## USS

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## Consolidated Results of Operations

The second quarter fiscal year ending IMarch 31. 2016

USS Co., Ltd.
November 2015


## USS Profile and Results of Operations



## (1) Consolidated Sales, Operating Margin and ROE

Strong growth in profitability, medium-term target is ROE of 15\% - Net sales $\rightarrow$-Operating margin $\rightarrow$-ROE


## (2) Competitive Edge in Japan's Auto Auction Industry

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## The Superiority of USS

- Overwhelming lead in the number of members: 46,000 companies
- The industry leader with 17 auction sites nationwide
- High-volume auction sites in Tokyo, Nagoya and other locations
- Off-site bidding system using satellite TV and the Internet
- USS created the industry standards for vehicle evaluations and auction systems
- A sound financial position
- equity ratio of $85.4 \%$
(As of end of Sep. 2015)


## (3) Breakdown of Net sales and Operating income

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Sales breakdown (1H FY3/16)


Operating income breakdown (1H FY3/16)

*Sales are sales to external customers and operating income is based on business segment earnings.

## Auto Auction Business




Recycling Business (ARBIZ)


## Results of Operations

## First Half Fiscal Year Ending March 2016



## Consolidated Financial Highlights of the First Half

■ Sales up 4.3\% (YoY)
> Auto auction business sales up 5.2\% (YoY)
$>$ Vehicles consigned up 1.9\%, contracted vehicles up 3.9\% (YoY)
$>$ Contract completion rate was $65.8 \%$ ( $64.5 \%$ one year earlier)
$>$ Off-site (Satellite TV and Internet) successful bid ratio was 49.2\% (50.7\% one year earlier)
> Used vehicle purchasing and selling business sales increased 1.4\% (YoY)
> Recycling and others sales increased 2.2\% (YoY)
■ Operating income up 6.6\% and ordinary income up 6.7\% (YoY)
> Auto auction business operating income increased $7.1 \%$ (YoY)
> Used vehicle purchasing and selling business increased $75.8 \%$ (YoY)
$>$ Recycling and others operating income decreased 49.3\% (YoY)
> Auto auction business depreciation decreased but cost of goods sold increased
> Operating margin improved from $48.8 \%$ to $49.8 \%$ (YoY)
■ Maintained a high equity ratio of $85.4 \%$

## 1H FY3/2016 - Consolidated Income Statement

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Record-high quarterly operating income for the fourth consecutive quarter and quarterly ordinary income and profit attributable to owners of parent for the fifth consecutive quarter

|  | 1H FY3/15 | $1 \mathrm{H}^{\text {FY3/16 }}$ | Year on year | Plan | VS. Plan |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net Sales | 32,254 | 33,643 | 104.3\% | 34,200 | 98.4\% |
| Cost of sales (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 12,419 \\ (38.5 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12,917 \\ (38.4 \%) \end{array}$ | 104.0\% | $\begin{array}{r} 13,326 \\ (39.0 \%) \end{array}$ | 96.9\% |
| Gross profit (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 19,835 \\ (61.5 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 20,725 \\ (61.6 \%) \end{array}$ | 104.5\% | $\begin{array}{r} 20,873 \\ (61.0 \%) \end{array}$ | 99.3\% |
| Selling, general and administrative <br> expenses <br> (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 4,104 \\ (12.7 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3,962 \\ (11.8 \%) \end{array}$ | 96.5\% | $\begin{array}{r} 4,373 \\ (12.8 \%) \end{array}$ | 90.6\% |
| Operating income (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 15,731 \\ (48.8 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 16,763 \\ (49.8 \%) \end{array}$ | 106.6\% | $\begin{array}{r} 16,500 \\ (48.2 \%) \end{array}$ | 101.6\% |
| Ordinary income (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 16,028 \\ (49.7 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 17,106 \\ (50.8 \%) \end{array}$ | 106.7\% | $\begin{array}{r} 16,800 \\ (49.1 \%) \end{array}$ | 101.8\% |
| Profit attributable to owners of parent (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 10,384 \\ (32.2 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11,292 \\ (33.6 \%) \end{array}$ | 108.7\% | $\begin{array}{r} 11,050 \\ (32.3 \%) \end{array}$ | 102.2\% |
| Profit per share (yen) | 40.18 | 43.66 | 108.7\% | 42.73 | 102.2\% |

## Net sales

- In the auto auction business, growth in fee income due to more vehicles consigned and a higher contract completion rate
- In the used vehicle purchasing and selling business (Rabbit), higher selling prices and a larger number of vehicles handled were the main reasons for sales growth
Cost of sales - Depreciation decreased and cost of goods sold increased
SG\&A expenses
- Decreased in employee salaries and bonuses, taxes and dues, advertising expenses, and other items
- Increased in enterprise tax


## 1H FY3/2016 - Consolidated Balance Sheet

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Outstanding financial soundness even as substantial earnings distributions to shareholders continue

| (Million yen) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | FY3/15 | 1H FY3/16 | Changes |
| Current assets | 73,334 | 72,588 | $\triangle 746$ |
| Cash and deposits | 49,862 | 49,082 | $\triangle 779$ |
| Receivables due from member dealers at auction | 7,885 | 5,882 | -2,002 |
| Other | 15,586 | 17,622 | 2,035 |
| Noncurrent assets | 100,771 | 102,435 | 1,663 |
| Property, plant and equipment | 91,388 | 92,595 | 1,207 |
| Intangible assets | 1,137 | 1,118 | -18 |
| Investments and other assets | 8,245 | 8,721 | 475 |
| Total assets | 174,106 | 175,023 | 917 |
| Current liabilities | 23,910 | 18,484 | -5,425 |
| Payables due to member dealers at auction | 9,753 | 8,061 | A1,691 |
| Other | 14,157 | 10,423 | -3,734 |
| Noncurrent liabilities | 6,156 | 6,169 | 12 |
| Long-term loans payable | 300 | 171 | -129 |
| Other | 5,855 | 5,997 | 142 |
| Total liabilities | 30,067 | 24,654 | -5,412 |
| Shareholders' equity | 148,654 | 155,022 | 6,368 |
| Accumulated other comprehensive income | -5,555 | -5,536 | 18 |
| Subscription rights to shares | 273 | 307 | 33 |
| Non-controlling interests | 666 | 576 | $\triangle 89$ |
| Total net assets | 144,039 | 150,369 | 6,330 |

## Current assets

- Auction receivables decreased 2.00 billion yen due to the timing of auctions held at the end of the quarter.
- Other current assets rose 2.03 billion yen reflecting an increase in negotiable deposits and other factors


## Noncurrent assets

- Property, plant and equipment increased 1.20 billion yen in part due to a payment for some of the cost of a multi-level parking structure at the Nagoya Auction Site


## Current liabilities

- Current liabilities decreased 5.42 billion yen mainly because of decreases in auction payables and income taxes payable.


