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# **Earnings Announcement**

First Half of Fiscal year ending March 31, 2014
Hibiya Engineering, Ltd.
November 15, 2013

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# Financial Summary First Half of Fiscal Year 2014/3

# Financial Highlights (Consolidated)



Orders received were much higher than one year earlier. Although sales were down, but fiscal year sales will increase because of the growth in orders. Unprofitable projects were mainly responsible for the operating and ordinary losses but net income was positive because of extraordinary income.

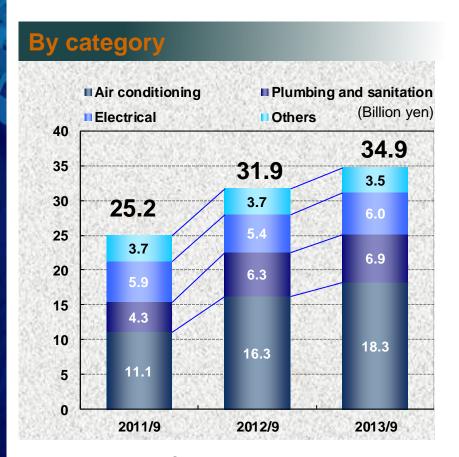
(Billion yen)

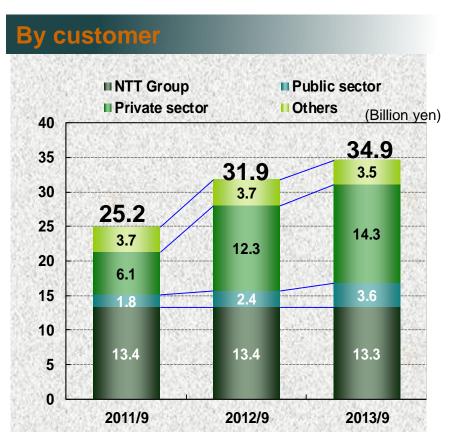
	2011/9 (actual)	2012/9 (actual)	2013/9 (actual)	YoY (%)
Orders Received	25.24	31.93	34.98	+9.6%
Net sales	22.88	29.20	26.24	(10.1%)
Operating Income	(0.48)	0.14	(0.91)	_
Ordinary Income	(0.00)	0.35	(0.55)	_
Net Income	(0.19)	0.23	0.11	(49.6%)





Private-sector orders received increased because of solution-based sales activities, mainly in the priority domains



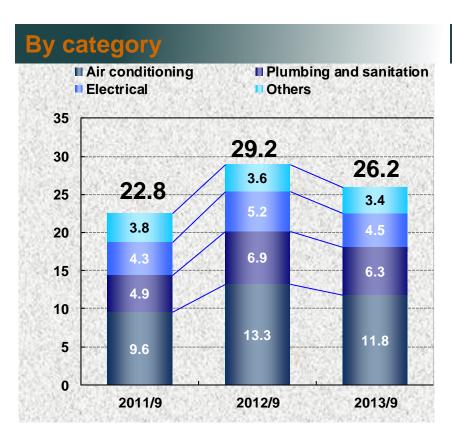


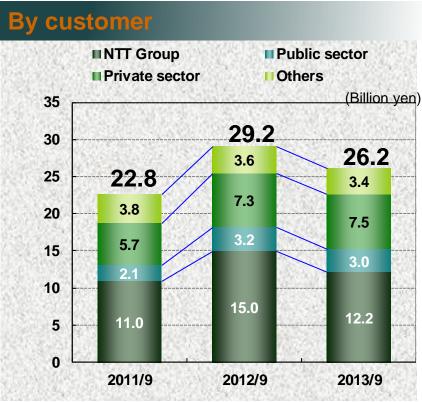
\*Other orders are orders received at group companies other than Hibiya Engineering.

## Sales by Category & by Customer (Consolidated)



Completions of orders carried forward were down in relation to one year earlier when there was a large volume of these completions, but fiscal year sales will increase because of the high level of orders received.





\*Other orders are orders received at group companies other than Hibiya Engineering.

## **Summary Income Statements** (Consolidated)



Competition was fierce, but the decline in profitability was minimized by measures to cut the cost of sales and SG&A expenses.

