



**Financial Results for the  
Fiscal Year Ended March 2012  
Investor Relations Presentation Materials**

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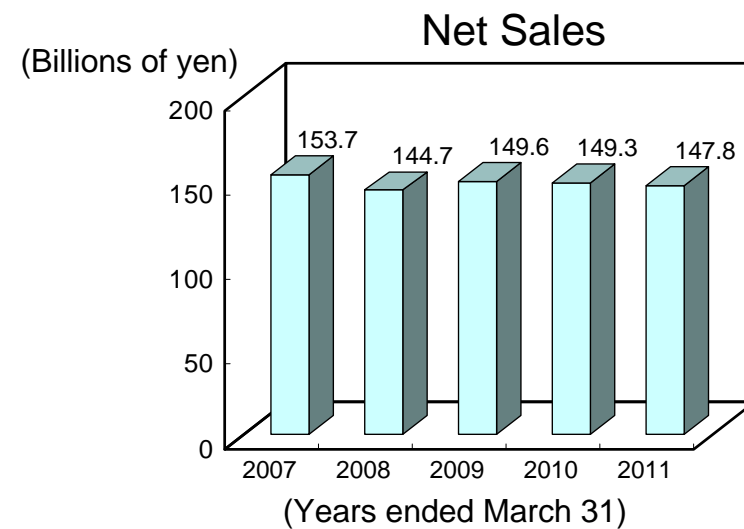
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# 1. Outline of Financial Results for the Fiscal Year Ended March, 2012



# Outline of Business Performance

(JPY bn, %)

Item	10/Mar.	11/Mar.		12/Mar.		Change	12/Mar. Forecast*	Change
			%		%			
Net Sales	149.3	147.8	100.0	145.2	100.0	(2.6)	145.0	0.2
(Domestic)	131.2	128.7	87.1	123.8	85.3	(4.9)	124.0	(0.2)
(Overseas)	18.1	19.1	12.9	21.4	14.7	2.3	21.0	0.4
Gross Profit	47.4	46.2	31.2	46.4	32.0	0.2	45.9	0.5
S. G. & A. Expenses	42.9	43.4	29.3	42.2	29.0	(1.2)	42.4	(0.2)
Operating Income	4.5	2.8	1.9	4.2	2.9	1.4	3.5	0.7
Ordinary Income	3.6	2.0	1.4	3.9	2.7	1.9	2.9	1.0
Net Income	2.3	(0.9)	(0.6)	2.7	1.9	3.6	1.4	1.3

- Company average forex rate (12/Mar.): 1US\$=¥78, 1Euro=¥107

\* Forecast announced on Feb.10.



# Breakdown of Domestic Sales

(JPY bn, %)

		10/Mar.	11/Mar.	12/Mar.	Change	Note	12/Mar. Forecast*	Change	
Agriculture Related Business	Agricultural Machinery	Cultivating & Mowing Machinery	27.7	26.7	27.5	0.8	Tractors: +1.0 Others: (0.2)	27.6	(0.1)
		Planting Machinery	11.4	11.6	10.4	(1.2)	Rice transplanters: (1.3) Transplanters: +0.1	10.3	0.1
		Harvesting & Processing Machinery	25.7	25.5	25.9	0.4	Combine harvesters: +0.5 Others: (0.1)	25.9	0
		<b>Total</b>	<b>64.8</b>	<b>63.8</b>	<b>63.8</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>63.8</b>	<b>0</b>
	Farming Implements	16.7	17.1	16.4	(0.7)		16.3	0.1	
	Parts	13.7	13.9	14.0	0.1		13.9	0.1	
	Construction of Facilities	11.1	8.7	4.7	(4.0)		5.0	(0.3)	
	Other Agriculture Related	Agricultural Material	5.6	5.5	5.1	(0.4)		5.1	0
		Others	19.1	19.6	19.7	0.1	Rice cooking business: +0.1	19.7	0
		<b>Total</b>	<b>24.7</b>	<b>25.1</b>	<b>24.8</b>	<b>(0.3)</b>		<b>24.8</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>131.0</b>	<b>128.6</b>	<b>123.7</b>	<b>(4.9)</b>		<b>123.8</b>	<b>(0.1)</b>		
Other Business Total		0.2	0.1	0.1	0		0.2	(0.1)	
<b>Total</b>		<b>131.2</b>	<b>128.7</b>	<b>123.8</b>	<b>(4.9)</b>		<b>124.0</b>	<b>(0.2)</b>	

\* Forecast announced on Feb.10.



