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Summary of Consolidated Financial Results for the Six Months Ended September 30, 2024 (Based on Japanese GAAP)

November 12, 2024

Company name:	Vippon Chemical Industrial CO., LTD.				
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Stock code:	4092 URL https://www.nippon-che	m.co.jp/			
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Scheduled date to file Semi-annual Securities Report:		November 13, 2024			
Scheduled date to commence dividend payments:		December 5, 2024			
Preparation of supplementary material on financial results:		Yes			
Holding of financial res	ng of financial results meeting: No				

(Amounts less than one million yen are rounded down)

1. Consolidated financial results for the six months ended September 30, 2024 (from April 1, 2024 to September 30, 2024) (1) Consolidated operating results (cumulative)

(1) Consolidated operating results (cultura		reicentage	s muica	te year-on-year ci	langes			
	Net sales		Net sales Operating profit		Ordinary profit		Profit attributable to owners of parent	
	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%
Six months ended September 30, 2024	20,678	10.7	2,401	199.0	2,393	163.2	1,633	167.3
Six months ended September 30, 2023	18,672	(5.0)	803	(19.1)	909	(19.1)	611	(16.9)

	Earnings per share	Diluted earnings per share
	Yen	Yen
Six months ended September 30, 2024	185.09	-
Six months ended September 30, 2023	69.33	-

(2) Consolidated financial position

	Total assets	Net assets	Equity ratio
	Millions of yen	Millions of yen	%
As of September 30, 2024	75,667	46,181	61.0
As of March 31, 2024	76,503	45,047	58.9

2. Cash dividends

	Annual dividends per share								
	1st quarter-end	1st quarter-end 2nd quarter-end 3rd quarter-end Fiscal year-end Total							
	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen				
Year ended March 31, 2024	-	35.00	-	35.00	70.00				
Year ending March 31, 2025	-	46.00							
Year ending March 31, 2025 (Forecast)			_	46.00	92.00				

3. Forecast of consolidated financial results for the year ending March 31, 2025 (from April 1, 2024 to March 31, 2025)

 Percentages indicate year-on-year changes									
	Net sales		Operating profit		Ordinary profit		Ordinary profit Profit attributable to owners of parent		Earnings per share
	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Yen
Full year	40,000	3.8	3,600	59.0	3,600	51.0	2,600	63.5	294.72

4. Notes

(1) Significant changes in the scope of consolidation during the six months ended September 30, 2024: Yes

(2) Application of special accounting methods for preparing semi-annual consolidated financial statements: No

(3) Changes in accounting policies, changes in accounting estimates, and restatement of prior period financial statements

Changes in accounting policies due to revisions to accounting standards and other regulations:	Yes
Changes in accounting policies due to other reasons:	No
Changes in accounting estimates:	No
Restatement of prior period financial statements:	No

(4) Number of issued shares (common shares)

Total number of issued shares at the end of the period (including treasury shares)						
As of September 30, 2024	8,922,775 shares	8,922,775 shares				
Number of treasury shares at the end of the period						
As of September 30, 2024	er 30, 2024 86,921 shares As of March 31, 2024					
Average number of shares during the period (cumulative from the beginning of the fiscal year)						
Six months ended September 30, 20248,828,073 sharesSix months ended September 30, 20238,816,641						

*This financial results report is exempt from audit by certified public accountants or accounting firm.

Semi-annual consolidated financial statements Consolidated balance sheets

		(Millions of yen)
	As of March 31, 2024	As of September 30, 2024
Assets		
Current assets		
Cash and deposits	8,741	8,159
Notes receivable - trade	1,268	1,336
Accounts receivable - trade	12,034	11,588
Merchandise and finished goods	4,633	4,707
Work in process	3,289	3,37
Raw materials and supplies	3,395	2,872
Consumption taxes refund receivable	_	
Other	628	91
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(15)) (1:
Total current assets	33,975	32,94
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment		
Buildings and structures	38,444	38,99
Accumulated depreciation	(24,939)) (25,40
Buildings and structures, net	13,505	13,58
Machinery, equipment and vehicles	21,193	21,71
Accumulated depreciation	(12,813)	
Machinery, equipment and vehicles, net	8,380	7,92
Land	7,459	7,45
Construction in progress	2,698	3,21
Other	6,856	7,05
Accumulated depreciation	(5,878)	
Other, net	978	1,10
Total property, plant and equipment	33,021	33,29
Intangible assets		55,25
Other	462	45
Total intangible assets	462	45
Investments and other assets		10
Investment securities	5,898	5,83
Long-term loans receivable	35	3
Deferred tax assets	101	10
Retirement benefit asset	2,776	2,77
Other	254	25
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(22)	
Total investments and other assets	9,043	8,96
Total non-current assets	42,527	42,71
Total assets		
Total assets	76,503	75,66'