(Billion yen)

	2011/9 (actual)	2012/9 (actual)	2013/9 (actual)
Net sales	22.88	29.20	26.24
Cost of sales	20.04	25.71	23.71
Gross profit	2.83	3.48	2.52
Gross profit margin	12.4%	11.9%	*1 9.6%
SG&A expenses	3.31	3.33	*2 3.44
Operating income	(0.48)	0.14	(0.91)
Non-operating income	0.47	0.20	0.36
Ordinary income	(0.00)	0.35	(0.55)
Extraordinary income	(0.21)	0.11	*3 0.55
Income taxes	(0.02)	0.23	(0.11)
Net income	(0.19)	0.23	0.11

- \*1 Up 11.4% after excluding the provision for loss on construction contracts associated with some unprofitable projects
- \*2 Higher because of an addition to the allowance for doubtful accounts in association with the customer of a subsidiary
- \*3 Mainly due to gains on sales of investment securities

## Revision to Fiscal Year Forecast (Consolidated)



No change in plan for higher sales and earnings in the current fiscal year (Lowered forecasts for operating income by 450 million yen and ordinary income by 650 million yen)

(Billion yen)

	2013/3 (actual)	2014/3 (revised plan)	Difference	2014/3 (initial plan) (Final year of the mediumterm management plan)
Orders Received	70.0	73.0	3.0	73.0
Net sales	66.3	70.0	3.7	70.0
Operating Income	2.0	2.05	0.05	2.5
Ordinary Income	2.8	2.85	0.05	3.5
Net Income	1.8	2.0	0.2	2.0

## **Earnings Distributions to Shareholders**



#### **Dividends**

# Fundamental policy

Stable earnings distributions for shareholders

Will base dividends on the consolidated dividends on equity (DOE) ratio

## Fiscal year 2014/3

Interim dividend: 15 yen

Annual dividend per share 30 yen (year end dividend per share: 15 yen)

## Repurchase and retirement of stock

# Fundamental policy

■ Hibiya Engineering will continue to repurchase stock in a flexible manner as part of measures to distribute earnings to shareholders.

■ Treasury stock will not be retired on the premise that the shares will be used effectively in the future.

# Fiscal year 2014/3

■ Allowance of full year: 500,000 shares, 500 million yen

■ Repurchased in 1H FY2014/3: 220,000 shares, 223 million yen

#### Reduction in investment securities

■ Sold investment securities (five issues) in order to improve the return on assets



# The Fourth Medium-term Management Plan Progress and Major Initiatives

## (1) Outline of the Plan



#### **Fundamental policy**

- Increase orders received while preserving profitability
- Achieve steady growth of newly launched businesses and seek more business opportunities

#### **Fundamental Strategies**

Megatrends

Cloud computing

Green innovation

**Smart cities** 

Health care

Globalization

**BCP** 

Hibiya Engineering strengths

#### Technology for renovations using existing facilities

Green engineering/ICT engineering skills/A broad-based value chain/Excellent safety and quality

Leverage strengths

Target growing markets

Priority domains, etc.

Data centers, Office buildings, Manufacturing, equipment ,Health care and welfare facilities, Academic facilities ,U.S. military

Smart city creation, Health care domain, Overseas expansion

In the plan's first year and a half, there were concrete benefits from measures to increase orders in priority domains as well as from targeting new business opportunities by focusing on solution-bases sales activities and using other initiatives.

Become a "true comprehensive engineering services company" by further upgrading advanced environmental technologies!

## (2) Major Initiatives

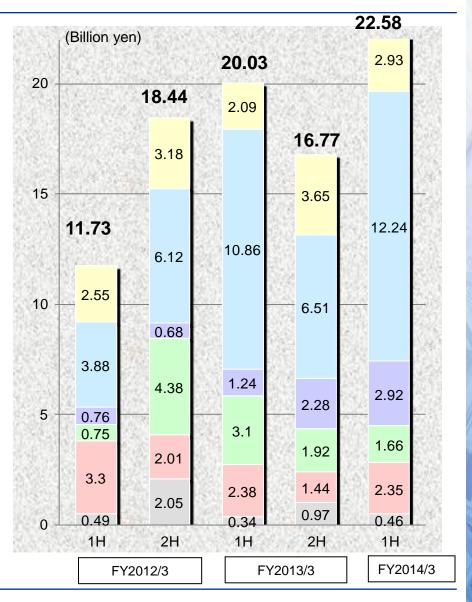


- <u>Capture orders</u> by significantly enlarging the customer base by targeting mega-trends.
  - ☐ Increase orders in priority domains
  - ☐ Focusing on solution-based sales activities
    - \* Eliciting customer needs with a operational style that discovers solutions strategies along with proposals that exploit the strengths of our company
  - ☐ Collaborative sales activities with the NTT Group
    - \* Developing private sector markets by boosting information/data exchanges and coordinated business activities with all NTT group companies
- Get new businesses off the ground
- Expand <u>overseas operations</u>
- Pursue a more sophisticated <u>strategy regarding technology</u>
- Build a <u>stronger base of operations</u> for the group