# Breakdown of Overseas Sales

(JPY bn, %)

	10/Mar.	11/Mar.	12/Mar.	Change	Note	12/Mar.	Change
						Forecast*	
North America	4.0	5.6	5.3	(0.3)	Tractors: (0.1) Mowers: (0.2)	5.3	0
Europe	6.5	6.8	7.2	0.4	Mowers: +0.5 Tillers: (0.1)	6.9	0.3
Asia	1.8	1.1	0.9	(0.2)	Tractors:(0.1) Combine harvesters: (0.2) Rice transplanters: +0.1	0.8	0.1
China*	3.5	3.3	5.7	2.4	Rice transplanters: +2.5 Combine harvesters: (0.1)	5.8	(0.1)
Oceania	0.4	0.4	0.4	0		0.4	0
Products Total	16.2	17.2	19.5	2.3		19.2	0.3
Parts & Others	1.9	1.9	1.9	0		1.8	0.1
Total	18.1	19.1	21.4	2.3		21.0	0.4

\* Sales in China are actual results (Jan. – Dec.)

\* Forecast announced on Feb.10.



# Operating Income

(JPY bn, %)

Item	10/Mar.	11/Mar.		12/Mar.		Change	12/Mar. Forecast*	Change
			%		%			
Net Sales	149.3	147.8	100.0	145.2	100.0	(2.6)	145.0	0.2
Cost of G. S.	101.9	101.6	68.8	98.8	68.0	(2.8)	99.1	(0.3)
Gross Profit	47.4	46.2	31.2	46.4	32.0	0.2	45.9	0.5
S. G. & A. Expenses	42.9	43.4	29.3	42.2	29.0	(1.2)	42.4	(0.2)
Operating Income	4.5	2.8	1.9	4.2	3.0	1.4	3.5	0.7

## \*Operating income Factors of YoY change

[Gross Profit]	• Decreased gross income by decreased revenue	: (0.7)
	• Forex sales rate gap	: (0.4)
	• Increased raw material price	: (0.4)
	• Reduced fixed cost (personnel expenses (0.3), facility expenses, etc. (0.7))	: +1.0
	• Cost reduction, etc.	: +0.7
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	Increased gross profit	: +0.2
[S.G.& A Expenses]	Decreased S.G.& A Expenses (personnel expenses (0.7), other expenses (0.5))	: +1.2
	Increased operating income	: +1.4

Change of fixed cost	
	Y o Y
Personnel expenses	(1.0)
Expenses	(1.1)
Total	(2.1)

(Figures in ( ) indicate losses)

\* Forecast announced on Feb.10.

# Ordinary Income and Net Income

	10/Mar.	11/Mar.	12/Mar.	Change	(JPY bn, %)	
					12/Mar. Forecast*	Change
Operating Income	4.5	2.8	4.2	1.4	3.5	0.7
Net Financial Income	(1.0)	(0.9)	(0.8)	0.1	(0.8)	0
Other Non-operating Income	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.3
Ordinary Income	3.6	2.0	3.9	1.9	2.9	1.0
Extraordinary Gains	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.3	0
Extraordinary Losses	(1.0)	(1.9)	(0.5)	1.4	(0.5)	0
Income before Income Taxes	2.7	0.2	3.7	3.5	2.7	1.0
Taxes, Deferred Taxes	(0.4)	(1.1)	(1.0)	0.1	(1.3)	0.3
Net Income	2.3	(0.9)	2.7	3.6	1.4	1.3

\* Factors of YoY change

[Non-operating income]

- Reduced Forex losses :+0.3
- Others :+0.2

[Extraordinary gains/losses]

- Reduced valuation losses on investment securities, etc. :+1.6



\* Breakdown of extraordinary gains/losses

	11/Mar.		12/Mar.
Loss by disaster	(0.8)	Change of retirement benefits system	(0.3)
Valuation on investment securities	(0.6)		
Asset retirement obligations	(0.2)		
Others	(0.2)	Others	+0.1
Total	(1.8)	Total	(0.2)

\* Forecast announced on Feb.10.





# Balance Sheet

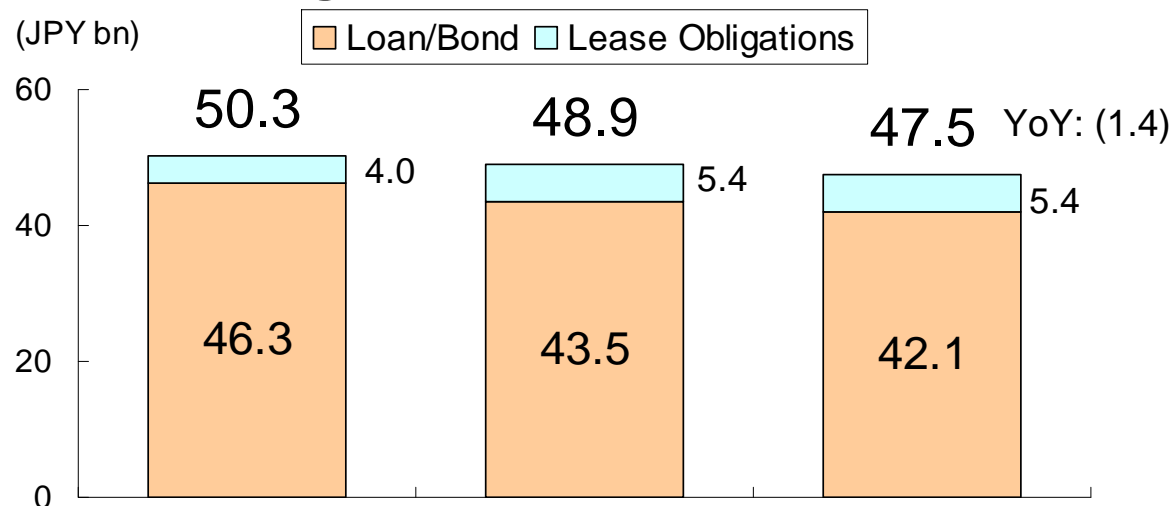
(JPY bn)