		(Millions of yen)
	As of March 31, 2024	As of September 30, 2024
Liabilities		
Current liabilities		
Notes and accounts payable - trade	4,154	3,679
Short-term borrowings	9,156	10,033
Income taxes payable	706	504
Accrued consumption taxes	479	114
Provision for bonuses	437	502
Accounts payable - facilities	2,623	1,989
Other	2,544	2,684
Total current liabilities	20,102	19,507
Non-current liabilities		
Long-term borrowings	7,375	5,937
Deferred tax liabilities	1,768	1,823
Retirement benefit liability	199	211
Other	2,010	2,005
Total non-current liabilities	11,352	9,978
Total liabilities	31,455	29,485
Net assets		
Shareholders' equity		
Share capital	5,757	5,757
Capital surplus	2,267	2,267
Retained earnings	31,875	33,200
Treasury shares	(280)	(241
Total shareholders' equity	39,618	40,983
Accumulated other comprehensive income		
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	3,082	2,968
Foreign currency translation adjustment	110	113
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans	2,235	2,115
Total accumulated other comprehensive income	5,429	5,197
Total net assets	45,047	46,181
Total liabilities and net assets	76,503	75,667
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Consolidated statements of income (cumulative) and consolidated statements of comprehensive income (cumulative)

Consolidated statements of income (cumulative)

		(Millions of yen
	Six months ended	Six months ended
	September 30, 2023	September 30, 2024
Net sales	18,672	20,678
Cost of sales	15,390	15,639
Gross profit	3,282	5,039
Selling, general and administrative expenses	2,478	2,63
Operating profit	803	2,40
Non-operating income		
Interest and dividend income	79	8
Share of profit of entities accounted for using equity method	38	1
Other	90	72
Total non-operating income	208	17
Non-operating expenses		
Interest expenses	49	5
Depreciation of inactive non-current assets	24	5
Other	27	6
Total non-operating expenses	102	17
Ordinary profit	909	2,39
Extraordinary income		
Gain on sale of non-current assets	11	
Gain on sale of investment securities	_	3
Total extraordinary income	11	3
Extraordinary losses		
Loss on retirement of non-current assets	101	14
Total extraordinary losses	101	14
Profit before income taxes	819	2,28
Income taxes - current	250	48
Income taxes - deferred	(42)	16
Total income taxes	207	64
Profit	611	1,63
Profit attributable to owners of parent	611	1,63

Consolidated statements of comprehensive income (cumulative)

onsonuated statements of comprehensive income (cumulative)		
		(Millions of yen)
	Six months ended	Six months ended
	September 30, 2023	September 30, 2024
Profit	611	1,633
Other comprehensive income		
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	269	(114)
Deferred gains or losses on hedges	(0)	-
Foreign currency translation adjustment	42	3
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans, net of tax	(51)	(120)
Total other comprehensive income	260	(231)
Comprehensive income	871	1,402
Comprehensive income attributable to		
Comprehensive income attributable to owners of parent	871	1,402
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Consolidated statements of cash flows

	<u>a'</u> 1 1 1	(Millions of yen)
	Six months ended September 30, 2023	Six months ended September 30, 2024
Cash flows from operating activities	September 30, 2023	September 30, 2021
Profit before income taxes	819	2,282
Depreciation	1,817	1,791
Increase (decrease) in allowance for doubtful accounts	0	(0)
Increase (decrease) in provision for bonuses	(0)	64
Increase (decrease) in retirement benefit liability	87	16
Interest and dividend income	(79)	(88)
Share of loss (profit) of entities accounted for using equity method	(38)	(11)
Interest expenses	49	57
Foreign exchange losses (gains)	(9)	(19)
Loss (gain) on sale of investment securities	-	(32)
Loss on retirement of non-current assets	101	143
Decrease (increase) in trade receivables	(1,314)	384
Decrease (increase) in inventories	49	362
Increase (decrease) in trade payables	678	(800)
Increase (decrease) in accrued consumption taxes	248	(367)
Other, net	(155)	(12)
Subtotal	2,254	3,771
Interest and dividends received	79	88
Interest paid	(50)	(57)
Income taxes paid	(59)	(670)
Income taxes refund	54	1
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	2,278	3,132
Cash flows from investing activities		
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(1,202)	(2,609)
Payments for retirement of property, plant and equipment	(704)	(134)
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment	27	0
Purchase of intangible assets	(111)	(74)
Purchase of investment securities	(4)	(138)
Proceeds from sale of investment securities	_	75
Loan advances	(0)	(0)
Proceeds from collection of loans receivable	0	45
Other, net	(9)	(243)
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	(2,004)	(3,078)
Cash flows from financing activities		
Net increase (decrease) in short-term borrowings	2,000	1,800
Repayments of long-term borrowings	(1,216)	
Repayments of finance lease liabilities	(3)	(7)
Purchase of treasury shares	(0)	_
Dividends paid	(307)	(307)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	471	(875)
Effect of exchange rate change on cash and cash equivalents	43	36
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	788	(785)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	7,831	8,731
Cash and cash equivalents at organing of period	8,620	7,945
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