

Briefing on Business Results

- for the Six Months of FY2021-

(From April 1, 2020 to September 30, 2020)

RISO KAGAKU CORPORATION

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■Notes on the descriptions in this briefing

The amounts indicated have been rounded down to a million yen unless otherwise noted.

■A note on the description relating to forecasts

The following statements, including forecasts, contained in these materials are based on information currently available to the Company. Actual business may differ substantially from the forecasts due to various factors in the future.



1 Corporate Data

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1.1 Corporate Data (as of September 30, 2020)

■ Corporate Name RISO KAGAKU CORPORATION

■ President & CEO Akira Hayama

■ Head Office 5-34-7 Shiba, Minato-ku, Tokyo 108-8385, Japan

■ Established September 2, 1946

■ Incorporated January 25, 1955

■ Paid-in Capital ¥14,114,985,384

■ Group Employees 3,480

■ Group Subsidiaries 27 (Domestic: 2 Overseas: 25)



1.2 Business Outline and Domains

Printing equipment business

■ Inkjet Business: Full Color Inkjet Printer ORPHIS



ORPHIS GD9630

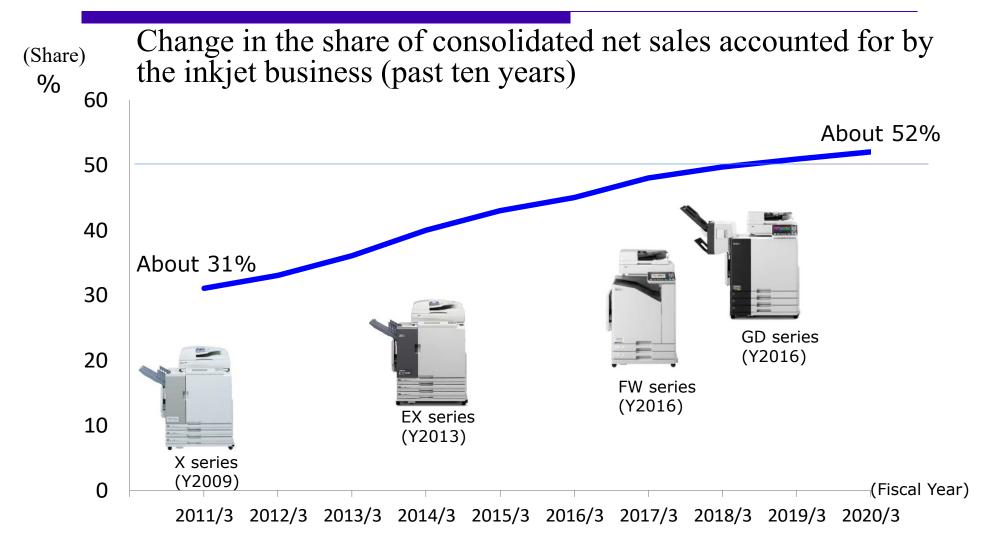
Digital Duplicating Business:
High Speed Digital Duplicator RISOGRAPH

Others

- Real Estate Business
- Print creating business

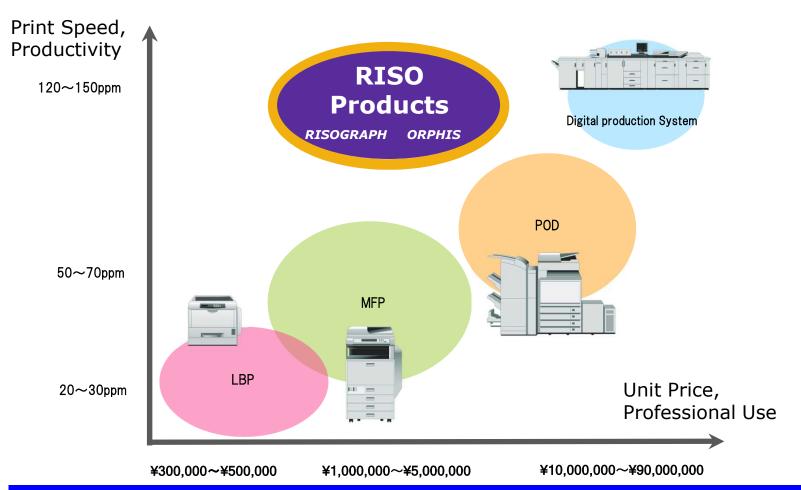


1.3 Change in the Inkjet Business' Share of Consolidated Net Sales





1.4 Market Position of RISO Products



Deployment of original products with fast printing speed, low running cost, and easy operation as their strengths