## Increase orders in priority domains



Priority domains	Results
Data centers ¥2.93 billion	Construction of highway control center (Aichi) Modular data center (Ishikawa) NTT Group data center
Office buildings ¥12.24 billion	New bldg. for large real estate developer (Tokyo) Air-conditioning system renewal for bldg. owned by PM company (Tokyo)
Manufacturing equipment ¥2.92 billion	New bldg. for marine products and sake manufacturers (Miyagi, Yamaguchi) Energy diagnosis followed by renovation of pharmaceuticals factory (Toyama)
Health care and welfare facilities ¥1.66 billion	New construction of private-sector hospital (Kagoshima) Energy-conservation proposal followed by renewal of air-conditioning system for private-sector hospital (Tokyo)
Academic facilities ¥2.35 billion	New construction for national and private universities (Tokyo, Hyogo) Hot spring gas utilization system for campus (Chiba)
U.S. military ¥0.46 billion	Housing renovation at Sasebo base Facilities at bases in Iwakuni and Zama



## Focusing on solution-based sales activities



#### Solution-based sales performance

Orders received: ¥14.3 billion

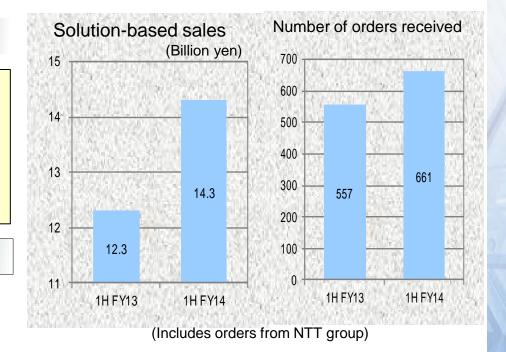
**Number of orders: 661** 

#### **Major solution-based sales initiatives**

- Use of solar heat on production line of food processing company Received order for hot water system (see page 11)
- Operation of comprehensive energy conservation system for multi-purpose leisure facility (Equipment diagnosis – Renewal proposal – Heat
- Energy conservation, efficiency improvement and other proposals to NTT Group companies for investments and other needs

source update - Use of subsidy)

Orders for renewals of air-conditioning, building automation, electrical systems, etc.





BAS



Building electrical system

## **Progress for Solutions business (examples)**



## Installation of solar thermal hot water system at a food processing factory

Engineering

Hibiya



# (interest in energy conservation, energy reuse and other systems) processing factory Food

- (1) Inquiry received via the company website
- (2) Explanation of various strategic tools
- (3) Trial order = Earned customer's trust (Ozone treatment equipment)
- (4) Proposal for system that uses solar heat
- (5) Decision to purchase the system
  - (6) Continuous provision of a variety of proposals
  - Cogeneration
  - Renewal of factory air conditioning
  - Installation of EV station, etc.

#### **Order Highlights**



Solar thermal system

- ◆ Proposed energy-conservation system that met the customer's requirements, raised the level of solution-based sales
- ◆ Expertise and experience with many advanced environmental technologies



- More proposals and business involving energy-use improvements and other activities
  - Aiming to be a "comprehensive producer for energy"
  - Create "gold customers"



 Horizontal expansion of proposal schemes, technologies, methodologies and other know-how to other manufacturing facilities!

## Collaborative sales with the NTT Group



#### Collaborative sales with the NTT Group

Orders received: ¥4.1 billion

Number of orders: 91

Solar project in the orders

Orders received: ¥0.31 billion

Number of orders: 8

#### **Major activities**

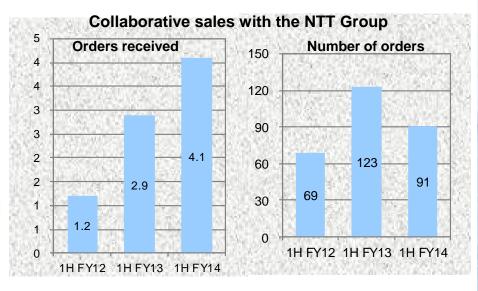
- "Smart" and energy technology proposals for the eco-town project of a city (solar power, solar thermal, BMS, etc.) (see page 13)
- Selected by Ministry of the Environment for a thermal hybrid demonstration project\*1 (1\*Jointly developed with NTT Facilities)

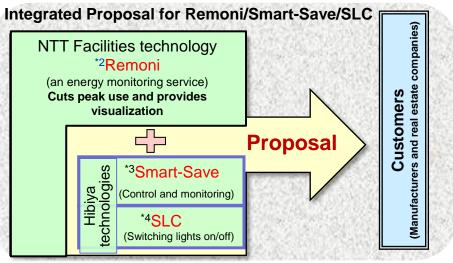


Used at the project of a major house manufacturer

 Proposals for energy visualization and control for manufacturers and real estate companies (see diagram to the right)

(\*2Remoni, \*3Smart-Save, \*4SLC)





## Collaborative sales with the NTT Group



#### **Eco-Town Project of a City**

#### **Project Summary**

#### **Comprehensive welfare** area project

Welfare facilities (elderly nursing care and day care)

- Project concept
- Increase/promote use of solar power
- Increase internal generation of power
- More aware of eco-town projects
- Enhance gov't facilities' resistant to natural disasters, etc.

#### Station area project

Station building (Citizens activity center)

- Project concept
  Increase/ promote use of solar power
- More aware of eco-town projects
- Monitor use of electricity/power generation, etc.

