## Company Name:

Stock Listings:
Code Number:
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Scheduled date for submission of financial statement
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Yes

Yes
(Figures rounded down to the nearest million yen)

1. Consolidated Business Results for the Fiscal 2013 (April 1, 2013 to March 31, 2014)
(1) Consolidated Business Results (\% change from the previous year)

|  | Net Sales | Operating Income |  | Recurring Income | Net Income |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Millions of yen | $\%$ | Millions of yen |  | Millions of yen | $\%$ | Fillions of yen | $\%$ |
| FY2013 | $1,110,851$ | 7.6 | 82,541 | 38.4 | 83,310 | 37.3 | 41,190 | 36.5 |
| FY2012 | $1,032,431$ | 7.0 | 59,621 | 9.2 | 60,670 | 12.0 | 30,174 | 7.3 |

(Note)Comprehensive income March 31, 2014: 57,944 million yen (-25.2\%), March 31, 2013: 77,437 million yen (214.1\%)

|  | Net Income per Share | Net Income per Share (Diluted) | Net Income to Equity Ratio | Recurring Income <br> to <br> Total Assets Ratio | Operating <br> Income <br> Ratio |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | yen | yen | \% | \% | \% |
| FY2013 | 80.13 | 79.94 | 9.4 | 8.9 | 7.4 |
| FY2012 | 58.53 | 58.50 | 7.8 | 7.0 | 5.8 |

(Note)Equity in earnings of affiliated companies March 31, 2014: 2,070 million yen, March 31, 2013: 1,249 million yen (2) Consolidated Financial Position

|  | Total Assets | Net Assets | Shareholders' <br> Equity Ratio | Net Assets <br> per Share |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| FY2013 | Millions of yen | Millions of yen | $\%$ | yen <br> FY2012$\quad 961,009$ |

(Note) Shareholders' Equity : March 31, 2014: 456,819 million yen, March 31, 2013: 418,582 million yen
(3) Consolidated Cash Flows

|  | Operating Activities | Investing Activities | Financing Activities | End of Year Cash and <br> Cash Equivalents |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| FY2013 | Millions of yen | Millions of yen | Millions of yen | Millions of yen <br> FY2012$\quad 97,720$ |

2. Dividend Status

|  | Dividend Per Share |  |  |  |  | Total Dividend <br> Payment (full year) | Dividend Payout Ratio (consolidated) | Dividend to equity ratio (consolidated) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| (Date of Record) | At the end of 1 Q | At the end of 2Q | At the end of 3 Q | Year-end | Full year |  |  |  |
|  | yen | yen | yen | yen | yen | Millions of yen | \% | \% |
| FY2012 | - | 9.00 | - | 9.00 | 18.00 | 9,291 | 30.8 | 2.4 |
| FY2013 | - | 11.00 | - | 12.00 | 23.00 | 11,807 | 28.7 | 2.7 |
| FY2014 (outlook) | - | 12.00 | - | 12.00 | 24.00 |  | 26.6 |  |

3. Consolidated Outlook for Fiscal 2014 (April 1, 2014 to March 31, 2015)
(\% change from the previous year)

|  | Net Sales |  | Operating Income |  | Recurring Income | Net Income | Net Income <br> per Share |  |  |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: | ---: | :---: | ---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Millions of yen | $\%$ | Millions of yen | $\%$ | Millions of yen | $\%$ | Millions of yen | $\%$ | yen |
| Mid-term | 560,000 | 5.1 | 38,000 | 1.3 | 38,500 | -1.3 | 21,000 | -8.0 | 41.24 |
| Full Year | $1,154,000$ | 3.9 | 87,000 | 5.4 | 85,000 | 2.0 | 46,000 | 11.7 | 90.34 |

## 4. Other

(1) Significant change of subsidiary companies during the term (change of specified subsidiaries that affected the scope of consolidated reporting): No
(2) Changes to the accounting policy, changes or restatements of the accounting estimates
a) Changes caused by revisions to accounting principles: Yes
b) Changes other than a): No
c) Amendments to accounting estimates: No
d) Restatements: No

