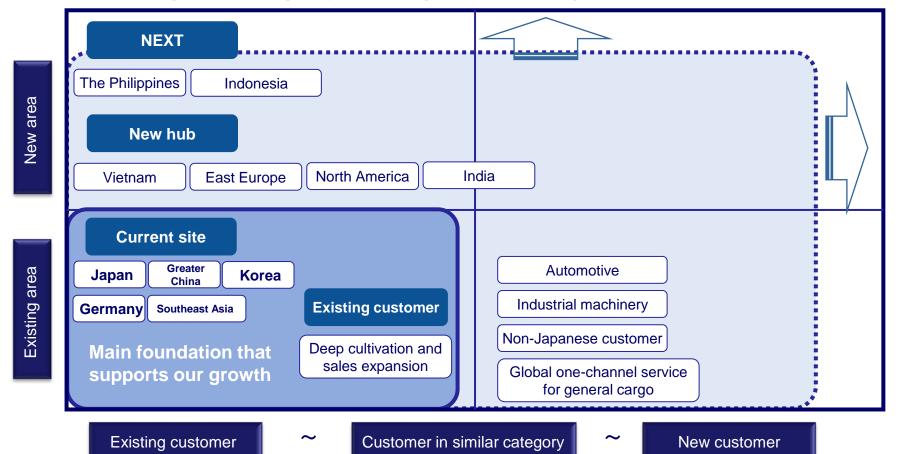
A company of choice

- (1) We will improve the levels of employee skills and satisfaction.
- (2) We will improve our QC mindset and establish a quality assurance system.
- (3) We will strengthen our ESG initiatives.

### Expansion of markets and products

### GTB growth by focusing on two aspects: region and market/customer

- We will enhance our hub functions and network.
- In addition to automobiles and industrial machinery, we will try to develop new customers in general cargo by focusing on forwarding business.





### **North America**

- Strengthening of the Mexican-American cross-border logistics
- Enhancement of S&D sites in the U.S.
   Atlanta, Chicago, etc.
- Strengthening of the network in the Central Mexican Plateau

Atlanta warehouse in the U.S.

### Europe

- Strengthening of the logistics of automotive components in Eastern Europe Hungary, Czech Republic, etc.
- Expansion of forwarding services
   Making Frankfurt a hub for Eastern Europe
   and North Africa



**Hungary office** 



### India

- Stabilization of two local subsidiaries
  - Delhi, Gujarat
- Expansion of network in India Bangalore-Chennai/Pune
- Supporting logistics for automotive components by providing highquality warehousing/transportation services



**Gujarat warehouse in India** 

### ASEAN/Korea

Continue to expand/strengthen regional sites

Hanoi airport in Vietnam Ayutthaya in Thailand Gumi in Korea, etc. are under consideration

 Strengthen our own managed forwarding operations
 Vietnam, Malaysia



Ayutthaya warehouse in Thailand



### **Greater China**

- Expansion of domestic demandbased business
  - Increasing warehouse capacity
- Improving service system
   Establishment of a customs clearance company, AEO acquisition
- Expansion of transportation mode

**Coastal vessels & land transportation services** 

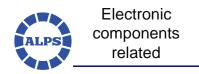


Increasing warehouse capacity in East China/
South China



### Japan

- Transportation: Consolidation of main lines and expansion of pick-up and delivery services
- Warehousing: Promotion of IT system and streamlining of loading/unloading operations
- Enhancement of major sites in the Yokohama/Chukyo area
- Enhancement of functions and efficiency of systems WMS (warehouse management system), Forwarding system



### Enhancement of major sites in the Yokohama/Chukyo area

Branch, depot, etc.

