# FY2025/9 First Quarter Supplementary Material on Financial Results



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### Highlights(FY2025/1Q)

### (Theme of current term) S

### Something begins

Net sales and profit in 1Q recorded the highest ever. (Compared with same quarters in the past)

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Quarterly profit : 102 million yen (YoY Up by 1.4% 1: + 1 million yen)

### All categories remain steady, and AI Solution are particularly strong.

- Net sales of AI Solution category became 122 million yen, significant increase of 87.7% compared with same period of previous year. The growing demand for AI has led to a significant increase in customer inquiries.
- Net sales of DX Solution category became 524 million yen with 2.3% increase, and Semiconductor Solution category became 275 million yen with 5.6% from same period of previous year, resulting in steady growth in all categories.

### 3 Subsidiaries have begun full-scale operation.

- > TS System Solutions is steadily expanding business area.
- Decision on ex-stage's participation in our group has been made. This will lead to strengthen contract development business in the semiconductor field.
- > Obtaining necessary permits are in progress for business transfer from T&S to Int IV, Inc.

<sup>\*</sup> The figure in 1Q in previous year is actual amount from Dec to Feb due to the change of fiscal year end.

# Financial Results Overview

FY2025/9 First Quarter

### Financial Results Overview (FY2025/1Q)

### Achieved record results of 1Q

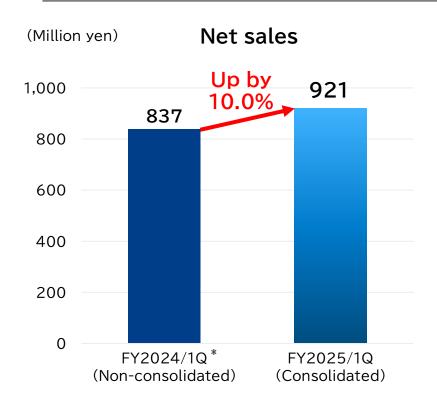
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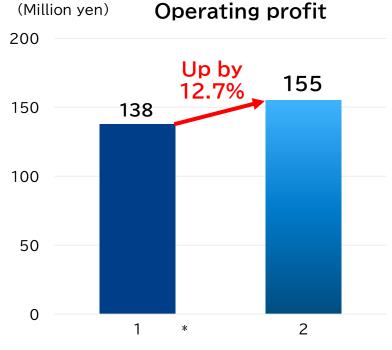
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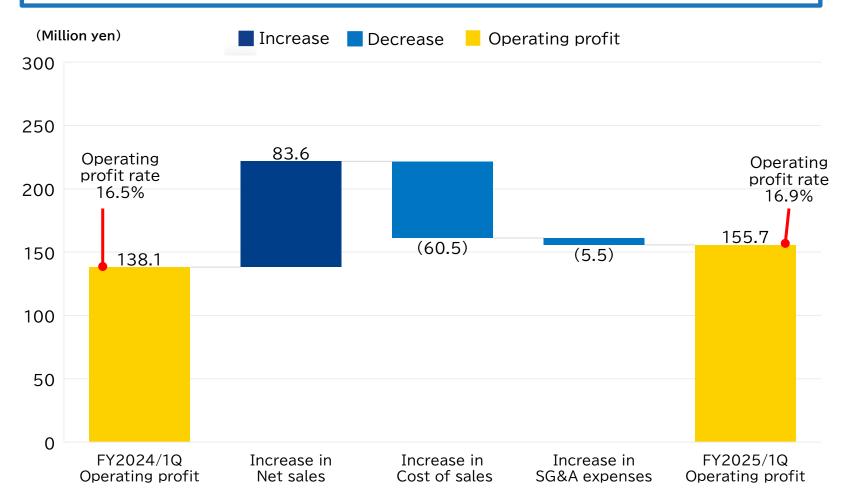


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### Operating profit(FY2025/1Q)

No more special expenses for transition to a holding company and Operating profit increased by 17 million yen. Operating profit rate also improved.

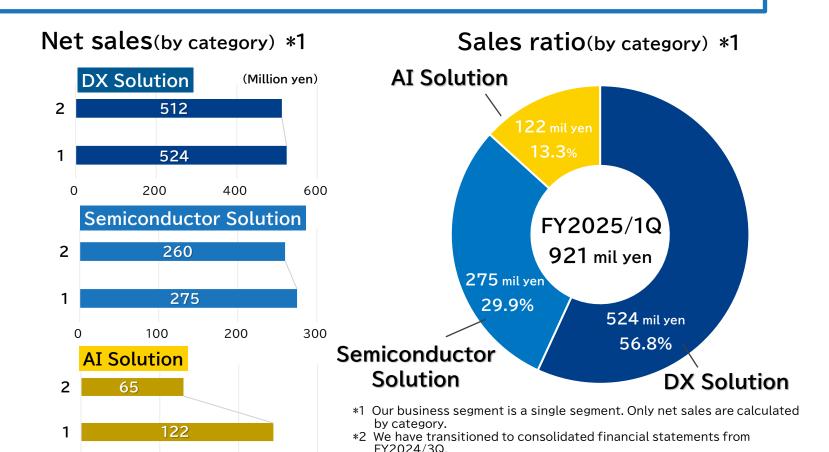
(Compare with same quarter in previous year)



### Net sales by Category (FY2025/1Q)

Net sales in AI Solution category are 122 million yen with significant increase.