Note: For details, see "(6) Important items regarding the basis of preparation of the consolidated financial statements Change in accounting policy" on page 13.
(3) Number of shares outstanding (common stock)
a) Number of shares outstanding at the
FY2013
532,507,285 shares
end of term (including treasury stock)
FY2012
532,507,285 shares
b) Treasury stock at the end of term
FY2013
FY2012
c) Average number of shares outstanding
FY2013
23,337,707 shares
16,223,314 shares
514,057,819 shares
515,529,062 shares
(Reference information) Non-consolidated financial results for the Fiscal 2013 (April 1, 2013 to March 31, 2014)

## (1) Non-Consolidated Business Results

(\% change from the previous year)

|  | Net Sales |  | Operating Income |  | Recurring Income |  | Net Income |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Millions of yen | \% | Millions of yen | \% | Millions of yen | \% | Millions of yen | \% |
| FY2013 | 377,199 | 10.0 | 24,085 | 91.7 | 41,833 | 54.2 | 19,611 | 24.0 |
| FY2012 | 342,941 | 1.7 | 12,564 | 36.3 | 27,123 | 34.5 | 15,814 | 29.9 |


|  | Net Income <br> per Share | Net Income per Share <br> (Diluted) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| FY2013 yen | yen <br> FY2012 $3^{38.13}$ | 38.04 |

Non-Consolidated Financial Position

|  | Total Assets | Net Assets | Shareholders' <br> Equity Ratio | Net Assets <br> per Share |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| FY2013 | Millions of yen | Millions of yen | yen | y <br> FY2012 529,548 |
| 282,789 | 53.4 | 554.49 |  |  |
|  | 516,419 | 281,625 | 54.5 | 544.53 |

(Note) Shareholders' Equity : March 31, 2014: 282,521 million yen, March 31, 2013: 281,319 million yer
Note: Execution chart for audit procedures
The Financial Instruments and Exchange Law does not require this brief announcement of the most recent financial statements to be subject to audit review. The review procedure of financial statements based on the Financial Instruments and Exchange Law is not completed at the time of the disclosure of these consolidated financial statements.

## Note: Remarks on appropriate use of forecasted results of operation and other special matters

The earnings forecasts and other forward-looking statements presented in this report are based on information available at the time of the report and on certain assumptions that the Company considers reasonable. Forwardlooking statements in no capacity represent a guarantee that the Company will achieve the stated amounts. Various factors can cause actual results to differ materially from the forecasts.

## I. Consolidated Business Results

(1) Analysis of Operating Results

Please see the following attachment of materials from the Presentation Meeting on the Financial Results for Fiscal Year 2013 and FY2014-2016 Medium-term Management Plan. http://www.sekisuichemical.com/ir/pdf/20140428kge.pdf
[The Presentation Meeting is scheduled to be held on April 28, 2014, at 4:30 p.m. Japan time]

## (2) Consolidated Financial Position

1) Cash Flow (April 1, 2013, to March 31, 2014)

Net cash provided by operating activities amounted to $¥ 97.7$ billion. Cash inflows included $¥ 72.4$ billion in income before income taxes and minority interests and $¥ 34.3$ billion in depreciation and amortization along with a $¥ 9.6$ billion loss on impairment of fixed assets and goodwill and increases of $¥ 8.1$ billion increase in advances received and $¥ 6.1$ billion in notes and accounts payable. These exceeded cash outflows, which included $¥ 18.2$ billion in income taxes paid and a $¥ 13.2$ billion increase in notes and accounts receivable.

Net cash used in investing activities amounted to $¥ 60.9$ billion. The decrease was primarily due to $¥ 28.5$ billion utilized for purchases of property, plant, and equipment focused on priority and growth fields and a $¥ 23.8$ billion net increase in time deposits.