Item	10/Mar.	11/Mar.	12/Mar.	Change
Cash/Deposits	6.7	5.7	7.1	1.4
Accounts Receivables	29.3	28.7	28.7	0
Inventories	41.5	41.0	42.8	1.8
(Product Inventory)	27.5	27.8	28.1	0.3
Other Current Assets	3.2	3.3	4.3	1.0
Noncurrent Assets	90.3	90.5	89.7	(0.8)
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>171.0</b>	<b>169.2</b>	<b>172.6</b>	<b>3.4</b>
Accounts Payables	41.8	42.0	43.7	1.7
Debts/Borrowings	46.2	43.5	42.1	(1.4)
Other Liabilities	27.4	29.1	28.6	(0.5)
<b>(Total Liabilities)</b>	<b>115.4</b>	<b>114.6</b>	<b>114.4</b>	<b>(0.2)</b>
Net Assets	55.6	54.6	58.2	3.6
(Retained Earnings)	6.1	5.2	7.9	2.7
<b>Total Liabilities and Net Assets</b>	<b>171.0</b>	<b>169.2</b>	<b>172.6</b>	<b>3.4</b>



# Balance of Interest Bearing Liabilities and Planned Dividend

## 1. Balance of Interest Bearing Liabilities



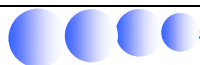
	10/Mar.	11/Mar.	12/Mar.
D/E Ratio (Times)	0.91	0.89	0.82
Equity Ratio (%)	31.6	31.4	32.9

\* D/E Ratio=Interest bearing liabilities/Net assets (Interest bearing liabilities include lease obligations)

## 2. Planned Dividend

(Yen)

	10/Mar.	11/Mar.	12/Mar. Planned
Year-end Dividend	0.00	0.00	1.50





## 2. Recent Development in Domestic and Overseas Markets



Drying machine

GML

GSL



# Topics of Domestic Agriculture

## ○ Prospect of resumption of farming in affected farmland in Iwate, Miyagi and Fukushima prefectures

(ha)

	12/Mar.	13/Mar.	14/Mar.	15/Mar.	Others*
Total	1,290	6,070	5,610	4,990	2,460
Cumulative Total	7,360		12,970	17,960	20,420
Resumption Ratio	36.0%		63.5%	88.0%	100.0%

Prospect of 88.0% resumption of farming in 2015/Mar.

\* Area of reconstruction method, or land integration to be studied, alarmed area related to the nuclear plant accident, new designated evacuation area without a prospect of resumption.

Note) Farmlands that no more require restoration (110 ha) excluded.

## ○ Ratio of first class rice and relative trading price

	2009 production	2010 production	2011 production
Ratio of first class rice(%)	85.0	61.4	80.7
Relative price of rice (Yen/60kg)	14,508	12,750	15,303

Both ratio of first class rice and relative price of rice recovered to the level of 2009 production rice.