2 First Half of FY2021 Consolidated Financial Results

- 2.1 Performance Overview
- 2.2 Results by Segment

2.1 First Half of FY2021 - Performance Overview

- Net sales decreased 24.1% and operating losses were 574 million yen.
- If exchange rate effects are excluded, net sales decreased 23.1%.

		FY2020 1st half	FY2021 1st half	Differe (year-on-		Calculated with exchange rates of the previous year
				Amount	Growth%	Growth%
Net sales		39,754	30,191	▲ 9,562	▲ 24.1%	▲23.1%
Gross profit		22,880	16,808	▲ 6,072	▲ 26.5%	▲25.4 %
(Gross	profit ratio)	(57.6%)	(55.7%)			
Selling, general administrative e		20,772	17,382	▲3,389	▲ 16.3%	▲ 15.7%
Operating incon	ne	2,108	▲ 574	▲ 2,682	-	_
(Operating ir	ncome ratio)	(5.3%)	(▲1.9%)			
Ordinary income	е	2,003	▲ 454	▲ 2,458	-	
Profit attributab owner of parent		1,068	469	▲ 599	▲56.1%	
Average	1US\$	108.63	106.92			
Exchange rates	1Euro	121.42	121.30			

2.2 First Half of FY2021 - Results by Segment

Net sales

	FY2020		FY2021		Difference	
	Amount	Ratio	Amount	Ratio	Amount	Growth
Net sales	39,754	100.0%	30,191	100.0%	▲ 9,562	▲ 24.1%
Printing equipment business	39,084	98.3%	29,593	98.0%	▲ 9,490	▲ 24.3%
Japan	22,402	56.4%	16,768	55.5%	▲ 5,634	▲ 25.2%
Overseas	16,681	42.0%	12,825	42.5%	▲ 3,856	▲ 23.1%
Americas	2,443	6.1%	1,372	4.5%	▲ 1,071	▲ 43.8%
Europe	6,886	17.3%	4,833	16.0%	▲ 2,053	▲ 29.8%
Asia	7,352	18.5%	6,620	21.9%	▲ 731	▲ 10.0%
Others	669	1.7%	597	2.0%	▲ 71	▲ 10.7%



2.2 First Half of FY2021 - Results by Segment

Operating income

	FY2020	FY2021	Difference	
	1st half	1st half	Amount Growt	
Operating income	2,108	▲ 574	▲ 2,682	_
Printing equipment business	1,834	▲819	▲ 2,653	
Japan	1,899	▲ 197	▲ 2,096	_
Overseas	▲ 64	▲ 621	▲ 557	_
Americas	▲ 403	▲ 493	▲ 90	_
Europe	3	▲291	▲295	_
Asia	334	163	▲ 171	▲ 51.2%
Others	273	245	▲ 28	▲10.4%

2.2 First Half of FY2021 - Results by Segment

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	FY2021 1Q	FY2021 2Q	Difference
Net sales	13,455	16,735	+3,280
Printing equipment business	13,202	16,391	+3,189
Japan	7,596	9,171	+1,574
Overseas	5,605	7,220	+1,614
Americas	608	763	+154
Europe	2,033	2,799	+766
Asia	2,963	3,657	+694
Others	253	344	+90