(1) Solicit proposals based on the concept

- (2) Joint proposal
- (3) Selection of proposal

Collaboration with NTT Group Companies

#### **NTT Group** companies

- Solar power
- Lithium-ion batteries
- Others

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- Solar thermal • BEMS
- Digital signage
- Others

**Combination of Technology** 

Aiming to capture this order by using past experience



A proposal that uses digital signage

## **Initiatives to Start New Businesses**



## **Extensive measures involving the energy-smart business**

#### Collaboration with **Hibiya Group Key elements** Hibiya's technologies other sectors partners Energy creation business using reusable energy Hibiya Tsusho · Regional gas · Solar thermal system Energy · Reliably supplying and securing energy (trading company) companies Solar hybrid system business • Environmental improvement using low-carbon Nikkei • Ejector-type freezer, etc. Financial promotion projects (manufacturing) institutions • HIT (wastewater Venture technology) Energy-conservation business using HA-BMS (Smart-Save) companies VEGLIA (consulting) ICT technology Individual unit management Smart Universities • O-ENCE Building environment monitoring business system (maintenance) Others Upgrading security SLC, etc.

## **Major activities**

- ◆ A city asked for proposals for energy conservation (use of BEMS) at several facilities and selected Hibiya Engineering (see page 15)
- ◆ Establishment of plant factories in previously unused buildings (Fukui, Saitama)
- ◆ First for strawberries, then herbs (tie-up with university venture company) (see the diagram at the end of this presentation)
- Use of natural gas cogeneration system at composite facilities for the supply of electricity and heat (Okinawa, Chiba)
   (effective use of natural gas that is normally simply released)

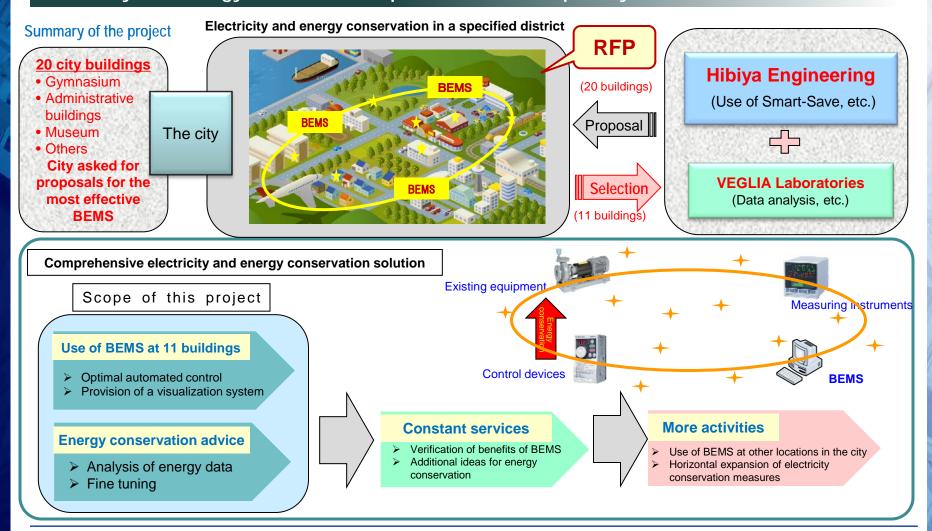


Cogeneration system using natural gas

## **Initiatives to Start New Businesses (examples)**



## Electricity and energy conservation operations for multiple city facilities



## **Initiatives to Start New Businesses (topics)**



#### HIBIYA E&S PLAZA

- ◆ Opened in July 2013 at environmental technology showroom (6F) of Tokyo Square Garden
- ◆ Hibiya's first permanent exhibition space; based on the theme of "energy & smart"
- ◆ Offers proposals to customers, provides information about technologies and services, shows Hibiya's environmental activities

#### Concept of HIBIYA E&S PLAZA

- A place that brings together people and information
- A place for communications with customers
- A place for supplying energy conservation, energy creation and other information
- A place to show people the Hibiya Engineering Group's environmental activities

#### Exhibitions (as of November 15, 2013\*)

- Solar hybrid system
- Ejector-type freezer
- HA-BEMS
- Smart lighting controller
- EIA

\*See Technology Section in the reference materials





The July 12 opening ceremony



The first seminar held at HIBIYA E&S PLAZA

## **Expand overseas operations**



## Vietnam pilot project (started in fiscal 2011)

- Applied for a NEDO demonstration project this fiscal year (see the diagram at the end of this presentation)
  - Proposal to conserve energy by using an energy management system (EMS) at several hotels

## **Collaboration with the NTT Group**

- Technical cooperation with NTT Group company in **Thailand** 
  - (data center operated by NTT Facilities subsidiary)
- Joint promotion of energy conservation solutions **business**

(NTT Facilities, Vietnam, Singapore)