## 1H FY3/2016 - Consolidated Cash Flows

(Million yen)

|  | 1H FY3/15 | 1H FY3/16 | Changes |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net cash provided by operating activities | 7,548 | 9,556 | 2,007 |
| Income before income taxes | 16,306 | 17,043 | 737 |
| Depreciation and other amortization | 1,790 | 1,605 | -185 |
| Amortization of goodwill | 5 | - | $\Delta 5$ |
| Loss ( $\mathbf{\Delta}$ gain) on sale and retirement of property, plant and equipment | 26 | 52 | 25 |
| Loss ( $\mathbf{\Delta}$ gain) on sales and retirement of intangible assets | 2 | 0 | $\Delta 2$ |
| Net change in due from/to member dealers at auction | A1,563 | 310 | 1,874 |
| Income taxes paid | -8,024 | -6,599 | 1,424 |
| Other | $\triangle 994$ | -2,855 | வ1,861 |
| Net cash provided by investing activities | -9,314 | -8,252 | 1,061 |
| Purchase of property, plant and equipment | A1,483 | -3,154 | -1,670 |
| Other | 47,830 | -5,098 | 2,732 |
| Net cash provided by financing activities | 44,898 | -5,083 | -185 |
| Net increase ( $\boldsymbol{\Delta}$ decrease) in loans payable | -169 | -129 | 39 |
| Purchases of treasury stock | - 0 | - | 0 |
| Cash dividends paid | 44,860 | -4,977 | A116 |
| Other | 131 | 23 | A108 |
| Net increase ( $\triangle$ decrease) in cash and cash equivalents | -6,663 | -3,779 | 2,883 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period | 34,618 | 29,462 | -5,155 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period | 27,954 | 25,682 | -2,271 |

Operating activities

- Income before income taxes: 17.04
billion yen
- Income taxes paid: 6.59 billion yen
- Other expenditures of 2.85 billion yen, including an increase in consumption taxes paid


## Investing activities

- Purchase of property, plant and equipment of 3.15 billion yen includes a payment for some of the cost of a multi-level parking structure at the Nagoya Auction Site
- Other is mainly 5.09 billion yen used in fixed deposits and negotiable deposits

Financing activities

- Cash dividends paid: 4.97 billion yen


## Market Overview

## First Half <br> Fiscal Year Ending March 2016



## (1) New/Used Car Registrations in Japan (April to September)



New car registrations in 1H FY3/16 decreased $5.8 \%$ to 2.32 million units from one year earlier

- Ordinary car registrations were up slightly but mini car registrations fell sharply because of a mini car tax increase in April 2015

Used car registrations in 1H FY3/16 increased $1.7 \%$ to 3.15 million units from one year earlier

- Small increases for both ordinary cars and mini cars


## (2) Used car exports (April to September)

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■Africa $\quad$ Myanmar ■UAE ■NZ Sri Lanka ■Chile ■Russia ■Pakistan - Other


Used car exports in 1H FY3/16 decreased 3.5\% to 635,000 units from one year earlier

- Major destination countries

Africa 151,000 (up 5.9\%), Myanmar 71,000 (down 18.0\%), UAE 61,000 (up 17.4\%),
NZ 57,000 (up 5.3\%)
Exports to Russia fell $64.3 \%$ from one year earlier to 27,000 because of the change in the foreign exchange rate

- Countries with large increases

Philippines 17,000 (up 16.6\%), Bangladesh 15,000 (up 46.4\%),
Trinidad and Tobago 9,000 (up 43.6\%), Jamaica 8,000 (up 70.2\%)

## (3) Auto Auction Market (April to September)

$\llbracket$ Vehicles consigned $\quad$ Vehicles contracted


# Results of Operations First Half <br> Fiscal Year Ending March 2016 (Segment Information) 



## Auto Auction Business (1) - Results of Operations (1H)

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Net sales increased $5.0 \%$ to 25,515 million yen from one year earlier

- Vehicles consigned up $1.9 \%$ to 1,147 thousand; contracted vehicles up $3.9 \%$ to 754 thousand; contract completion rate increased from 64.5\% to 65.8\%
- The off-site successful bid ratio was $49.2 \%$ ( $50.7 \%$ one year earlier)

Operating income increased $7.1 \%$ to 16,124 million yen from one year earlier

- Decrease in depreciation expenses
- Increase in cost of goods sold
*The basis of aggregating successful bids received via satellite TV for calculating the off-site successful bid ratio is changed.


## Auto Auction Business (2) - USS Group Performance (1H)



## Auto Auction Business (3) - Market Share (January to June)

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USS Market Share


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## Average Price of Vehicles Contracted



## Auto Auction Business (5) -Vehicles Consigned and Consignment Fees


*Consignment fee per vehicle is calculated before eliminations for consolidation.
Consignment fee per vehicle decreased by 87 yen to 5,380 yen from one year earlier

- Increased share of vehicle consignment of major members who pay lower consignment fees (negative effect)
- Consignment fees were reduced at certain sections in Okayama, Shizuoka and some other Auction sites. (negative effect)


## Auto Auction Business (6) - Vehicles Contracted and Contract Completion Fees


*Contract Completion fee per vehicle is calculated before eliminations for consolidation.
Contract completion fee per vehicle increased by 83 yen to 7,941 yen from one year earlier

- Contract completion fees were raised at certain sections in Tokyo, Okayama and some other Auction sites. (positive effect)
- Increased share of vehicle contracted of major members who pay lower contract completion fees (negative effect)


## Auto Auction Business (7) - Vehicles Contracted and Contract Completion Fees



Successful bid fee per vehicle increased by 318 yen to 11,428 yen from one year earlier

- Increased the off-site successful bid fee and negotiated purchase fee in July 2015
(Off-site successful bid fee was raised from 11,000 yen to 12,000 yen for satellite TV and from 16,000 yen to 17,000 yen for the Internet)
- The off-site successful bid ratio was 49.2\% (50.7\% one year earlier)


## Used Vehicle Purchasing and Selling Business - Results of Operations (1H)

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Rabbit sales increased $4.6 \%$ to 3,338 million yen and operating income increased $103.9 \%$ to 287 million yen

- Sales and earnings up because of the higher gross profit per vehicle due to the increase in auction prices and the larger number of vehicles handled
Sales of accident-damaged vehicles decreased $4.8 \%$ to 1,546 million yen and operating income decreased $25.1 \%$ to
29 million yen
- A smaller number of vehicles handled was the main cause


## Other Business (Recycling Business) - Results of Operations (1H)

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ARBIZ sales increased $2.1 \%$ to 2,590 million yen and operating income decreased $44.0 \%$ to 165 million yen

- Sales up due to higher sales of automotive parts but earnings down due to low prices for ferrous scrap

CAR QUEST Toyo sales increased $7.3 \%$ to 636 million yen and there was a 18 million yen operating loss compared with 41 million yen of operating income one year earlier

- Sales were up for colored elastic pavement products, the main product in this business
- Operating loss caused mainly by a higher cost of raw materials and expenses for the disposal of old inventory item USS Logistics International Service sales decreased $5.8 \%$ to 287 million yen and operating income decreased $29.9 \%$ to 43 million yen
- A decline in the number of vehicles handled brought down sales and earnings
*On October 1, 2015, the rubber recycling business (Toyo Division) of CAR QUEST Co., Ltd. was divested and transferred to a newly established company called


# Forecast for FY3/2016 Earnings Distributions Medium-term Value Creation Model 

## FY3/2016 - Consolidated Forecast

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Revision to the FY3/2016 forecast due to the planned sale of Toyo Rubber Chips (Million yen)