Operating
income

g		FY2021 1Q	FY2021 2Q	Difference
	Operating income	▲ 678	104	+782
	Printing equipment business	▲ 778	▲ 41	+737
	Japan	▲ 174	▲ 23	+150
	Overseas	▲ 604	▲ 17	+586
	Americas	▲ 296	▲ 196	+99
	Europe	▲ 351	59	+410
	Asia	43	119	+75
	Others	99	145	+45

3 Activity in the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2021

- The 7th Medium-term Management Plan "RISO Vision 22"
- 3.2 Management Policies for FY2021
- 3.3 Activity in the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2021

3.1 The 7th Medium-term Management Plan "RISO Vision 22"

The 7th Medium-term Management Plan "RISO Vision 22" (From April 1, 2019 to March 31, 2022)

<Management Objectives>

Enhance profitability by expanding IJ business and improving efficiency on a Group-wide basis

<Priority Actions>

1. Japanese Domestic Sales

Business Improve profit by focusing on sales to high-volume prospects and regenerating division's culture

2. Overseas Sales

Business Increase profit by strengthening the sales in potential area and market segments as well as improving unprofitable subsidiaries

3. Research and Development

Take on the challenge to create new business by developing customer-orientated products

4. Production

Proceed with transformations of procurement and manufacturing systems by pursuing the improvement of the production management

5. Corporate Planning

Strengthen the corporate planning function by renovating the management structure and approaches

<Financial Target>

Consolidated net sales: ¥86 billion Consolidated operating income: ¥4.1 billion

*Exchange rates: 1 US dollar: \times110.00 1 euro: \times125.00



3.2 Management Policies for FY2021

Achieve the following targets while dealing with the global crisis causedby the spread of the Coronavirus.

- 1. Strengthen both IJ and RG Business, Expand VALEZUS Business
- 2. Regenerate the (Domestic) Sales Divisionfs culture and improve unprofitable overseas subsidiaries

"VALEZUS": A new brand of high-speed inkjet printers for the production printing market

3.3 Activity in the Fiscal Year Ending March 31,2021

■ Inkjet Business

We will release Full Color Inkjet Printer ORPHIS FT series in October 2020.

- •Compact size that is easy to install in the office
- Capable of high-speed color printing at 140 ppm





3.3 Activity in the Fiscal Year Ending March 31,2021

■ Print Creating Business

Digital screen maker "GOCCOPRO QS1836" will launch in spring 2021.

- The heat from a thermal head perforates a screen master that is used to make prints.
- •A3 size compatible model. In addition to the conventional model "GOCCOPRO QS2536" (A2 size), the product lineup has been strengthened.



GOCCOPRO QS1836

3.2 FY2019 - Activity Overview

- R&D facilities "RISO R&D Center II"
 - Location: Tsukuba City, Ibaraki Prefecture
 - Construction purpose: to create an environment for new business development
 - Investment amount: approximately 3,550 million yen
 - Opening date: July 2020



RISO R&D Center II

4 Forecast for FY2021

4. Forecast for FY2021①

■ The consolidated forecasts for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2021 are changed as follows.

(Millions of Yen)

	FY2020	FY2021	Difference	
	Actual	Revised forecast	Amount	Growth
Net sales	78,066	63,900	▲ 14,166	▲ 18.1%
Operating income	2,543	400	▲ 2,143	▲ 84.3%
Ordinary income	2,440	500	▲ 1,940	▲ 79.5%
Profit attributable to the owner of parent	683	▲300	▲ 983	_
Operating income margin	3.3%	0.6%		

Average exchange rates

1US\$	¥108.74	¥105.00
1EURO	¥120.82	¥120.00



4. Forecast for FY20212

Implementation of structural reform at consolidated subsidiary.

Implementation of structural reform at consolidated subsidiary RISO TECHNOLOGY CHINA CO., LTD.

1. Objective

To enhance the profitability of RISO TECHNOLOGY CHINA CO., LTD.

2. Overview of structural reform implementation

In order to sustain growth and operate the company efficiently, we seek to reorganize and streamline this subsidiary with the aim of enhancing profitability.

3. Business outlook

We expect to record an extraordinary loss of approximately 1,300 million yen for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2021.