## ○ Points of Basic policy/Action plan for agricultural revitalization

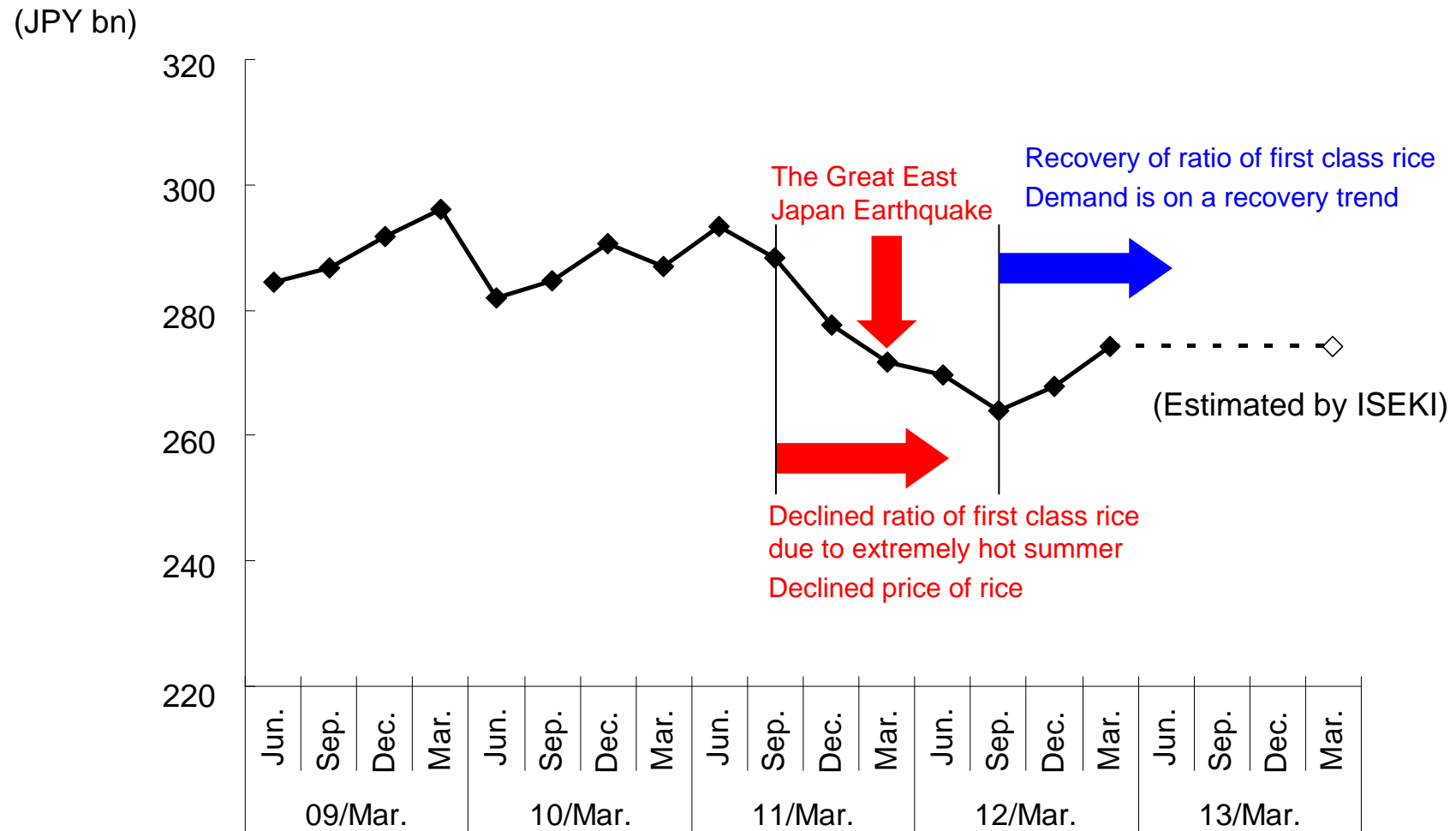
- Realization of sustainable and strong agriculture
  - Increase new entry to farming and secure personnel who support future agriculture in Japan.
  - Aim at large land use type agriculture of 20~30 ha of flat land.
- The 6<sup>th</sup> industrialization toward growth industry and more efficient distribution
  - Creation of funds.

Source: MAFF HP



# Trends of Domestic Demand for Agricultural Machinery

**Trend in the amount of domestic demand** (Total of 9 principal products: Moving annual base)



Source: Shipping Statistics of Japan Farm Machinery Manufacturer's Association

# Trends in Domestic Agricultural Machinery Market

## Trends in domestic agricultural machinery industry shipment and effective sales of ISEKI

\* Total amount of 9 principal products base, Y o Y growth rate (%)