Building a new warehouse in Yokohama

Construction started in November 2021 Scheduled to be completed in September 2022 Warehouse area: 9,000m<sup>2</sup>

Yokohama City, Kanagawa Prefecture (on the

premises of Yokohama Sales Office)

Building a new warehouse in the Chukyo area

Scheduled to be completed in 2024 Warehouse area: 30,000m<sup>2</sup>

 Construction of Kazo warehouse No. 2 under consideration



Rendering of the new Yokohama warehouse



### Productivity improvement efforts

### Horizontal deployment of automated equipment

 Introduction of automated warehousing equipment (at Narita warehouse following Nishinomiya warehouse)







**Auto-scanner** 

**Auto-labeler** 

**Calibration** 

Introduction of the in-house developed auto-labeler No. 2

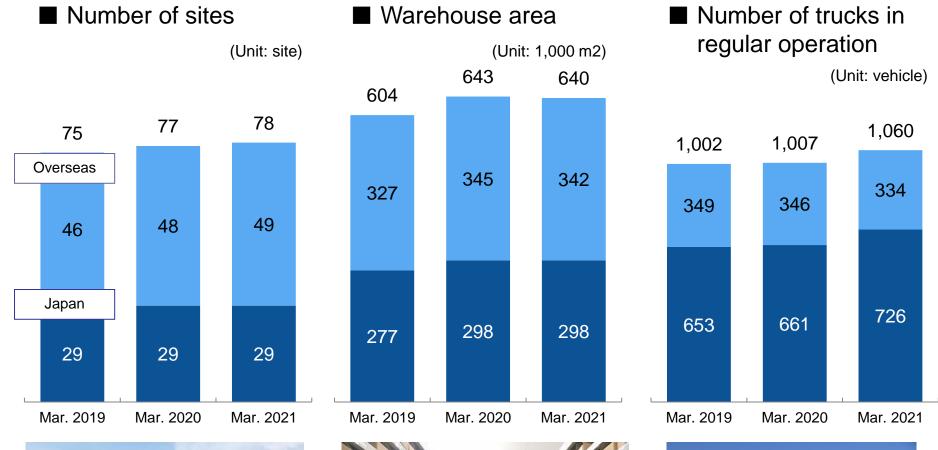




- Automatically attaching labels to small-diameter reel products
- Able to attach labels at a speed of 6,000 - 8,000 labels/day



### Expansion of logistics infrastructure











### 2. Consumer products logistics

(Ryutsu Service Co., Ltd.)







### Business Policy for the year ending 2022



# Strengthening of workplace ability and business innovation

Creating logistics value to achieve net sales of over 30 billion yen

GTB (Business)

Sustainable growth

- (1) We will reorganize our logistics sites and strengthen system.
- (2) We will expand into peripheral areas and new markets.

GTP (Profit)

Maximizing profit

- (1) We will improve the productivity of each person both in direct and indirect departments.
- (2) We will make cost structure innovations.

GTC (Confidence)

Strengthening of workplace ability

- (1) We will provide new values by exploring customer needs.
- (2) We will work in "harmony with the environment and society" and "strengthen our governance".





# **Expansion of logistics area and evolution of cosmetics and pharmaceuticals logistics**

Community-based daily living-related businesses

**Development of new businesses** 



**Upstream logistics** 

B to B transportation between suppliers/sites





Downstream logistics

B to B + C delivery to home/store





"Kireio Hakobu"
Cosmetics/
pharmaceuticals

**Development of new customers** 

Kireio Hakobu

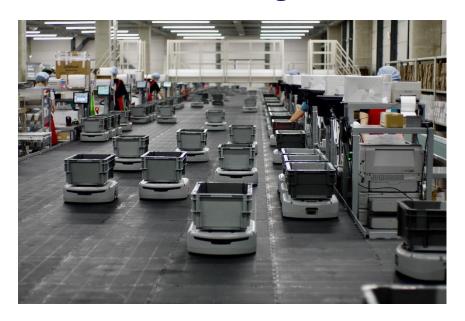
\* "Kireio Hakobu" means transportation with cleanliness.

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# Significantly reducing labor load by introducing 330 AGVs, the largest number in the industry

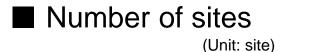
- Automated from pick-up to transportation to the inspection and packaging area
- Driving on the optimal routes by utilizing Al technology
- Improvement of shipping performance per hour by 30%
- Start considering horizontal deployment





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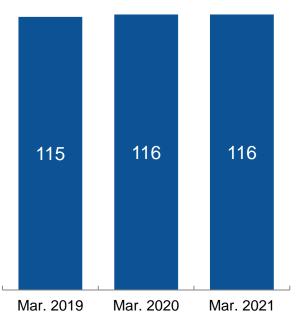