5 Shareholders Return

5. Shareholders Return-Basic Policy

Basic policy for the distribution of earnings

- Allocate an appropriate portion of earnings in accordance with our business results while continuing to strengthen our corporate structure
- Strive to provide a stable dividend
- *Consider the repurchasing of shares as a measure for allocating earnings to shareholders, and acquire treasury stock in consideration of market trends
- 1. Dividend: Distribute annual dividends from surplus once a year at the end of fiscal year
- 2. Purchase and retirement of treasury stock:
 - Acquire treasury stock in consideration of market trends
 - Retire treasury stock, as a general rule

5. Shareholders Return

We have changed the year-end dividend forecast for the current fiscal year from the previous forecast of "no dividend to be paid" to ¥15 per share.

	Fiscal year ended March 31, 2021 Cash dividends per share
Previous forecast (Announced on May 15, 2020)	¥O
Revised forecast (Announced on November 5, 2020)	¥15

(reference data)

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	FY2021			FY2020	
	Forecast			Actual	
	Amount	Ratio to	Difference	Amount	Ratio to
	Amount	net sales	(YOY)	Amount	net sales
Net sales	63,900	100.0%	▲ 18.1%	78,066	100.0%
Printing equipment business	62,600	98.0%	▲ 18.4%	76,704	98.3%
Japan	36,800	57.6%	▲ 15.1%	43,370	55.6%
Americas	2,700	4.2%	▲ 44.1%	4,832	6.2%
Europe	10,700	16.7%	▲ 23.6%	14,003	17.9%
Asia	12,400	19.4%	▲ 14.5%	14,498	18.6%
Real estate business & others	1,300	2.0%	▲ 4.5%	1,361	1.7%
Gross profit	36,300	56.8%	▲ 18.1%	44,296	56.7%
Selling, general & administrative expenses	35,900	56.2%	▲ 14.0%	41,752	53.5%
Operating Income	400	0.6%	▲ 84.3%	2,543	3.3%
Ordinary Income	500	0.8%	▲ 79.5%	2,440	3.1%
Profit attributable to the owner of parent	▲ 300	-0.5%	_	683	0.9%



(reference data)

	FY2020				FY2021	
	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q
Net sales	19,105	20,648	17,852	20,459	13,455	16,735
Gross profit	11,442	11,437	10,240	11,175	7,748	9,059
(Gross profit ratio)	(59.9%)	(55.4%)	(57.4%)	(54.6%)	(57.6%)	(54.1%)
Selling, general and administrative expenses	10,484	10,287	10,599	10,380	8,426	8,955
Operating income	957	1,150	▲358	794	▲ 678	104
(Operating income ratio)	(5.0%)	(5.6%)	_	(3.9%)	_	(0.6%)
Ordinary income	971	1,032	▲253	690	▲ 605	150
Profit attributable to the owner of parent	605	463	▲330	▲ 54	46	422

(reference data)

Net Sales	(Millions of Yen)

	FY2020				FY2021	
	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q
Printing equipment business	18,785	20,299	17,495	20,123	13,202	16,391
Japan	10,215	12,187	8,486	12,480	7,596	9,171
Overseas	8,569	8,112	9,009	7,642	5,605	7,220
Americas	1,152	1,290	1,123	1,265	608	763
Europe	3,521	3,364	3,689	3,427	2,033	2,799
Asia	3,894	3,458	4,196	2,948	2,963	3,657
Others	320	348	356	335	253	344

Operating Income (Millions of Yen)

	FY2020				FY2021	
	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q
Printing equipment business	823	1,011	▲ 476	663	▲ 778	▲ 41
Japan	726	1,173	▲ 208	994	▲ 174	▲ 23
Overseas	97	▲ 161	▲ 268	▲ 330	▲ 604	▲ 17
Americas	▲ 204	▲ 198	▲325	▲ 231	▲ 296	▲ 196
Europe	37	▲33	▲ 100	9	▲ 351	59
Asia	264	69	157	▲ 108	43	119
Others	134	138	117	130	99	145