#### Three technologies for effectively conserving energy

No lighting control

(Full 24 hours lighting)

SMART lighting controller

Lighting system

照明システム

照明制御無し



Hot water system

Heavy oil boiler (single use) Best mix control

Heat source system



Manual control Control by BEMS

#### Other overseas activities

- Solar thermal system field trip and seminar (for trainees from Asia, a project for JICA)
- Study concerning potential use of JICA funds
  - ESCO business and energy-conservation technologies in Southeast Asia



Participants in the solar thermal seminar

## Promotion to raise quality of technology strategy



## Continued strategic research and development into raising the quality of new energy and energy conservation technologies

 Further upgrade current key technologies

**HA-BEMS (Smart-Save)** 

Measures to enhance and add functions

**SLC** 

Further cost reductions and enhanced functions

Solar hybrid system

Further improve functions by using demonstration tests

**Ejector-type freezer** 

Study ways to further cut the cost and improve performance







Solar hybrid system

Ejector-type freezer

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## Patent for the Energy Management System

- ◆ A patent was received for the consumed energy reduction diagnosis methodology using the EMS.

  (jointly with NTT Urban Development Builservice)
  - Diagnostic method for start-up time of air-conditioning system
  - Diagnostic method for outside air cooling system for reducing a building's energy consumption
  - Night purge diagnostic method for reducing a building's energy consumption



Patent certification

## Strengthening corporate base



#### Improve efficiency and further cutting costs

- Thorough review of shared operations and higher efficiency by using business process reform project teams across the entire organization
- Sharing of achievements and know-how by holding meetings to announce outstanding accomplishments and give awards
- Big cost reduction by increasing efficiency of construction projects that are performed repeatedly (priority domains, NTT Group projects, etc.)

#### Reinforce the group's infrastructure

- Strengthen group governance by establishing a Group Management Council and taking other actions
- ◆ Strengthen employee training by centralizing the group's training operations

## Reinforce risk management

- ◆ Establish a powerful information management framework, etc.

  Head office and Tokyo head office received ISO27001 certification
  - Plan to have all locations in Japan certified by the end of this fiscal year
- ◆ Establish safety management system (Completed\*)
  - \* Aims to eliminate accidents by having job sites and offices share information about dangerous tasks