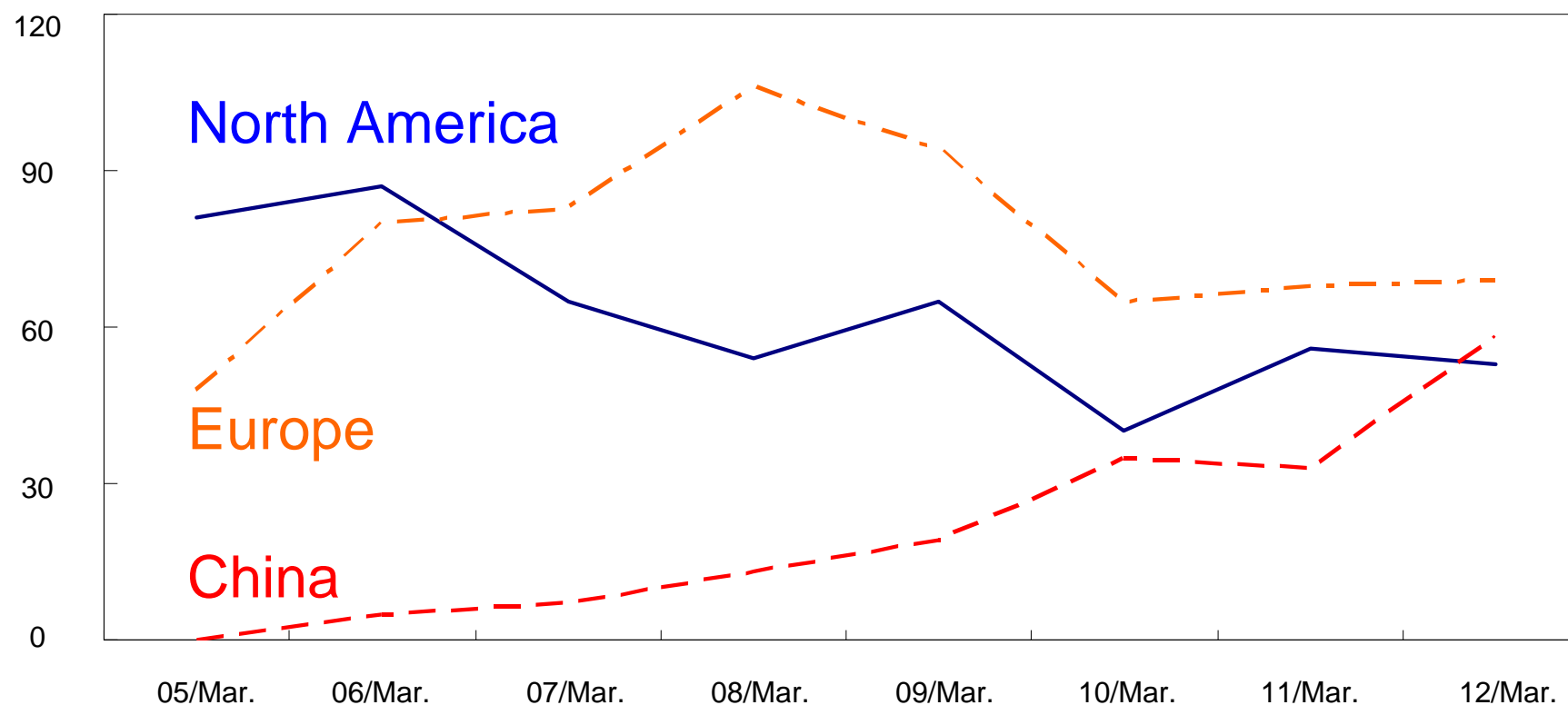
Source: Shipping statistics of Japan Farm Machinery Manufacturer's Association

	10/Mar.		11/Mar.		12/Mar.	
	Apr.-Sep.	Oct.-Mar.	Apr.-Sep.	Oct.-Mar.	Apr.-Sep.	Oct.-Mar.
Industry (Shipment)	93	102	101	88	95	108
ISEKI (Effective sales)	87	109	103	90	102	104