DX Solution and Semiconductor Solution remain steady.



Figures for FY2024/1Q are actual non-consolidated results.

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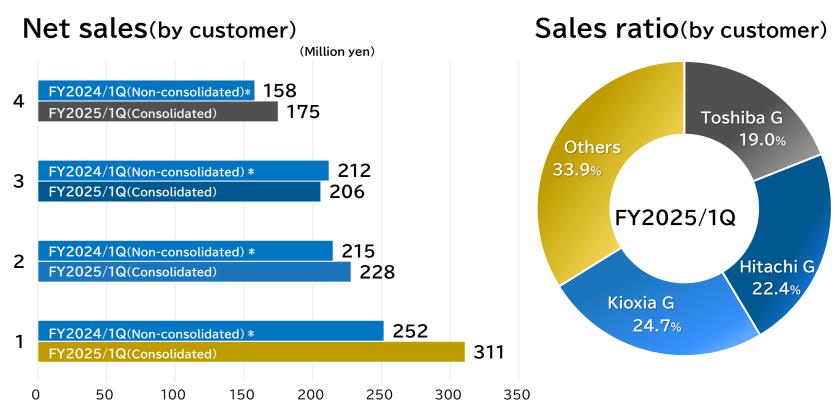
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### Net sales by Customer (FY2025/1Q)

Toshiba G and Kioxia G increased steadily.

Other customers are also increased significantly.



<sup>\*</sup> We have transitioned to consolidated financial statements from FY2024/3Q. Figures for FY2024/1Q are actual non-consolidated results.

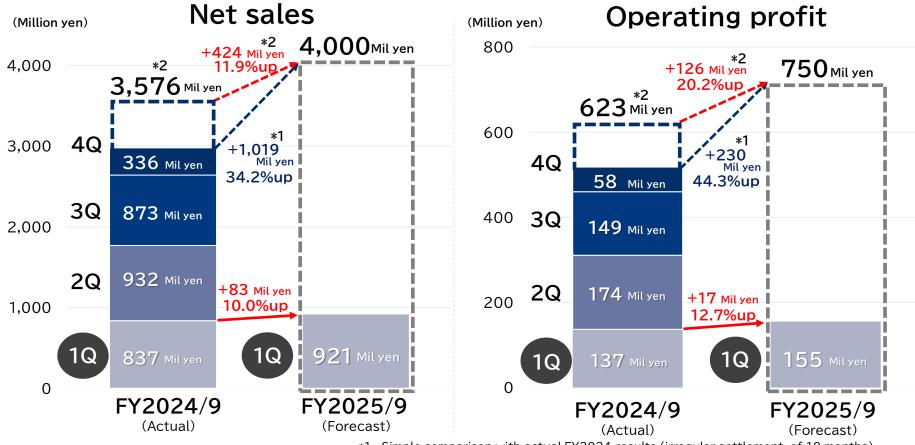
### Quarterly Net sales and Operating profit (FY2025/1Q)

1Q cumulative Net sales

: 921 Million yen
Increase: +83 million yen, 10.0% Up(YoY)

1Q cumulative Operating profit: 155 Million yen

Increase: +17 million yen, 12.7% Up(YoY)



<sup>\*1</sup> Simple comparison with actual FY2024 results (irregular settlement of 10 months) due to change of fiscal year end.

<sup>\*2</sup> For reference purpose on 12 months basis, the comparison is made with FY2024 results multiplied by 12/10.

### Business Environment - Trend of Major Customers

### (Overall)Trend of Major Customers

Domestic economy is slowly recovering due to the effect of improvements in employment and income and various policies. Semiconductor market is expected to grow significantly as demands are expanding in the area of AI and high performance computing. A tendency to pick up is seen in capital investments, and software investments are showing an upward trend. With these reasons, we are expecting business environment surrounding us to progress steadily. On the other hand, we are paying close attention to inflation, movements of US policies and fluctuations in financial capital market.