Announcement of outstanding accomplishments

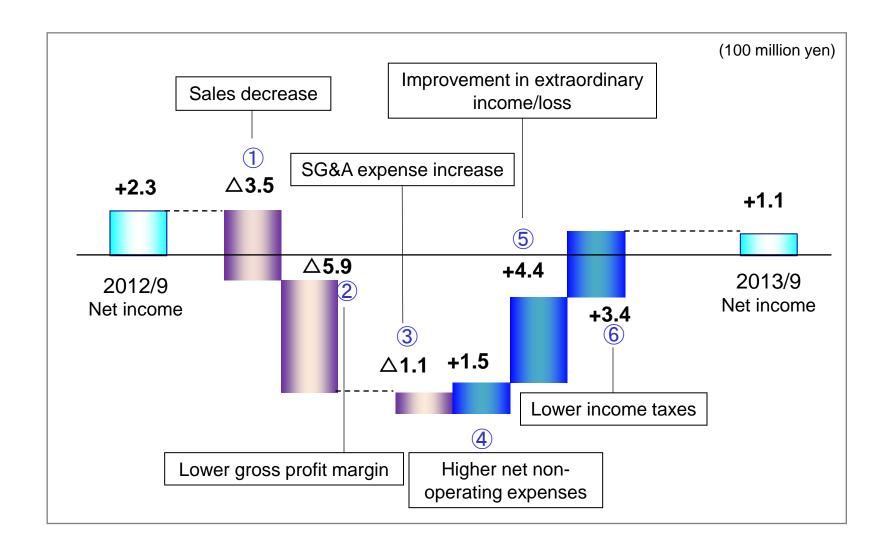


ISO27001 certification



## Consolidated net income breakdown



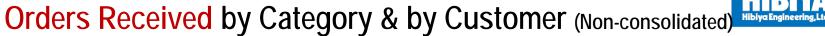


# Financial Highlights (Non-consolidated)

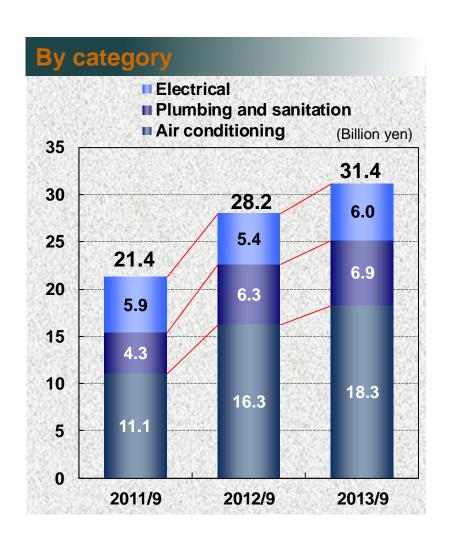


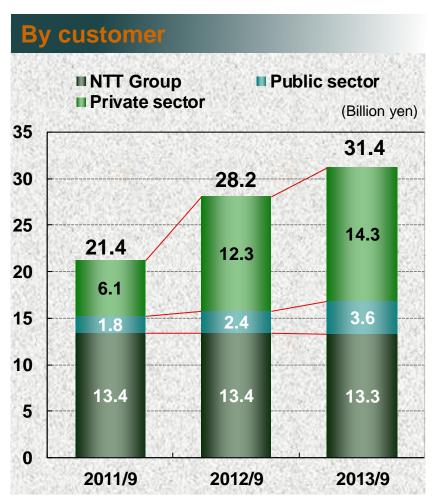
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Orders Received	21.46	28.21	31.42	+11.4	62.0
Net sales	19.00	25.59	22.79	(10.9)	60.0
Operating Income	(0.62)	0.01	(0.70)	_	1.7
Ordinary Income	(0.31)	0.24	(0.50)	_	1.9
Net Income	(0.40)	0.11	0.06	(47.7)	1.4



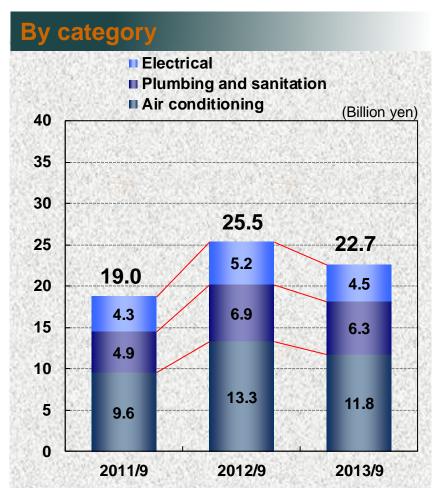


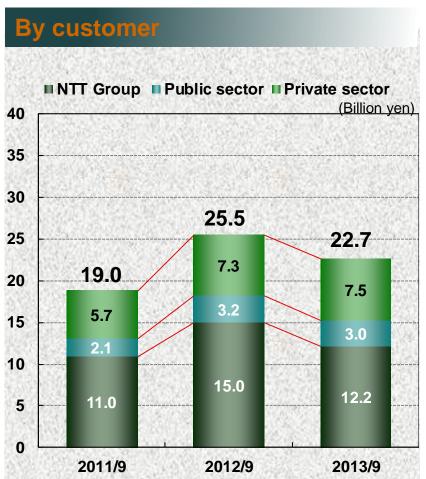






## Sales by Category & by Customer (Non-consolidated)



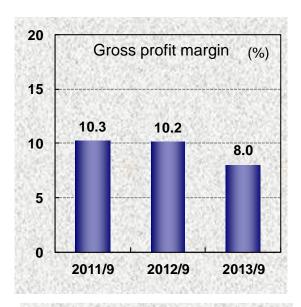


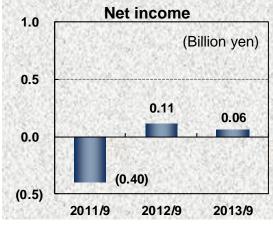
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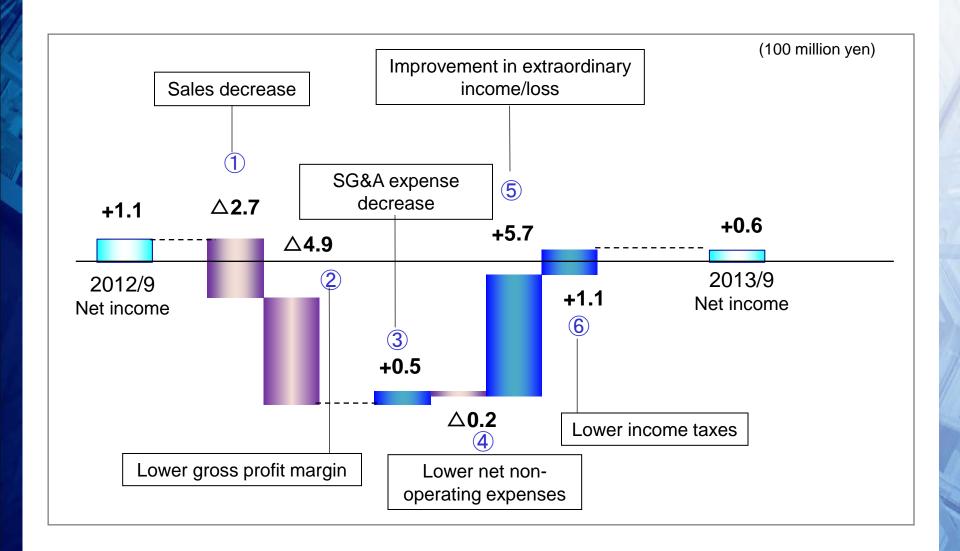
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Net sales	19.00	25.59	22.79
Cost of sales	17.04	22.98	20.97
Gross profit	1.96	2.60	1.82
Gross profit margin	10.3%	10.2%	8.0%
SG&A expenses	2.58	2.58	2.52
Operating income	(0.62)	0.01	(0.70)
Non-operating income	0.30	0.22	0.20
Ordinary income	(0.31)	0.24	(0.50)
Extraordinary income	(0.21)	(0.01)	0.55
Income taxes	(0.13)	0.11	(0.00)
Net income	(0.40)	0.11	0.06