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { FY3/2015 } \\ \text { Actual } \end{gathered}$ | FY3/2016 Initial plan (May 13, 2015) | Change | FY3/2016 Revised Plan (Nov. 9, 2015) | Revised Plan vs FY3/2015 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net Sales | 67,466 | 71,200 | 41,200 | 70,000 | 103.8\% |
| Cost of sales (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 25,774 \\ (38.2 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 27,315 \\ (38.4 \%) \end{array}$ | A1,026 | $\begin{array}{r} 26,289 \\ (37.6 \%) \end{array}$ | 102.0\% |
| Gross profit (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 41,691 \\ (61.8 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 43,884 \\ (61.6 \%) \end{array}$ | -173 | $\begin{array}{r} 43,710 \\ (62.4 \%) \end{array}$ | 104.8\% |
| Selling, general and administrative expenses (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 8,279 \\ (12.3 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8,884 \\ (12.5 \%) \end{array}$ | -373 | $\begin{array}{r} 8,510 \\ (12.2 \%) \end{array}$ | 102.8\% |
| Operating income (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 33,411 \\ (49.5 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 35,000 \\ (49.2 \%) \end{array}$ | 200 | $\begin{array}{r} 35,200 \\ (50.3 \%) \end{array}$ | 105.4\% |
| Ordinary income (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 34,027 \\ (50.4 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 35,600 \\ (50.0 \%) \end{array}$ | 300 | $\begin{array}{r} 35,900 \\ (51.3 \%) \end{array}$ | 105.5\% |
| Profit attributable to owners of parent (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 21,661 \\ (32.1 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 23,400 \\ (32.9 \%) \end{array}$ | - | $\begin{array}{r} 23,400 \\ (33.4 \%) \end{array}$ | 108.0\% |
| Profit per share (yen) | 83.79 | 90.49 | - | 90.48 | 108.0\% |

Plan for auction volume in FY3/16

|  | Number of consigned vehicles FY3/2016 | YoY | Number of contract completions FY3/2016 | YoY | Contract completion rate |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | FY3/2016 | FY3/2015 |
| Initial plan <br> (Announced May 13, 2015) | 2.510 million unit | 106.7\% | 1.556 million unit | 100.7\% | 62.0\% | 65.7\% |
| Revised | A 0.058 million unit | - 2.5\% | 0.006 million unit | +0.4\% | +1.7\% | - |
| Revised Plan <br> (Announced Nov. 9, 2015) | 2.452 million unit | 104.2\% | 1.562 million unit | 101.1\% | 63.7\% | 65.7\% |

## Earnings Distributions (1) - Dividend Policy

Basic dividend policy is a consolidated payout ratio of at least 45\%
Plan to pay 40.8 yen dividend per share for FY3/16 (up 3.1 yen)
Planning on the $16^{\text {th }}$ consecutive dividend increase since USS shares were listed

*Dividend per share is retroactively adjusted to the number of shares outstanding as of the effective date (October 1, 2013) of the stock split.

## Earnings Distributions (2) - Stock Repurchases and Total Earnings Distribution Ratio

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|  | FY3/00 | FY3/01 | FY3/02 | FY3/03 | FY3/04 | FY3/05 | FY3/06 | FY3/07 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Profit attributable to owners of parent | 3,543 | 4,493 | 5,489 | 7,645 | 8,907 | 11,814 | 13,203 | 14,390 |
| Dividend Paid | 88 | 532 | 802 | 1,095 | 1,529 | 2,049 | 2,589 | 3,204 |
| Stock <br> Repurchased | 42 | - | 0 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 1,757 | 4,525 |
| Total amount returned to shareholders | 130 | 532 | 802 | 1,100 | 1,532 | 2,051 | 4,346 | 7,730 |
| Total Earnings Distribution Ratio | 3.6\% | 11.9\% | 14.6\% | 14.4\% | 16.7\% | 17.2\% | 33.0\% | 53.8\% |


|  | FY3/08 | FY3/09 | FY3/10 | FY3/11 | FY3/12 | FY3/13 | FY3/14 | FY3/15 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Profit attributable to owners of parent | 15,200 | 12,003 | 12,717 | 13,971 | 17,054 | 18,346 | 19,966 | 21,661 |
| Dividend Paid | 4,641 | 5,126 | 5,059 | 5,601 | 6,736 | 7,968 | 8,995 | 9,773 |
| Stock <br> Repurchased | 0 | 8,940 | 4,671 | 4,950 | 10,815 | 12,309 | 0 | 0 |
| Total amount returned to shareholders | 4,641 | 14,066 | 9,731 | 10,552 | 17,551 | 20,278 | 8,995 | 9,773 |
| Total Earnings Distribution Ratio | 30.5\% | 117.6\% | 76.8\% | 75.6\% | 103.5\% | 111.4\% | 45.1\% | 45.1\% |

*Stock repurchased does not include purchases by the trust for the USS employee stock ownership plan trust.
*Figures for the fiscal year ended March 2014 are retroactively adjusted to reflect changes in accounting methods.

## Medium-term Management Policy and Value Creation Model

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## Aiming for growth by handling more next-generation automobiles

There is no doubt that sales of next-generation vehicles will grow even faster as countries take actions to achieve a low carbon society. We can expect to see more sales of hybrid, electric, plug-in hybrid, fuel cell, clean diesel, compressed natural gas and other types of automobiles.
Clearly, more sales also mean a larger volume of these next-generation vehicles on the used car market.


Japanese government targets for automobile use in 2020 and 2030

## Medium-term Management Policy and Value Creation Model

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## Aiming for growth by handling more next-generation automobiles

There are currently many uncertainties about the numbers of next-generation vehicles on the road and the impact of these vehicles on Japan's used car market.
Next-generation vehicles use a variety of power sources. The value of the power unit generally changes very little during a vehicle's first 10 years. The amount of interior and exterior damage will have the greatest effect on the price of nextgeneration used cars.
This is why we believe that our strategy for conventional vehicles will be effective for the future as well when many more next-generation vehicles are on the road.


## Medium-term Management Policy and Value Creation Model

## Automobile auctions for the automobile market of the future

Selling a next-generation vehicle from one individual to another is difficult for a number of reasons. Complexity of procedures, uncertainty about quality and high prices are three examples of barriers to these transactions. As a result, we believe that most sales of used next-generation vehicles will be between companies that use the automobile auction infrastructure.


## Medium-term Management Policy and Value Creation Model

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## The growing importance of Japan's used car exports

Used car exports from Japan fell sharply during the global financial crisis. Since this downturn, the volume of these exports has been climbing because of strong demand in emerging countries despite the effects of import restrictions in Russia and some other countries.
There are no prospects for significant growth of Japan's used car market. Consequently, the used car export market will probably remain a major source of support for the automobile auction market.

In addition, import duties on used vehicles may be eliminated after ratification of the TPP agreement. Purchase prices of used vehicles are also likely to increase as exports get a boost. Furthermore, the vehicle replacement cycle can also be expected to shorten as consumers shift to new-generation vehicles.


## Strategic Goals Based on Medium-term Management Policy

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## Creating more value for members primarily by using auction sites

Market conditions for used cars and automobile auctions will change as people buy more next-generation vehicles, Japan's used car exports increase and other events take place. USS will respond with flexibility to these changes while continuing to make investments in its nationwide network of auction sites.