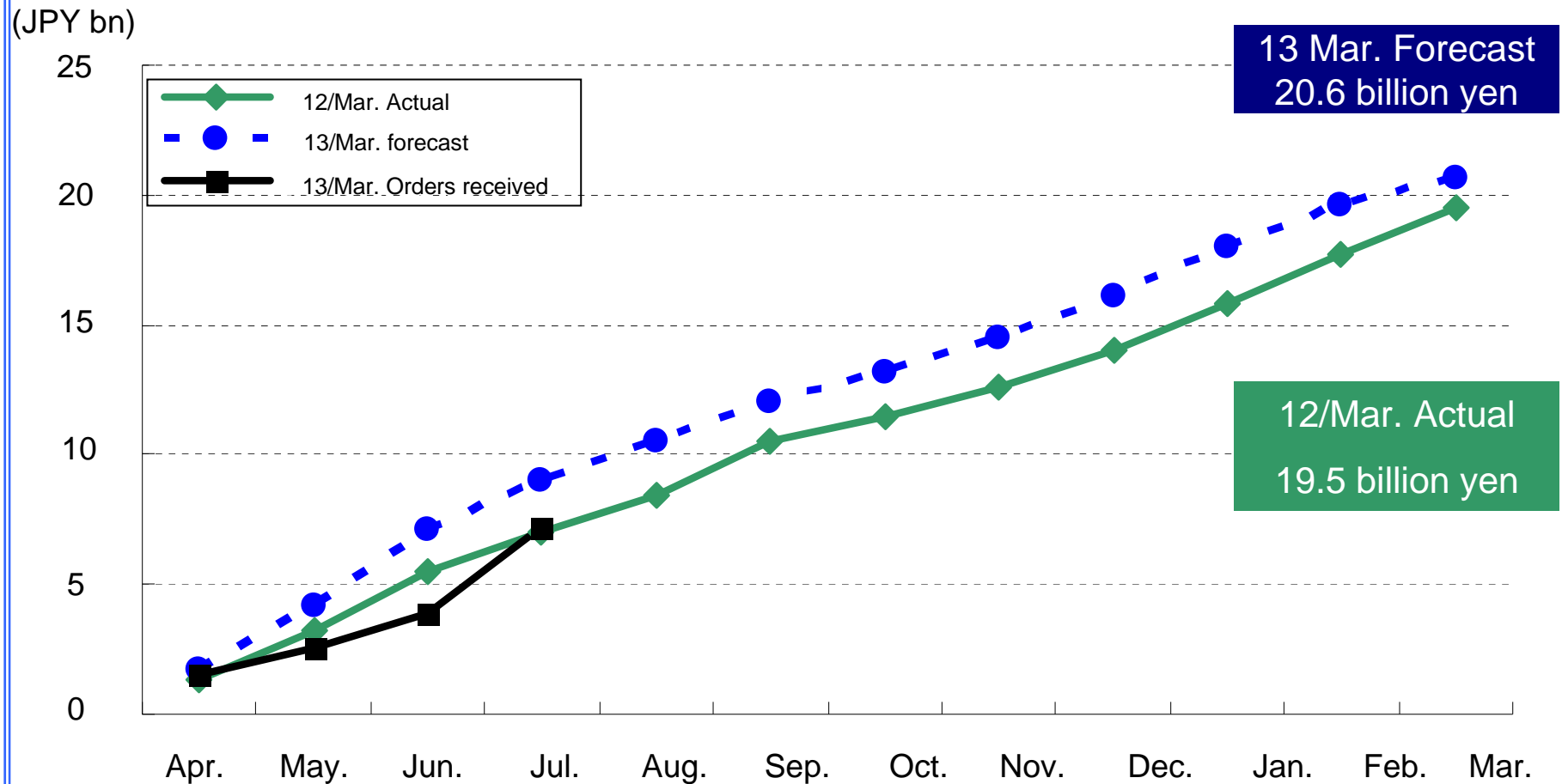


# Trend of Regional Sales of Overseas Products

(JPY bn)



# Recent Trend of Overseas Product Sales



\* 13/Mar. Orders received: Apr. is based on result of shipping, May.-Jul. is based on orders received.





# Trend in Overseas Market and Strategy (North America)

## 1. Compact Tractor Market in North America

\* Tractors with 50PS engines (PTO40PS) or less, and lawn mowers are not included

(Unit: 1000) \* Figures have been rounded and non-adjusted

	10/ Jan.-Dec.	11/ Jan.-Dec.	YoY Change	11/ Jan.-Apr.	12/ Jan.-Apr.	YoY Change
USA	84.0	84.7	100.8%	25.8	27.6	106.6%
Canada	10.8	11.7	108.4%	2.66	2.70	101.7%
N.America Total	94.8	96.4	101.7%	28.5	30.3	106.2%

- AEM estimated growth of demand in 2012 to be +3.2% per year.

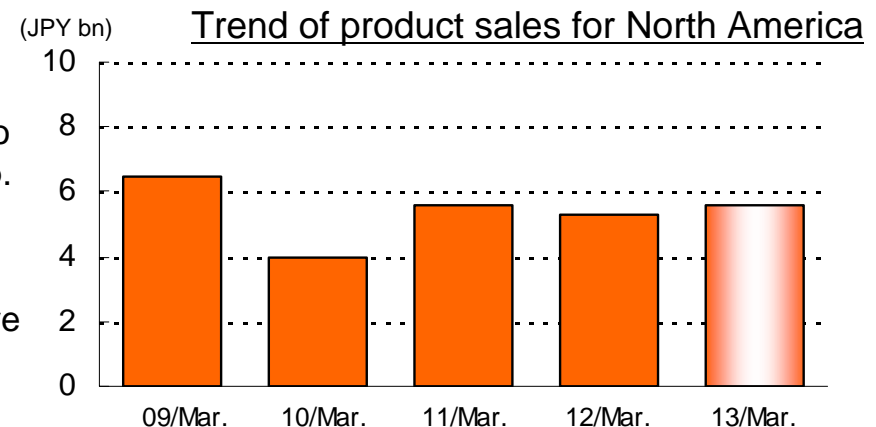
Source : AEM statistics (Association of Equipment Manufacturers)

## 2. ISEKI's Sales and Strategy

- Effective sales of the OEM partner for Jan.-Apr. tended to be delayed affected by aggressive sales of Korean group.
- In orders received base, ISEKI's sales for Apr.-Jul. (Apr. was shipping base) shifted underperforming the same period of the previous year partly due to stagnant effective sales growth of the OEM partner.



Promote early sales recovery through reinforced sales promotions and introduction of new products including model change.