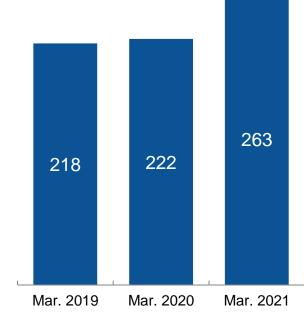


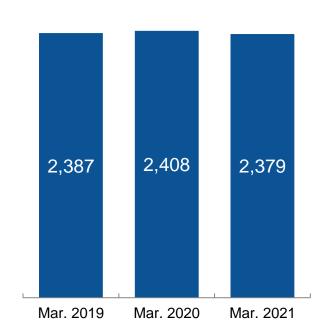
#### Warehouse area (Unit: 1,000 m2)

Number of trucks

(Unit: vehicle)







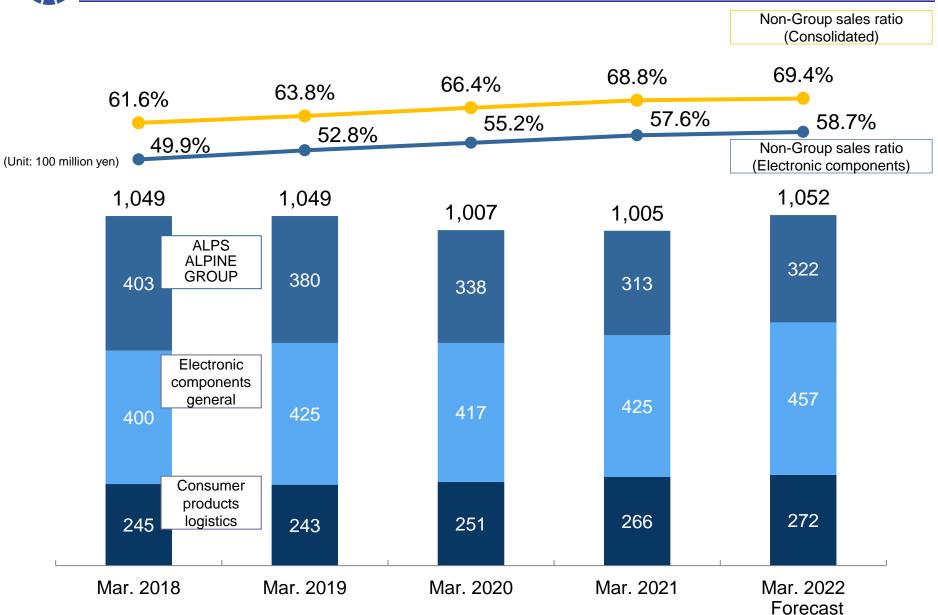






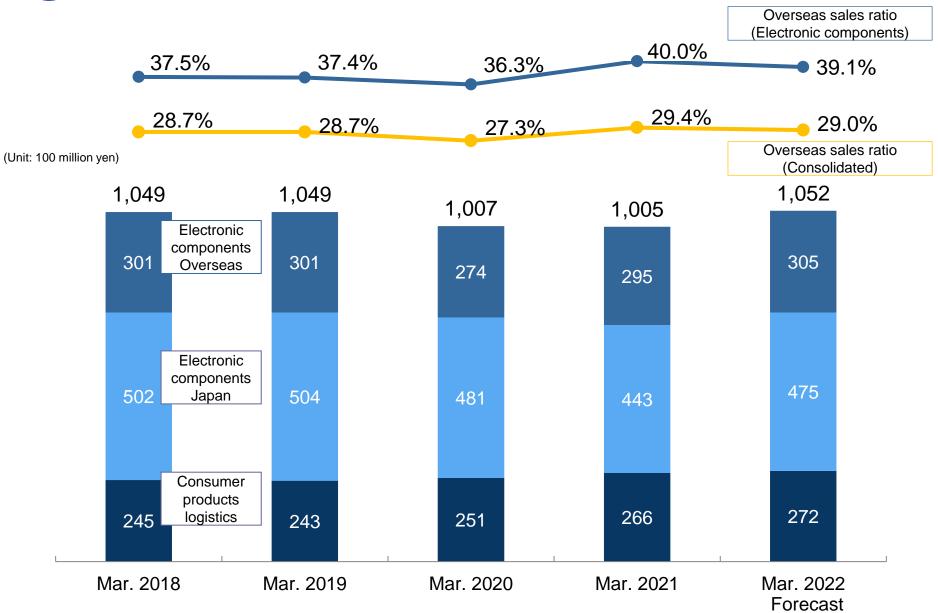


### Non-Group sales ratio





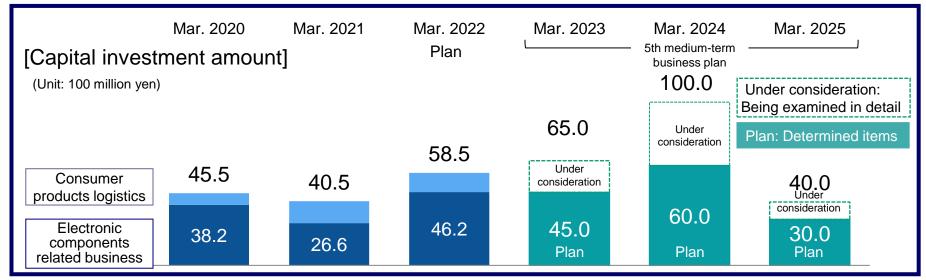
### Overseas sales ratio

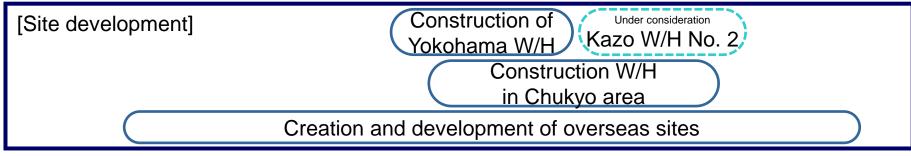


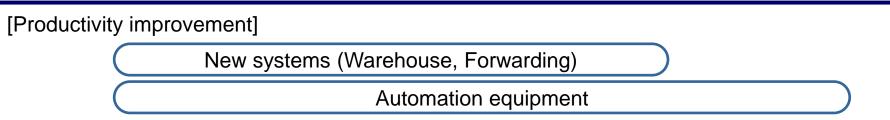