Our goal is the number-one market share by a wide margin as we offer members even more convenience by creating the best automobile auction facilities in each region of Japan.


## Strategic Goals Based on Medium-term Management Policy

- Pricing strategy
$>$ Use a fee rebate system created for each auction site in order to increase the number of vehicles consigned at high-volume sites
> In July, raised the external successful bid fee by 1,000 yen for both satellite TV and Internet auction participants
(In FY3/16, expected to raise fee income by 566 million yen between July 2015 and March 2016)
> In July, established a flat 10,000 yen fee for negotiated purchases at all 17 auction sites
(In FY3/16, expected to raise fee income by 420 million yen between July 2015 and March 2016)


## Strategic Goals Based on Medium-term Management Policy

■ Communication network strategy
> A used car export support site will be constructed as part of the Internet CIS data service. The goal is to provide settlement, transport and all other support services for used car exports.

■ Other
> Consolidated subsidiary CAR QUEST Co., Ltd. divested its rubber recycling business on October 1, 2015 and plans to sell the company newly established to operate this business to ENVIPRO HOLDINGS Inc., a large resource recycling company, on December 1.
> USS made Japan Bike Auction Co., Ltd., which was a $30 \%$-owned affiliate, a subsidiary by raising its ownership to $66 \%$. This company operates used motorcycle auctions by using the USS Yokohama Auction Site and USS Kobe Auction Site.
(An announcement will be made once the effect of this change on consolidated performance has been determined.)

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## Supplemental Data

## Consolidated performance of 1H FY3/2016



## 1H FY3/2016 Reasons for Change in Operating Income (Actual)

Reasons for change in operating income

| Net Sales |  | Cost of sales |  | SG\&A expenses |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Increase in vehicles consigned | 0.37 bn | Increase in cost of goods sold | 0.50bn | Increase in enterprise tax | 0.07bn |
| Increase in contract completion rate | 0.27 bn | Decrease in depreciation | 40.15bn | Decrease in employee salaries and bonuses | 40.05bn |
| Increase in fee rates | 0.20bn |  |  | Decrease in advertising expenses | -0.03bn |
| Used vehicle sales/purchases | 0.14 bn |  |  | Decrease in taxes and dues | -0.03bn |
|  |  |  |  | Decrease in expenses for supplies | 40.02bn |



## 2H FY3/2016 Reasons for change in operating income (Forecast)

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Reasons for change in operating income

| Net Sales |  |
| :--- | ---: |
| Increase in vehicles consigned | 1.38 bn |
| Increase in fee rates | 0.79 bn |
| Used vehicle sales/purchases | 0.32 bn |
| Decrease in contract completion rate | $\mathbf{\Delta 1 . 1 8 \mathrm { bn }}$ |
| Change in scope of consolidation (Toyo) | $\mathbf{\Delta 0} 0.78 \mathrm{bn}$ |

## Cost of sales

| Increase in cost of goods sold | 0.36 bn |
| :--- | ---: |
| Increase in business consignment expenses | 0.10 bn |
| Increase in employee salaries and bonuses | 0.07 bn |
| Change in scope of consolidation (Toyo) | $\mathbf{\Delta 0 . 6 7 \mathrm { bn }}$ |

## SG\&A expenses

| Increase in enterprise tax | 0.10 bn |
| :--- | :--- |
| Increase in taxes and dues | 0.10 bn |
| Increase in employee salaries and bonuses | 0.09 bn |
| Increase in sales promotion expenses | 0.05 bn |
| Change in scope of consolidation (Toyo) | $\mathbf{\Delta 0 . 0 7 \mathrm { bn }}$ |



## FY3/2016 Reasons for Change in Operating Income (Forecast)

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Reasons for change in operating income


From April 1, 2015 to September 30, 2015
(Number of auctions held, Vehicles)
Number of auctions Number of consigned vehicles Number of contract completions Contract completion rate
1HFY3/16 1HFY3/15 1HFY3/16 1HFY3/15 Changes 1HFY3/16 1HFY3/15

| Tokyo | 24 | 24 | 313,960 | 311,554 | 0.8\% | 225,988 | 216,151 | 4.6\% | 72.0\% | 69.4\% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Nagoya | 25 | 24 | 219,792 | 207,338 | 6.0\% | 136,740 | 124,255 | 10.0\% | 62.2\% | 59.9\% |
| Kyushu | 25 | 24 | 94,157 | 89,788 | 4.9\% | 57,056 | 52,857 | 7.9\% | 60.6\% | 58.9\% |
| Yokohama | 25 | 26 | 92,772 | 95,860 | - 3.2\% | 62,404 | 65,944 | - 5.4\% | 67.3\% | 68.8\% |
| Sapporo | 25 | 24 | 71,033 | 68,708 | 3.4\% | 42,275 | 41,098 | 2.9\% | 59.5\% | 59.8\% |
| R-Nagoya | 24 | 24 | 60,298 | 53,751 | 12.2\% | 51,384 | 46,993 | 9.3\% | 85.2\% | 87.4\% |
| Osaka | 24 | 24 | 57,102 | 61,759 | - 7.5\% | 35,536 | 38,172 | -6.9\% | 62.2\% | 61.8\% |
| Shizuoka | 24 | 24 | 35,122 | 40,223 | -12.7\% | 20,422 | 23,145 | -11.8\% | 58.1\% | 57.5\% |
| Okayama | 24 | 24 | 33,609 | 35,137 | -4.3\% | 21,853 | 20,818 | 5.0\% | 65.0\% | 59.2\% |
| Tohoku | 26 | 24 | 33,513 | 34,419 | - $2.6 \%$ | 25,393 | 24,681 | 2.9\% | 75.8\% | 71.7\% |
| Gunma | 24 | 24 | 31,054 | 29,856 | 4.0\% | 20,502 | 20,122 | 1.9\% | 66.0\% | 67.4\% |
| Kobe | 26 | 24 | 29,667 | 21,185 | 40.0\% | 16,359 | 12,323 | 32.8\% | 55.1\% | 58.2\% |
| Saitama | 24 | 24 | 23,104 | 25,454 | - 9.2\% | 12,885 | 14,027 | -8.1\% | 55.8\% | 55.1\% |
| Fukuoka | 25 | 24 | 21,604 | 20,869 | 3.5\% | 9,506 | 9,059 | 4.9\% | 44.0\% | 43.4\% |
| Niigata | 25 | 24 | 21,558 | 20,103 | 7.2\% | 10,655 | 9,990 | 6.7\% | 49.4\% | 49.7\% |
| Hokuriku | 24 | 24 | 9,149 | 10,091 | - 9.3\% | 5,731 | 6,702 | -14.5\% | 62.6\% | 66.4\% |
| Total | 394 | 386 | 1,147,494 | 1,126,095 | 1.9\% | 754,689 | 726,337 | 3.9\% | 65.8\% | 64.5\% |