## Non-consolidated net income breakdown







## **Solar Hybrid System**



## Joint demonstration test of solar hybrid system with NTT Facilities

#### **Advantages**

- Solar energy comprehensive conversation rate of more than 40%
- Reduction in power generation loss caused by high temperature of solar cells
- Supplies both electricity and hot water
- Uses less roof space by combining power generation and heat collection in a single panel

#### **Major applications**

Health care facilities (senior/nursing care facilities, hospitals)

#### Restaurants

(suburban and roadside locations)

Residential buildings (houses and apartment buildings)

#### Solar hybrid systems



Solar hybrid panels are similar to photovoltaic panels.

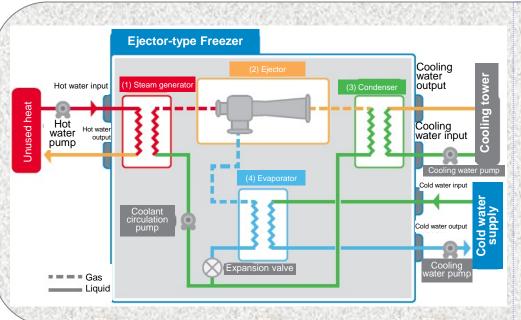
Solar heat collection units are placed under the photovoltaic panels.

## **Ejector-type Freezer**



## What is an ejector-type freezer?

- A compact freezer that is powered by hot water produced by waste heat, solar heat or other sources
- Benefits of Hibiya Engineering's ejector-type freezer
  - Effectively utilizes thermal energy
  - Outstanding durability
  - Low running and maintenance expenses



#### How an ejector-type freezer works

- (1) Steam generator This unit uses waste hear or solar heat to produce steam.
- (2) Ejector
  Steam is sent to the ejector. The ejector's attractive effect causes the steam generator to become a vacuum (negative pressure).
- (3) Condenser Steam output from the ejector is converted to a liquid by the condenser. The liquefied coolant now goes to a coolant circulation pump after which it is sent back to the steam generator.
- (4) Evaporator Part of the coolant that was converted to a liquid by the condenser is sent through the expansion valve to the evaporator, which has a low pressure. The coolant evaporates inside the evaporator and the evaporative latent heat is used for producing cold water.

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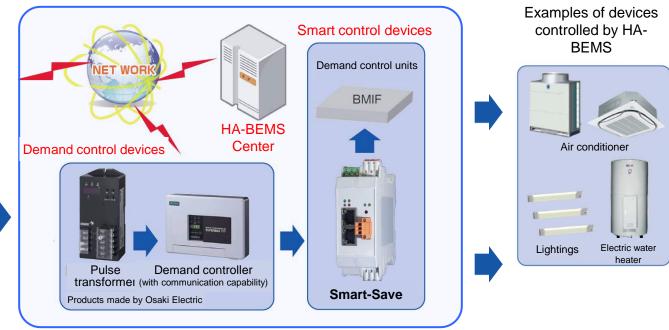
**Electricity meter** 

## **HA-BEMS** (Smart-Save)



- A unique energy management system developed by Hibiya Engineering
- Achieves smart energy conservation that goes one step beyond visualization
  - In addition to its visualization function, HA-BEMS performs "smart" control of equipment and conserves electricity and other energy, all at a low cost.
  - The electricity bill reduction target is 20%.

#### Components of HA-BEMS

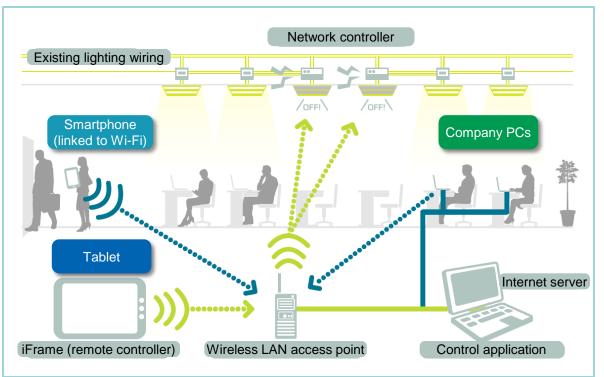


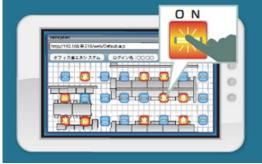
- Smart-Save (load control unit) effectively controls the amount of electricity used.
  - An effective way to manage energy use at small and midsize companies and at companies with many business sites