# Trends in Overseas Market and Strategy (Europe)

## 1. Trends in European Market

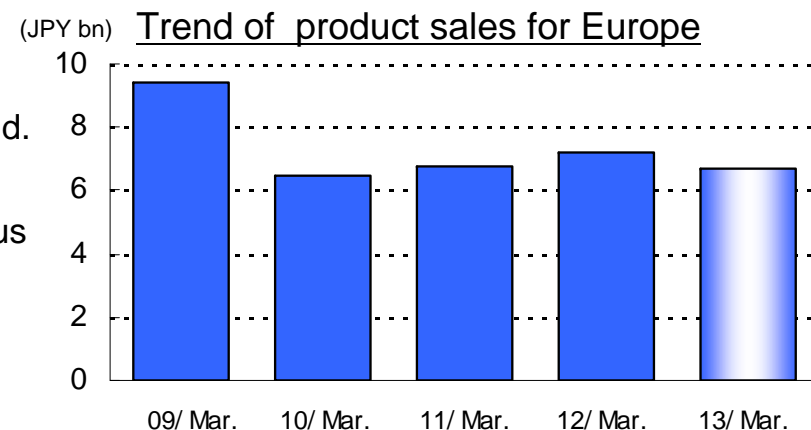
- Demand remained in a low level except for Germany, due to sluggish economy.
- Korean group stimulated demand by aggressive low-price campaign.
- France, Germany, etc. were in line with the previous year, and Spain, Portugal, etc. underperformed the previous year.

## 2. ISEKI's Sales and Strategy

- With respect to effective sales by European agents for Jan.-Mar., France and Germany were on a recovery trend.
- ISEKI's orders received base for Apr.-Jul. (Apr. was shipping base) underwent the same period of the previous year due to inventory adjustment in France (Expected completion of inventory adjustment: Aug.- Sep.)



Develop promotions according to country/products, and promote share maintenance/expansion.



# Trends in Overseas Markets and Strategy (China)

## 1. Trend in Chinese Market

- Trend of subsidy for agricultural promotion

(billion of yuan)

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	
Central government subsidy	2.0	4.0	13.0	15.5	17.5	1st Period	13.0
(billion yen, yuan/13 yen)	26.0	52.0	169.0	201.5	227.5	1st Period	169.0

- Trend of agricultural market expansion continues due to subsidy that increases every year.

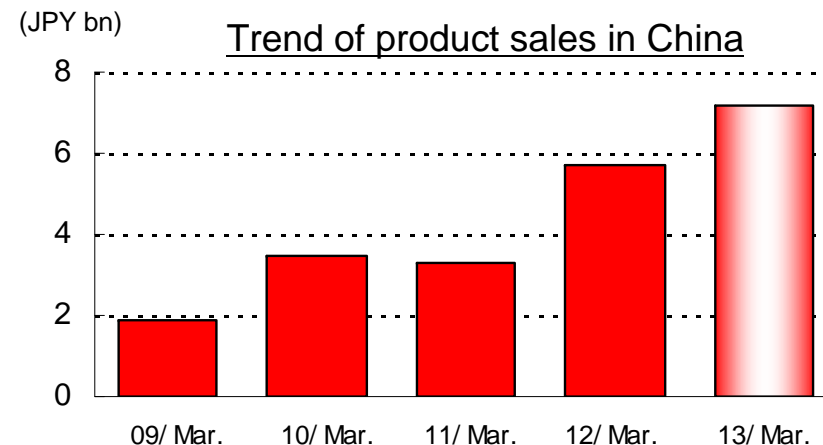
[Reference] 1<sup>st</sup> Period of 2011 : 11 billion yuan (143 billion yen)

## 2. ISEKI's Sales and Strategy

- Sales increased in the previous year due to increased sales of rice transplanters.
- Sale trend in Jan,-Apr. delayed compared with the same period of the previous year due to delayed announcement of the subsidy policy in each province and changed payment method of subsidy.



Promote commercialization of products that suite the market needs such as tobacco transplanters, 4 rows walking type rice transplanters of which more diffusion can be expected, and high-clearance multipurpose vehicle , etc. that increase efficiency of paddy field management.