## Monthly USS Group Auto Auction Results (Fiscal Year)

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(Vehicles, \%)

|  |  | Apr. | May | Jun. | Jul. | Aug. | Sep. | First Half | Oct. | Nov. | Dec. | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | Second Half | Fiscal Year |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| No. of Consigned Vehicles | FY3/14 | 210,673 | 169,208 | 177,966 | 178,045 | 161,830 | 183,512 | 1,081,234 | 211,744 | 207,958 | 165,509 | 177,304 | 201,844 | 259,596 | 1,223,955 | 2,305,189 |
|  | YoY Change | 46.9 | ©3.6 | -888 | ⓪.7 | 3.5 | ②.0 | ©3.4 | 15.5 | 12.5 | 17.9 | 21.4 | 13.2 | 4.9 | 13.3 | 4.8 |
|  | FY3/15 | 225,022 | 181,292 | 177,858 | 193,656 | 157,114 | 191,153 | 1,126,095 | 220,851 | 195,116 | 167,056 | 177,089 | 206,068 | 260,866 | 1,227,046 | 2,353,141 |
|  | YoY Change | 6.8 | 7.1 | © 0.1 | 8.8 | -2.9 | 4.2 | 4.1 | 4.3 | ©6.2 | 0.9 | © 0.1 | 2.1 | 0.5 | 0.3 | 2.1 |
|  | FY3/16 | 240,027 | 180,560 | 188,060 | 198,744 | 143,557 | 196,546 | 1,147,494 | 221,602 |  |  |  |  |  | 221,602 | 1,369,096 |
|  | YoY Change | 6.7 | © 0.4 | 5.7 | 2.6 | -8.6 | 2.8 | 1.9 | 0.3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| No. of Contracted Vehicles | FY3/14 | 132,619 | 116,364 | 120,690 | 121,819 | 109,824 | 124,352 | 725,668 | 139,285 | 134,837 | 108,286 | 122,646 | 139,446 | 170,839 | 815,339 | 1,541,007 |
|  | YoY Change | 7.5 | 11.7 | 3.0 | 8.1 | 10.2 | 2.3 | 6.9 | 17.2 | 11.2 | 18.1 | 18.9 | 8.3 | 4.9 | 12.2 | 9.7 |
|  | FY3/15 | 134,692 | 115,560 | 115,299 | 125,786 | 104,082 | 130,918 | 726,337 | 146,176 | 127,786 | 108,731 | 121,659 | 142,503 | 172,041 | 818,896 | 1,545,233 |
|  | YoY Change | 1.6 | ( 0.7 | ©4.5 | 3.3 | © 5.2 | 5.3 | 0.1 | 4.9 | ©5.2 | 0.4 | 40.8 | 2.2 | 0.7 | 0.4 | 0.3 |
|  | FY3/16 | 146,183 | 116,850 | 128,131 | 134,479 | 99,117 | 129,929 | 754,689 | 146,362 |  |  |  |  |  | 146,362 | 901,051 |
|  | YoY Chang | 8.5 | 1.1 | 11.1 | 6.9 | -4.8 | (0.8 | 3.9 | 0.1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Contract Completion Rate | FY3/14 | 63.0 | 68.8 | 67.8 | 68.4 | 67.9 | 67.8 | 67.1 | 65.8 | 64.8 | 65.4 | 69.2 | 69.1 | 65.8 | 66.6 | 66.8 |
|  | FY3/15 | 59.9 | 63.7 | 64.8 | 65.0 | 66.2 | 68.5 | 64.5 | 66.2 | 65.5 | 65.1 | 68.7 | 69.2 | 65.9 | 66.7 | 65.7 |
|  | FY3/16 | 60.9 | 64.7 | 68.1 | 67.7 | 69.0 | 66.1 | 65.8 | 66.0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## 5 year Consolidated Performance

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|  | (Million yen) |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Results |  |  |  |  | Forecast |
|  | FY3/2011 | FY3/2012 | FY3/2013 | FY3/2014*3 | FY3/2015 | FY3/2016 |
| <Auto Auction Business> |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Consignment Fees | 10,822 | 12,154 | 11,817 | 12,241 | 12,636 | 13,176 |
| Contract Completion Fees | 10,559 | 10,984 | 10,873 | 11,958 | 12,083 | 12,303 |
| Successful Bidding Fees | 14,142 | 15,026 | 15,626 | 17,190 | 17,096 | 18,174 |
| Revenues from Sales of Goods | 848 | 805 | 624 | 905 | 1,166 | 1,580 |
| Other Revenues | 6,804 | 6,869 | 6,967 | 7,184 | 7,299 | 7,596 |
| Auto Auction Business Total | 43,177 | 45,840 | 45,909 | 49,479 | 50,281 | 52,831 |
| <Used Vehicle Sales/Purchases Business> |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Revenues from Used Vehicle Sales/Purchases | 8,456 | 8,535 | 8,106 | 7,867 | 6,736 | 7,211 |
| Revenues from Accident-damaged Vehicle Sales/Purchases | 4,038 | 3,940 | 3,438 | 3,754 | 3,347 | 3,434 |
| Used Vehicle Sales/Purchases Business Total | 12,494 | 12,476 | 11,545 | 11,621 | 10,083 | 10,645 |
| <Other Business> |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Revenues from Recycling End-of-Life Vehicles and Other Items | 4,566 | 4,275 | 4,016 | 4,816 | 5,022 | 5,172 |
| Revenues from Recycling Scrap Rubbers | 1,178 | 1,250 | 1,335 | 1,498 | 1,383 | 636 |
| Revenues from Used Vehicle Export Clearing Service | - | 166 | 437 | 500 | 609 | 628 |
| Other Revenues | - | - | - | 32 | 84 | 84 |
| Other Business Total | 5,745 | 5,692 | 5,789 | 6,848 | 7,100 | 6,522 |
| Net Sales | 61,417 | 64,009 | 63,243 | 67,949 | 67,466 | 70,000 |
| Operating Income | 24,332 | 27,952 | 29,304 | 32,680 | 33,411 | 35,200 |
| Ordinary Income | 24,643 | 28,588 | 29,884 | 33,275 | 34,027 | 35,900 |
| Profit attributable to owners of parent | 13,971 | 17,054 | 18,346 | 19,966 | 21,661 | 23,400 |
| Auto Auction Business |  |  |  | (Vehicles, \%, Yen, Companies, No. of shops) |  |  |
| No. of Consigned Vehicles | 2,121,948 | 2,252,566 | 2,199,797 | 2,305,189 | 2,353,141 | 2,452,000 |
| No. of Contracted Vehicles | 1,361,599 | 1,414,813 | 1,405,072 | 1,541,007 | 1,545,233 | 1,562,000 |
| Contract Completion Rate | 64.2 | 62.8 | 63.9 | 66.8 | 65.7 | 63.7 |
| Consignment Fees per Vehicle consigned *1 | 5,139 | 5,432 | 5,407 | 5,344 | 5,405 | 5,412 |
| Contract Completion Fees per Vehicle Contracts completed *1 | 7,831 | 7,832 | 7,802 | 7,821 | 7,882 | 7,943 |
| Successful Bidding Fees per Vehicle Contracts completed *1 | 10,393 | 10,626 | 11,124 | 11,157 | 11,067 | 11,638 |
| On-site Auction Members | 45,563 | 44,796 | 45,139 | 45,712 | 46,307 | 46,900 |
| CIS (Internet) Members | 24,688 | 25,957 | 27,072 | 28,007 | 28,815 | 29,487 |
| TV (Satellite Auction) Members | 4,248 | 3,921 | 3,651 | 3,486 | 3,291 | 3,100 |
| Rabbit Chain Shops | 176 | 180 | 180 | 171 | 170 | 173 |
| Capital Expenditures and Depreciation |  |  |  |  |  | (Million yen) |
| Capital Expenditures (Terms of Cash Flows) *2 | 7,629 | 804 | 1,620 | 8,858 | 2,490 | 10,000 |
| Depreciation | 4,529 | 3,885 | 3,432 | 3,672 | 3,397 | 3,281 |