## Smart Lighting Controller \*Registered trademark of Hibiya Engineering



- A system that can significantly cut electricity consumption by sending a control signal via a wireless LAN from a PC or smartphone to switch on and off individual lights
- Easy to install: No new power supply or signal wiring is needed.
  - → Sales promotion activities under way with existing buildings the primary target



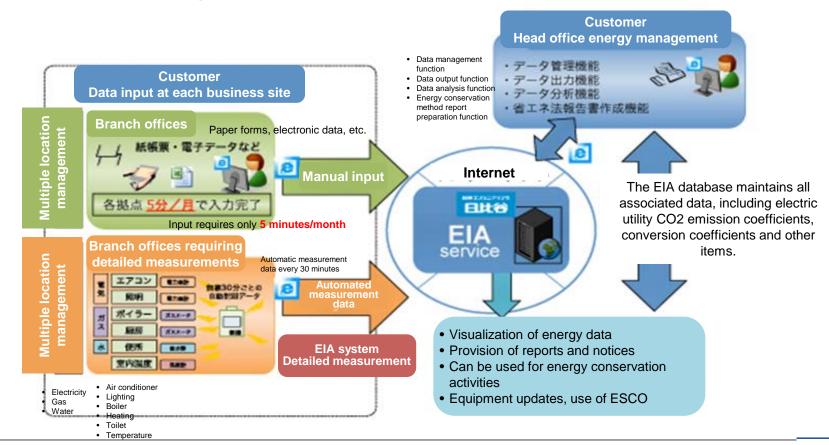


Switch lights on and off by touching the screen of a tablet, smartphone or iFrame

## **EIA (Energy use visualization system)**



- EIA uses energy use visualization to allow locating waste and inefficiency in order to reduce energy consumption.
- EIA helps with energy conservation activities by centralizing the supervision of a customer's energy consumption.



## Realization of new business (example)



Orders and examples of wholly artificial light-type plant factories

#### **One-stop service**

#### **Hibiya Group**

- Planning / providing temperature, humidity and light control equipment, etc.
- Production of frames and other items for cultivation use
- Sales of operational use clean ware/wear

# Partner companies

- Control surveillance systems
- Equipment maintenance

# Agriventure companies University research institutes

- Development of cultivation technologies
- Operational guidance and advice, etc.

#### Wholly artificial light-type plant factories

- Efficient utilization of low usage/idle facilities (factories, etc.)
- Artificial control of growing/cultivation environment (Planned production is possible without reference to seasonality)
- No agrochemicals used (security and safety)
- CCFL used in artificial light (Long life, lower power consumption, low-cost lighting)



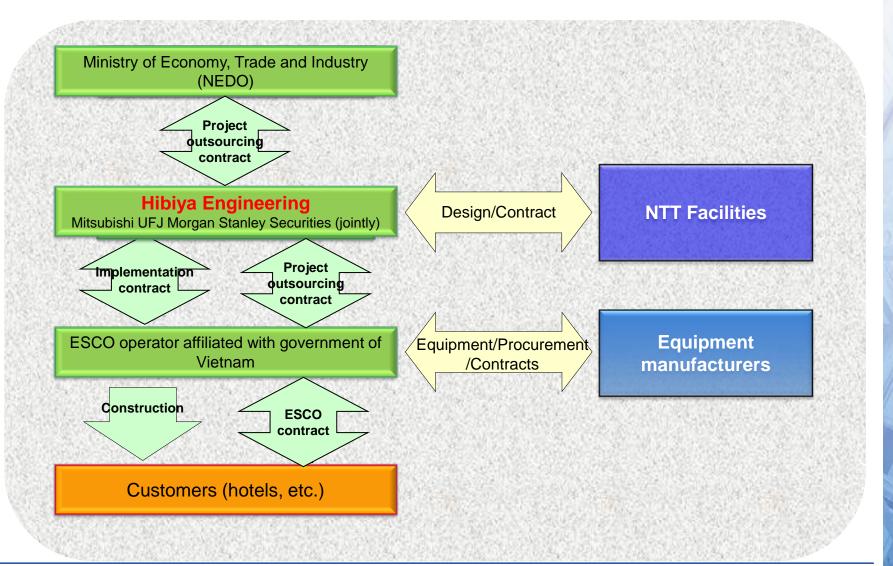
Strawberry cultivation facility owned by OREC Co., Ltd

\* Strawberry cultivation is leading-edge facility, as most plant factories are specializing in foliage plants.

## **Overseas Activities**



■ Flowchart for Vietnam Pilot Project





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