# Leaf Tobacco Market and Strategy in China

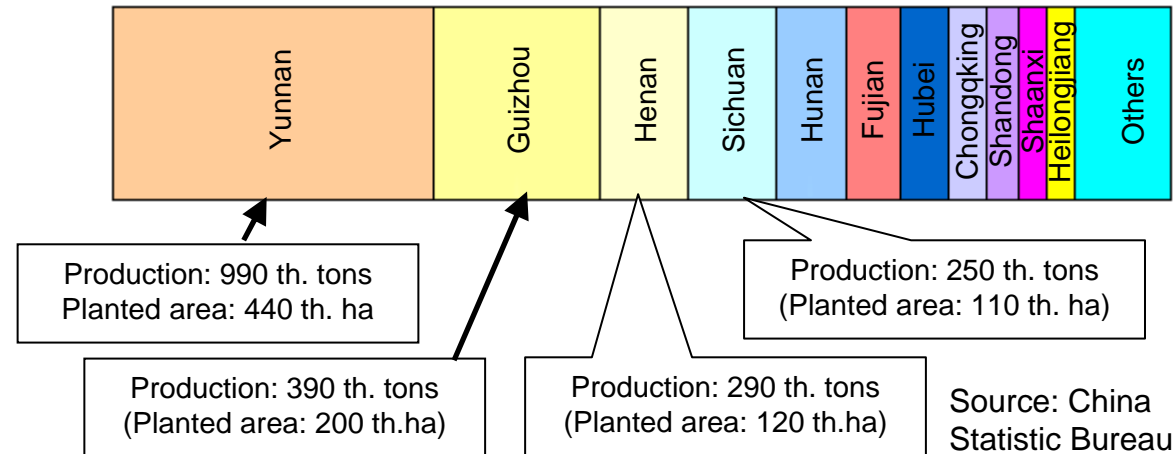
## Leaf tobacco production in the world

### Leaf tobacco production ranking (2011)

		Production (th. tons)	Cultivated area (th. ha)
1 <sup>st</sup>	China	3,005	1,345
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Brazil	780	446
3 <sup>rd</sup>	India	755	459
4 <sup>th</sup>	U.S.	326	136
-	Japan	29	15

Source: FAO

## Leaf tobacco production in China by Province (2011)



## Situation of leaf tobacco transplanting



## Response to the tobacco transplanter



2012: Sellout of prepared units for limited sales campaign.  
2013: Full-fledged sales





### 3. Performance Forecast for the Fiscal Year Ending March, 2013



New category combine harvester HFC330



# Performance Forecast for FY13/Mar. Planned Year-end Dividend

## 1. Performance Forecast

(JPY bn)

Item	11/Mar.		12/Mar.		13/Mar. Forecast*		Change
		%		%		%	
Net Sales	147.8	100.0	145.2	100.0	153.0	100.0	7.8
(Domestic)	128.7	87.1	123.8	85.3	131.0	85.6	7.2
(Overseas)	19.1	12.9	21.4	14.7	22.0	14.4	0.6
Operating Income	2.8	1.9	4.2	2.9	4.6	3.0	0.4
Ordinary Income	2.0	1.4	3.9	2.7	3.9	2.5	0
Net Income	(0.9)	(0.6)	2.7	1.9	2.7	1.8	0

Company forex rate: 1 US\$ = ¥80, 1 Euro = ¥105

\* Forecast announced on May 11.

## 2. Planned Year-end Dividend

(Yen)

	11/Mar.	12/Mar. Plan	13/Mar. Plan
Year-end Dividend	0.00	1.50	2.00 ~ 3.00



# Performance Forecast (Breakdown of Domestic Sales)

(JPY bn)

		10/Mar.	11/Mar.	12/Mar.	13/Mar. Forecast*	Change 12/Mar.	Change 11/Mar.	Change 10/Mar.	
Agriculture Related Business	Agricultural Machinery	Cultivating & Mowing Machinery	27.7	26.7	27.5	29.0	1.5	2.3	1.3
		Planting Machinery	11.4	11.6	10.4	11.6	1.2	0	0.2
		Harvesting & Processing Machinery	25.7	25.5	25.9	26.2	0.3	0.7	0.5
		Total	64.8	63.8	63.8	66.8	3.0	3.0	2.0
		Parts & Farming Implements	30.4	31.0	30.4	30.8	0.4	(0.2)	0.4
		Construction of Facilities	11.1	8.7	4.7	7.0	2.3	(1.7)	(4.1)
		Other Agriculture Related	24.9	25.1	24.8	26.3	1.5	1.2	1.4
		Total	131.2	128.6	123.7	130.9	7.2	2.3	(0.3)
		Other Business Total	0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0	0	0.1
		Total	131.2	128.7	123.8	131.0	7.2	2.3	(0.2)

\* Forecast announced on May 11.



# Performance Forecast (Breakdown of Overseas Sales)

(JPY bn)

	11/Mar.	12/Mar.	13/Mar. Forecast*	Change	Note
North America	5.6	5.3	5.6	0.3	
Europe	6.8	7.2	6.6	(0.6)	Inventory adjustment
Asia	1.1	0.9	0.7	(0.2)	
China	3.3	5.7	7.2	1.5	
Oceania	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.1	
Products Total	17.2	19.5	20.6	1.1	
Parts & Others	1.9	1.9	1.4	(0.5)	
Total	19.1	21.4	22.0	0.6	

\* Forecast announced on Mar 11.







## 4. Topics



High-clearance Multipurpose Vehicle  
Aisaika (JKB23)



# Topics

## Challenges of ISEKI Group

- ① Enhancing initiatives to propose low cost agricultur
- ② To strengthen promotion of global development
- ③ To enhance product capability and promote cost structure reform

## Promotion of cost structure reform

Needs for low price products both in domestic and overseas markets

Newly establish Cost Structure Reform Committee.  
 Establish Cost Structure Reform Department.  
 Each engineering general manager, president of manufacturing company and general manager of Purchasing Department take initiatives of the structural reform.

Low cost design

Low cost production

Low cost procurement



# Notes on the Future Forecast

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Increase food self sufficiency ratio 1% campaign which leads to relief in the future

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