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## Major Financial Indicators

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## Results of Operations

| Net Sales | 50,484 | 60,243 | 64,568 | 69,801 | 66,549 | 59,849 | 61,417 | 64,009 | 63,243 | 67,949 | 67,466 | - 0.7\% | 2.9\% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Operating Income | 20,673 | 23,103 | 24,817 | 27,200 | 22,568 | 21,940 | 24,332 | 27,952 | 29,304 | 32,680 | 33,411 | 2.2\% | 4.9\% |
| Ordinary Income | 21,096 | 23,544 | 25,360 | 27,490 | 22,503 | 22,511 | 24,643 | 28,588 | 29,884 | 33,275 | 34,027 | 2.3\% | 4.9\% |
| Net Income | 11,814 | 13,203 | 14,390 | 15,200 | 12,003 | 12,717 | 13,971 | 17,054 | 18,346 | 19,966 | 21,661 | 8.5\% | 6.2\% |
| Financial Position |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Assets | 115,704 | 131,908 | 146,172 | 150,737 | 138,370 | 142,164 | 151,636 | 154,639 | 154,543 | 164,182 | 174,106 | 6.0\% | 4.2\% |
| Cash and Deposits | 15,818 | 19,995 | 21,149 | 26,280 | 18,445 | 29,681 | 30,980 | 36,840 | 37,033 | 46,318 | 49,862 | 7.7\% | 12.2\% |
| Total Liabilities | 29,901 | 33,841 | 40,184 | 33,159 | 23,428 | 23,773 | 29,689 | 33,541 | 34,866 | 32,080 | 30,067 | - 6.3\% | 0.1\% |
| Interst Bearing Debt | 7,490 | 5,200 | 5,355 | 3,064 | 2,716 | 1,806 | 1,097 | 1,746 | 1,148 | 670 | 360 | -46.2\% | - 26.2\% |
| Total Net Assets | 85,803 | 98,067 | 105,988 | 117,577 | 114,941 | 118,390 | 121,947 | 121,097 | 119,676 | 132,102 | 144,039 | 9.0\% | 5.3\% |
| Owners' Equity | 84,877 | 97,391 | 104,985 | 117,130 | 114,771 | 118,146 | 121,638 | 120,582 | 119,112 | 131,348 | 143,098 | 8.9\% | 5.4\% |

## Per Share Information

| EPS (Yen) | 37.76 | 40.70 | 44.71 | 47.51 | 38.27 | 41.88 | 47.80 | 60.92 | 69.35 | 77.29 | 83.79 | 8.4\% | 8.3\% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Dividend per Share (Yen) | 6.50 | 8.00 | 10.00 | 14.50 | 16.50 | 16.80 | 19.20 | 24.40 | 30.75 | 34.70 | 37.70 | 8.6\% | 19.2\% |
| Others |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Operating Margin (\%) | 40.9 | 38.4 | 38.4 | 39.0 | 33.9 | 36.7 | 39.6 | 43.7 | 46.3 | 48.1 | 49.5 | - | - |
| ROE (\%) | 15.5 | 14.5 | 14.2 | 13.7 | 10.4 | 10.9 | 11.7 | 14.1 | 15.3 | 15.9 | 15.8 | - | - |
| ROA (\%) | 20.3 | 19.0 | 18.2 | 18.5 | 15.6 | 16.0 | 16.8 | 18.7 | 19.3 | 20.9 | 20.1 | - | - |
| Dividend Payout Ratio (\%) | 17.2 | 19.7 | 22.4 | 30.5 | 43.1 | 40.1 | 40.2 | 40.0 | 44.3 | 45.1 | 45.1 | - | - |
| Owners' Equity Ratio (\%) | 73.4 | 73.8 | 71.8 | 77.7 | 82.9 | 83.1 | 80.2 | 78.0 | 77.1 | 80.0 | 82.2 | - | - |
| Treasury Stock (shs.) | 17,890 | 1,440,060 | 6,717,730 | 6,718,010 | 21,056,870 | 29,364,740 | 23,647,810 | 41,280,210 | 55,067,530 | 54,828,566 | 54,691,235 | (0.3\% | 123.1\% |
| On-site Auction Members (Companies) | 34,420 | 37,157 | 40,959 | 42,751 | 43,307 | 44,317 | 45,563 | 44,796 | 45,139 | 45,712 | 46,307 | 1.3\% | 3.0\% |

*Per share information and treasury stock has been retroactively adjusted for the stock split on October 1, 2013.
*Figures for the fiscal year ended March 2014 are retroactively adjusted to reflect changes in accounting methods.

## Supplemental Data

## Market Overview of 2Q FY3/2016



## Market Overview - Automobile Trading (1) < July to September >

New car and used car registrations


## Market Overview - Automobile Trading (2) < July to September >

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## USS Group Auto Auction Performance < July to September >




## 2Q FY3/2016 Financial Highlights

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Consolidated Total

|  |  |  |  | (Million yen) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{gathered} 2 Q \\ \text { FY3/14 } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 2Q } \\ \text { FY3/15 } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 2Q } \\ \text { FY3/16 } \end{gathered}$ | YoY Change |
| Net sales | 15,978 | 15,971 | 16,638 | 104.2\% |
| Operating income | 7,173 | 7,677 | 8,140 | 106.0\% |

*Figures for 2Q FY3/14 are retroactively adjusted to reflect changes in
accounting methods.

Used Vehicle Sales/Purchases Business

|  |  |  |  | (Million yen) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{gathered} 2 Q \\ \text { FY3/14 } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 2Q } \\ \text { FY3/15 } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 2Q } \\ \text { FY3/16 } \end{gathered}$ | YoY Change |
| Net sales | 2,847 | 2,428 | 2,462 | 101.4\% |
| Operating income | 192 | 84 | 179 | 210.7\% |

Auto Auction Business

|  |  |  |  | (Million yen) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { 2Q } \\ \text { FY3/14 } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 2Q } \\ \text { FY3/15 } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 2Q } \\ \mathrm{FY} 3 / 16 \end{gathered}$ | YoY Change |
| Net sales | 11,662 | 11,986 | 12,493 | 104.2\% |
| Operating income | 6,822 | 7,396 | 7,848 | 106.1\% |

*Figures for 2Q FY3/14 are retroactively adjusted to reflect changes in accounting methods.