### Toshiba G

Business performance is steady thanks to strong HDD and power generation system business while revenue decreased due to delay in semiconductor market recovery. Inquiries to our group is steadily recovering primarily in energy and social infrastructure fields.

### Hitachi G

In the "Digital System & Service" segment, which is responsible for IT services, Lumada business regarding cloud and security is performing steadily. Increase of sales and profit is continuously expected thanks to strong domestic and overseas digital demand, and inquiries to our group is expected to increase.

### Kioxia G

Listed as a public company in December, 2024. Business performance is steady thanks to increase in sales price due to demand-supply balance improvement, recover of demand for flash memory and increased shipping amount. Mid to long term growth is expected in flash memory market as large capacity storage demand increases and expansion of AIrelated services. We are expecting more inquiries to our group in preparation for the launch of operations of the 2nd manufacturing building (K2) at the Kitakami factory in the autumn of 2025.

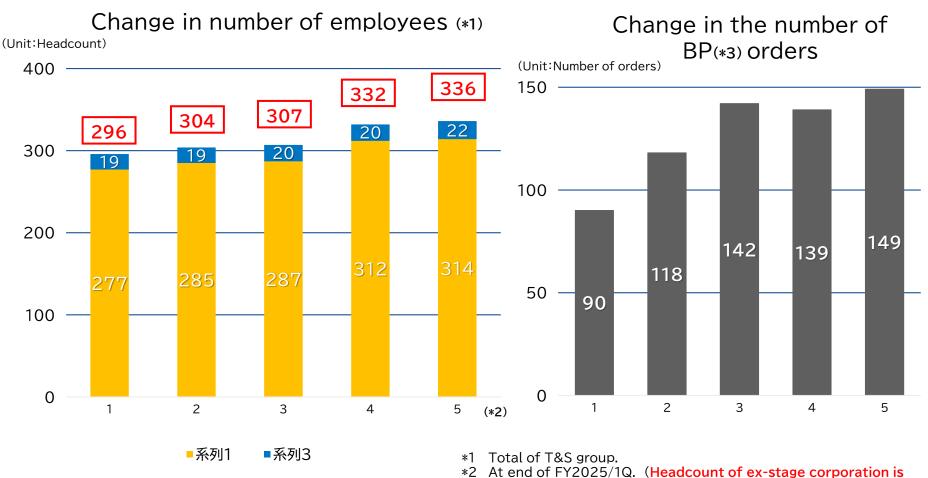
### Others

Inquiries from customers other than 3 major customers above remain steady. We expect further increase in inquiries as business environments surrounding us, such as vigorous AI demand and DX transition, are going well.

### Status of Engineers

# Moving forward to achieve the goal of this term (377 engineers)

We strive to secure engineer resources by strengthening cooperation with subsidiaries.



not included as they became our group member on 1/31)
 \*3 BP···Business partner. Engineers engaged in our business in

the form of outsourcing etc.

### Statement of Income (FY2025/1Q)

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Unit:Thousand yen	FY2024/1Q (Non- consolidated)	FY2025/1Q (Consolidated)		+/- amount	+/-%
Net sales	837,993	1	921,640	83,646	10.0%
Cost of sales	595,460		656,021	60,561	10.2%
Gross profit	242,533	7	265,618	23,085	9.5%
SG&A expense	104,386		109,909	5,523	5.3%
Operating profit	138,146	1	155,708	17,561	12.7%
Operating profit rate	16.5%		16.9%		
Ordinary profit	138,260	1	155,959	17,699	12.8%
Ordinary profit rate	16.5%		16.9%		
Quarterly profit	100,743	1	102,195	1,451	1.4%
Quarterly profit rate	12.0%		11.1%		

<sup>\*</sup> Transitioned to consolidated accounting from FY2024/3Q.

### Balance Sheets (FY2025/1Q)

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Unit:Thousand yen	FY2024/9 (Consolidated)	FY2025/1Q (Consolidated)	+/- amount
Current assets	2,774,116	2,784,546	10,429
Non-current assets	146,982	161,208	14,225
Total assets	2,921,098	2,945,754	24,655
Current liabilities	424,302	414,067	(10,234)
Non-current liabilities	60,985	62,152	1,167
Total liabilities	485,287	476,219	(9,067)
Total net assets	2,435,811	2,469,535	33,723
Total liabilities and net assets	2,921,098	2,945,754	24,655

# **Topics**

Topic①: Joint research started with JAXA's Space Exploration Innovation Hub

T&S Inc., our group company, applied for the 12th "Request for Research Proposal(RFP)" conducted by JAXA's Space Exploration Innovation Hub Center and started the joint research in December, 2024.