### Capital investment

# "Expansion of strategic investment" = "Site development" + "Productivity improvement"



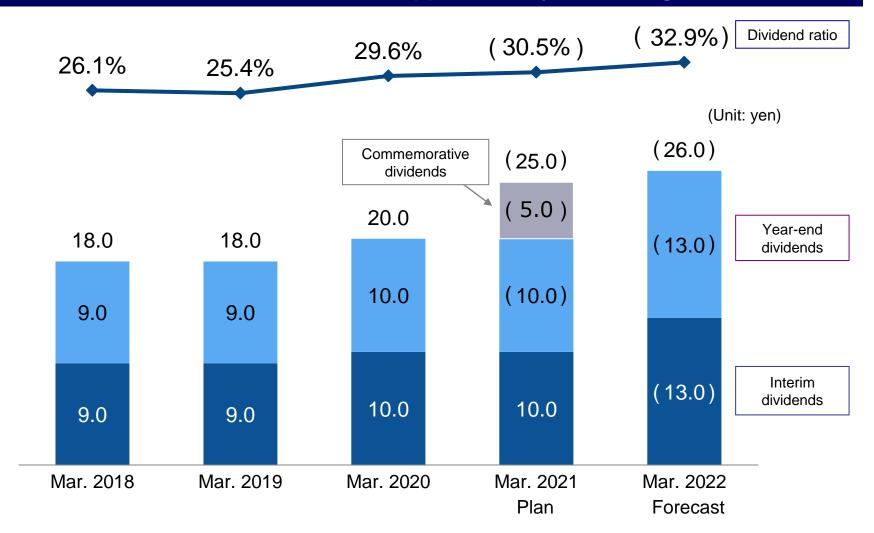






### Dividend policy

- Aim for a stable increase in dividends by balancing investment and shareholder returns.
- Increase the dividend ratio to be approximately in the range of 30 40%.



Thank you for your attention.

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