Other Business (Recycling etc.)

|  | $\begin{gathered} 2 Q \\ \text { FY3/14 } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 2Q } \\ \text { FY3/15 } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 2Q } \\ \text { FY3/16 } \end{gathered}$ | YoY Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | 1,612 | 1,714 | 1,829 | 106.7\% |
| Operating income | 125 | 157 | 57 | 36.6\% |

## Supplemental Data

## Consolidated performance of FY3/2015



## FY3/2015 - Consolidated Income Statement

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Operating, ordinary and net income all reached record highs for the fourth consecutive year
(Million yen)

|  | FY3/2014 | FY3/2015 | Year on year | Plan <br> (As of Nov. 11, 2014) | VS. plan |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net Sales | 67,949 | 67,466 | 99.3\% | 67,500 | 99.9\% |
| Cost of sales (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 26,459 \\ (38.9 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 25,774 \\ (38.2 \%) \end{array}$ | 97.4\% | $\begin{array}{r} 25,868 \\ (38.3 \%) \end{array}$ | 99.6\% |
| Gross profit (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 41,489 \\ (61.1 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 41,691 \\ (61.8 \%) \end{array}$ | 100.5\% | $\begin{array}{r} 41,631 \\ (61.7 \%) \end{array}$ | 100.1\% |
| Selling, general and administrative expenses (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 8,808 \\ (13.0 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8,279 \\ (12.3 \%) \end{array}$ | 94.0\% | $\begin{array}{r} 8,631 \\ (12.8 \%) \end{array}$ | 95.9\% |
| Operating income (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 32,680 \\ (48.1 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 33,411 \\ (49.5 \%) \end{array}$ | 102.2\% | $\begin{array}{r} 33,000 \\ (48.9 \%) \end{array}$ | 101.2\% |
| Ordinary income (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 33,275 \\ (49.0 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 34,027 \\ (50.4 \%) \end{array}$ | 102.3\% | $\begin{array}{r} 33,500 \\ (49.6 \%) \end{array}$ | 101.6\% |
| Net income (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 19,966 \\ (29.4 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 21,661 \\ (32.1 \%) \end{array}$ | 108.5\% | $\begin{array}{r} 21,300 \\ (31.6 \%) \end{array}$ | 101.7\% |
| Net income per share (yen) | 77.29 | 83.79 | 108.4\% | 82.40 | 101.7\% |

*Figures for the fiscal year ended March 2014 are retroactively adjusted to reflect changes in accounting methods.

## Net sales

- Higher fees in the auto auction business because of more vehicles consigned
- Sales down in the used vehicle purchasing and selling business mainly because of smaller volume of vehicles handled
- Sales were up in the recycling and others as the volume handled increased

Cost of sales

- Merchandise cost of sales declined in the used vehicle purchasing and selling business

SG\&A expenses

- Down due to declines in taxes and dues, employee salaries and bonuses, sales promotion expenses, and other items


## FY3/2015 - Consolidated Balance Sheet

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Outstanding financial soundness even as substantial earnings distributions to shareholders continue
(Million yen)

|  | $\mathrm{FY} / 2014$ | $\mathrm{FY} 3 / 2015$ | Changes |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Current assets | 60,477 | 73,334 | 12,856 |
| Cash and deposits | 46,318 | 49,862 | 3,544 |
| Receivables due from member | 8,701 | 7,885 | $\mathbf{\Delta 8 1 6}$ |
| dealers at auction | 5,458 | 15,586 | 10,128 |
| Other | 103,704 | 100,771 | $\mathbf{4 2 , 9 3 3}$ |
| Noncurrent assets | 92,337 | 91,388 | $\mathbf{\Delta 9 4 8}$ |
| Property, plant and equipment | 1,068 | 1,137 | 69 |
| Intangible assets | 10,299 | 8,245 | $\mathbf{\Delta 2 , 0 5 3}$ |
| Investments and other assets | 164,182 | 174,106 | 9,923 |
| Total assets | 25,657 | 23,910 | $\mathbf{\Delta 1 , 7 4 6}$ |
| Current liabilities | 11,852 | 9,753 | $\mathbf{\Delta 2 , 0 9 9}$ |
| Payables due to member dealers |  |  |  |
| at auction | 80 | - | $\mathbf{4 8 0}$ |
| Short-term loans payable | 13,724 | 14,157 | 433 |
| Other | 6,423 | 6,156 | $\mathbf{\Delta 2 6 6}$ |
| Noncurrent liabilities | 549 | 300 | $\mathbf{\Delta 2 4 8}$ |
| Long-term loans payable | 5,873 | 5,855 | $\mathbf{4 1 7}$ |
| Other | 32,080 | 30,067 | $\mathbf{\Delta 2 , 0 1 3}$ |
| Total liabilities | 136,466 | 148,654 | 12,187 |
| Shareholders' equity | $\mathbf{4 , 1 1 7}$ | $\mathbf{\Delta 5 , 5 5 5}$ | $\mathbf{\Delta 4 3 7}$ |
| Accumulated other comprehensive |  |  |  |
| income | 242 | 273 | 31 |
| Subscription rights to shares | 510 | 666 | 155 |
| Minority interests | 132,102 | 144,039 | 11,936 |
| Total net assets |  |  |  |

## Current assets

- Up 3.54 billion yen in cash and deposits
- Other current assets rose 10.12 billion yen reflecting an increase in negotiable deposits and other factors


## Noncurrent assets

- Down 2.05 billion yen mainly due to the transfer of some investments to time deposits maturing within one year and to sales of securities
*Figures for the fiscal year ended March 2014 are retroactively adjusted to reflect changes in accounting methods.


## FY3/2015 - Consolidated Cash Flows

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(Million yen)

|  | FY3/2014 | FY3/2015 | Changes |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net cash provided by operating activities | 26,642 | 24,287 | -2,354 |
| Income before income taxes and minority interests | 32,676 | 34,162 | 1,485 |
| Depreciation and other amortization | 3,823 | 3,532 | -291 |
| Amortization of goodwill | 20 | 5 | A14 |
| Loss ( $\mathbf{\Delta}$ gain) on sale and retirement of property, plant and equipment | 199 | 64 | -135 |
| Loss ( $\mathbf{\Delta}$ gain) on sales and retirement of intangible assets | 1 | 36 | 34 |
| Net change in due from/to member dealers at auction | 626 | A1,282 | A1,909 |
| Income taxes paid | -10,152 | -13,444 | -3,291 |
| Other | $\triangle 553$ | 1,213 | 1,767 |
| Net cash provided by investing activities | -18,751 | -19,724 | $\triangle 972$ |
| Purchase of property, plant and equipment | -8,298 | -2,121 | 6,176 |
| Other | -10,453 | -17,602 | -7,148 |
| Net cash provided by financing activities | 48,105 | -9,718 | A1,613 |
| Net increase ( $\boldsymbol{\triangle}$ decrease) in loans payable | $\triangle 326$ | -329 | $\triangle 3$ |
| Purchases of treasury stock | $\Delta 0$ | $\triangle 0$ | 0 |
| Cash dividends paid | 47,918 | -9,656 | 41,738 |
| Other | 139 | 267 | 127 |
| Net increase ( $\Delta$ decrease) in cash and cash equivalents | $\triangle 214$ | -5,155 | -4,940 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period | 34,833 | 34,618 | -214 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period | 34,618 | 29,462 | - 5,155 |

Operating activities

- Income before income taxes: 34.16 billion yen
- Income taxes paid: 13.44 billion yen


## Investing activities

- Purchase of property, plant and equipment: 2.12 billion yen, including the cost of building the new Okayama Auction Site
- Increase in Other is due mainly to an increase of 17.60 billion yen in other fixed deposits and negotiable deposits


## Financing activities

- Cash dividends paid: 9.65 billion yen

[^1] reflect changes in accounting methods.