### Research subject

(Next-generation mobility field in the Game-changing subject)

Autonomous Geo-Localization for Lunar and Martian Exploration with High-Precision, Low-Power, and Real-Time AI Technology

### Research and development theme

Research and development of a unified method for selfposition estimation using camera images and deployment technology for on-board edge devices

### Topic2: Conclusion of joint research contract

We have concluded a new joint research contract with the Center for Innovative Integrated Electronic Systems (CIES) of Tohoku University, National University Corporation.

### Overview of joint research

Subject of Research	Research of Image Recognition Technology with high robustness.
Purpose of Research	Realizing practical use of object recognition model by research and development of image recognition algorithm with high robustness.
Research Content	<ul> <li>Research of object recognition model for generic and specific environment, and consideration for its practical use.</li> <li>Renovation and implementation of model and improvement of data set required for improving accuracy in relevance of environment, target and object recognition models.</li> <li>Verification by use of AI accelerator after optimization such as compression of model size and shortening processing time.</li> </ul>
Contract Term	From January 1 to December 31, 2025 (1 year)
Location of Research	Center for Innovative Integrated Electronic Systems of Tohoku University T&S Inc.

### Topic③: Acquisition of stock (ownership) of ex-stage corporation

A decision is made and ex-stage corporation (Kuki City, Saitama) became a consolidated subsidiary of T&S group from FY2025/2Q.



Company Name	ex-stage corporation
Address	23-25, Kamimachi, Kuki City, Saitama
Representative	Norimitsu Kashiura, Representative Director
Date of establishment	April 8, 2008
Capital stock	10,200,000 yen
Description of business	Planning, development, production, Maintenance management and consulting of software and computer systems.
HP	https://ex-stage.co.jp/

# **Earnings Forecast and Progress**

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### Earnings Forecast and Progress

### (theme) Something begins

Unit: million yen	FY2024/9 (Consolidated/Actual)	FY2025/9 (Consolidated/Forecast)	FY2025/9 1Q (Consolidated/Actual)	Progress rate (%)
Net sales	2,980	4,000	921	23.0%
Operating profit	519	750	155	20.8%
Ordinary profit	520	750	155	20.8%
Net profit	321	492	102	20.8%

Entire T&S group Market environment surrounding our group is expected to change steadily and we expect business performance of overall T&S group to go successfully.

We also expect to expand our engineering resources by strengthened recruitment of new graduates and midcareer engineers and by acquisition of ex-stage corporation. Sequential contributions to sales are expected.

T&S System Development Business HQ We still have many new and continuing inquiries from main customers and expect business performance to remain steady. As the demand for transition of business from system development to system maintenance is high and we expect to maintain long-lasting order system continuously.

By strengthening training of new graduates and enhancing engineer resources through mid-career recruitment and BP, we will aim to get new deals with new customers as well as with existing main customers.

T&S IT Services Business HQ We are expecting steady business performance as inquiries from main customers continuously increasing. As semi-conductor manufacturers, our main customers, are planning to expand facilities and production bases to develop cutting-edge semi-conductors for the purpose of establishing a stable domestic supply system, we expect the demand for IT services from semi-conductor factories to remain stable.

We will proceed with new graduates and mid-career recruitment in line with annual recruitment plan to increase by 10% and aim to increase sales and expand business by proper assignment of human resources.

T&S Advanced Technology Business HQ

Inquiries related to generative AI and cutting-edge AI solutions remain strong and business performance is expected to remain steady.

We aim to expand business by strengthening development system of cutting-edge technologies and capturing new projects.

TS System Solutions

Aggressive recruitment of mid-career engineers continues successfully.

We have made a good start as a new company while strengthening relationship with partners and constantly processing orders from new projects.

The trend of rapid growth in orders since the start of December in the latter half of 1Q, is expected to continue steadily.

Increase in engineers at priority customers is confirmed and business performance is expected to continue successfully.

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# **Shareholder Returns**

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### Dividend ratio is targeted at 10%

### Basic Policy on dividends

The Company considers it an important management task to increase corporate value through investment in the acquisition of new technologies in fields where future growth is expected, and believes that achieving this goal shall lead to the return of profits to shareholders.

Our basic policy for profit distribution is to continue to pay appropriate dividends in consideration of business performance, while giving priority to securing the internal reserves necessary to improve our corporate value.

As for FY2025/9, the Company plans to pay a dividend of 8.00 yen per share, aiming for a dividend payout ratio of around 10%, in line with the above policy.

The financial indicators that take into account the above measures are as follows.

	Dividend per share	Dividend ratio	Dividend on equity ratio(DOE)
FY2024/9	8.00yen Breakdown: Ordinary dividend 7.00yen Commemorative dividend 1.00yen	18.9%	2.5%
FY2025/9 (Forecast)	8.00yen	12.3%	2.3%

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