## FY3/2015 Reasons for Change in Operating Income (Actual)

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Reasons for change in operating income


## Market Overview

## FY3/2015



## (1) New Car Registrations (April to March)

Used car

- Ordinary cars $\quad$ Mini cars


New car registrations decreased $6.9 \%$ to 5.29 million units

- The drop in demand after the rush to buy cars before the April 2014 consumption tax hike was mainly responsible for the decline in registrations.


## (2) Used Car Registrations (April to March)

- Ordinary cars Mini cars


Used car registrations decreased $5.6 \%$ to 6.70 million units

- The April 2014 consumption tax hike caused registrations to decline, just as for new car registrations.


## (3) Used Car Exports (April to March)

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## (4) Auto Auction Market (April to March)



## Business Segment Information

## FY3/2015



## Auto Auction Business (1) - Results of Operations (April to March)

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## Auto Auction Business (2) - USS Group Performance (April to March)

$■$ Vehicles consigned $\quad$ Vehicles contracted


## Auto Auction Business (3) - Market Share (January to December)

USS Market Share


## Auto Auction Business (4) -Vehicles Consigned and Consignment Fees



Consignment fee per vehicle increased by 61 yen to 5,405 yen from one year earlier

- Fewer discounted fee events at some auction sites and a review of the fee rebate system for high-volume members (positive effect)
- Increased share of vehicle consignment of major members who pay lower consignment fees (negative effect)


## Auto Auction Business (5) - Vehicles Contracted and Contract Completion Fees



Contract completion fee per vehicle increased by 61 yen to 7,882 yen from one year earlier

- Reexamined the rebate system for high-volume members and fees at some auction sites


## Auto Auction Business (6) - Successful Bid Fees and Off-site Successful Bid Ratio USS



Successful bid fee per vehicle decreased by 90 yen to 11,067 yen from one year earlier

- The off-site successful bid ratio was 50.1\% (51.9\% one year earlier)


## Auto Auction Business (7) - USS Group Auto Auction Results by Sites

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(Number of auctions held, Vehicles)

|  | Number of auctions |  | Number of consigned vehicles |  |  | Number of contract completions |  |  | Contract completion rate |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | FY3/15 | FY3/14 | - Y 3/15 | FY3/14 | Changes | FY3/15 | -Y3/14 | Changes | FY3/15 | FY3/14 |
| Tokyo | 49 | 49 | 651,597 | 630,429 | 3.4\% | 460,240 | 453,989 | 1.4\% | 70.6\% | 72.0\% |
| Nagoya | 49 | 49 | 438,849 | 413,075 | 6.2\% | 268,131 | 263,404 | 1.8\% | 61.1\% | 63.8\% |
| Kyushu | 49 | 48 | 195,303 | 190,449 | 2.5\% | 117,854 | 115,921 | 1.7\% | 60.3\% | 60.9\% |
| Yokohama | 50 | 48 | 193,019 | 188,916 | 2.2\% | 135,994 | 133,648 | 1.8\% | 70.5\% | 70.7\% |
| Sapporo | 49 | 49 | 139,410 | 139,094 | 0.2\% | 83,660 | 86,673 | - $3.5 \%$ | 60.0\% | 62.3\% |
| Osaka | 49 | 49 | 127,377 | 123,371 | 3.2\% | 79,967 | 80,154 | - 0.2\% | 62.8\% | 65.0\% |
| R-Nagoya | 49 | 50 | 119,204 | 115,956 | 2.8\% | 103,978 | 98,086 | 6.0\% | 87.2\% | 84.6\% |
| Shizuoka | 49 | 49 | 83,117 | 88,719 | -6.3\% | 48,060 | 52,560 | -8.6\% | 57.8\% | 59.2\% |
| Tohoku | 49 | 49 | 71,566 | 71,663 | - $0.1 \%$ | 52,939 | 54,752 | - $3.3 \%$ | 74.0\% | 76.4\% |
| Okayama | 49 | 49 | 70,244 | 71,840 | - $2.2 \%$ | 44,494 | 44,948 | -1.0\% | 63.3\% | 62.6\% |
| Gunma | 49 | 48 | 63,097 | 65,612 | - 3.8\% | 43,538 | 43,592 | (10.1\% | 69.0\% | 66.4\% |
| Saitama | 49 | 49 | 52,172 | 56,291 | - $7.3 \%$ | 28,088 | 30,959 | - 9.3\% | 53.8\% | 55.0\% |
| Fukuoka | 49 | 49 | 44,893 | 45,048 | - 0.3\% | 19,409 | 21,277 | -8.8\% | 43.2\% | 47.2\% |
| Kobe | 49 | 49 | 44,794 | 40,531 | 10.5\% | 26,136 | 24,210 | 8.0\% | 58.3\% | 59.7\% |
| Niigata | 49 | 49 | 39,238 | 39,849 | -1.5\% | 19,652 | 20,472 | -4.0\% | 50.1\% | 51.4\% |
| Hokuriku | 49 | 49 | 19,261 | 24,346 | - 20.9\% | 13,093 | 16,362 | - 20.0\% | 68.0\% | 67.2\% |
| Total | 785 | 782 | 2,353,141 | 2,305,189 | 2.1\% | 1,545,233 | 1,541,007 | 0.3\% | 65.7\% | 66.8\% |

[^2]
## Used Vehicle Purchasing and Selling Business - Results of Operations (April to March)

USS
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Rabbit sales decreased $14.4 \%$ to 6,737 million yen and operating income decreased $26.9 \%$ to 364 million yen

- A smaller number of vehicles handled and downturn of selling price were the main reasons

Sales of accident-damaged vehicles decreased $10.9 \%$ to 3,347 million yen and operating income decreased $55.7 \%$ to 99 million yen

- A smaller number of vehicles handled was the main cause

[^3] *On January 1, 2015, R\&W Co., Ltd. was renamed Repro World Co., Ltd.

## Other Business (Recycling Business) - Results of Operations (April to March)

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ARBIZ sales increased $4.3 \%$ to 5,027 million yen and operating income decreased $8.7 \%$ to 462 million yen

- Sales increased with the higher volume of end-of-life vehicles but the drop in prices for ferrous scrap brought down earnings
CAR QUEST Toyo sales decreased $7.7 \%$ to 1,383 million yen and operating income decreased $38.7 \%$ to 79 million yen
- In elastic pavement products category, there was a decline starting in the third quarter in the volume of color products, which have a high profit margin
USS Logistics International Service sales increased $21.4 \%$ to 609 million yen and operating income increased $126.2 \%$ to 105 million yen
- Increase in the handling volume and shifting more inspection work in-house boosted sales and income


[^0]:    *1 Each fee per vehicle is calculated before eliminations for consolidation. *2 Capital expenditures include property, plant and equipment and intangible assets(software etc.).
    *3 Figures for the fiscal year ended March 2014 are retroactively adjusted to reflect changes in accounting methods.

[^1]:    *Figures for the fiscal year ended March 2014 are retroactively adjusted to

[^2]:    *In FY3/2014, one auction at the Gunma Auction Site was canceled because of heavy snow in February 2014.

[^3]:    *On July 1, 2014, R\&W Co., Ltd. conducted a company split to establish Rabbit Car Network Co., Ltd. The new entity took over the Rabbit Business Division of R\&W.