Net cash used in financing activities amounted to $¥ 49.8$ billion. The main elements in the decline were $¥ 11.8$ billion in cash dividends paid, a $¥ 10.0$ billion purchase of treasury stock, and a $¥ 29.9$ billion net decrease in interest-bearing debt.

The result of the above was cash and cash equivalents of $¥ 51.2$ billion at the end of fiscal year 2013 .

## 2) Fiscal Year 2014 Forecast

Business operations will continue to be conducted with investment concentration in priority and growth fields and an emphasis on cash flow.

## Reference: Trends in Cash Flow Indicators

|  | Fiscal year ended <br> March 31, 2010 | Fiscal year ended <br> March 31, 2011 | Fiscal year ended <br> March 31, 2012 | Fiscal year ended <br> March 31, 2013 | Fiscal year ended <br> March 31, 2014 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Equity ratio (\%) | 43.4 | 43.0 | 42.5 | 46.4 | 47.5 |
| Shareholders' equity ratio based on market value (\%) | 42.3 | 43.0 | 44.7 | 59.1 | 56.9 |
| Ratio of interest-bearing liabilities to cash flow | 1.8 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.6 | 1.0 |
| Interest coverage ratio | 29.4 | 24.6 | 24.2 | 23.5 | 37.2 |

Equity ratio $=$ Equity $/$ Total assets
Shareholders' equity ratio based on market value $=$ Total market value of listed shares $/$ Total assets
Ratio of interest-bearing liabilities to cash flow = Interest-bearing debt / Cash flow
Interest coverage ratio $=$ Cash flow $/$ Interest payments
(Note)

1. All indicators are calculated from consolidated figures.
2. Total market value of listed shares is calculated by multiplying the closing stock price at the fiscal term end by the total number of shares outstanding at the fiscal term end excluding treasury stock.
3. Cash flow is the cash flow of operating activities reported in the consolidated statement of cash flows.
4. Interest-bearing debt represents the total amount of debt on which the company pays interest reported in the consolidated balance sheet. The interest payment amount is the amount reported in the consolidated statement of cash flows.

## (3) Fundamental Profit Distribution Policy and Dividends for Fiscal Years 2013 and 2014

Increasing corporate value and returning profit to shareholders are fundamental management objectives at Sekisui Chemical. The Company's profit distribution policy is to take into account performance results with a management objective for shareholder return to maintain a stable dividend level with a target dividend payout ratio of $30 \%$ on a consolidated basis. The company pays dividends twice annually, with the dates of record set as the last day of the first half (September 30) and the last day of the fiscal year (March 31). In line with company policy, when in possession of surplus funds, these funds are used for share buyback programs to enhance shareholder return as well as to improve capital efficiency and increase earnings per share. Internal cash reserves are utilized for R\&D, capital investment, strategic investment, loans and investments, and other activities essential to the future growth of corporate value.

In consideration of the Company's ongoing solid performance, the target payout ratio, and other factors, the Company has revised the planned dividend distribution amount for fiscal year 2013 as shown in the following table.

|  | Dividend Per Share (yen) |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | End of 1H | Fiscal year end | Total |
| Previous forecast <br> (announced October 30, 2013) | 11.00 | 11.00 | 22.00 |
| Revised forecast | - | 12.00 | 23.00 |
| Actual amount | 11.00 | - | -18.00 |
| Previous fiscal year amount <br> (Fiscal year ended March 2013) | 9.00 | 9.00 |  |

In fiscal year 2014, the Company plans to provide a first half dividend of $¥ 12$ and a second half dividend of $¥ 12$ for a full-year dividend distribution of $¥ 24$ per share.
II. Consolidated Financial Statement (Fiscal Year 2013)
(1) Consolidated Balance Sheets
(Millions of Yen)


|  | End Fiscal Year 2012 <br> As of March 31, 2013 | End Fiscal Year 2013 <br> As of March 31, 2014 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| (Liabilities) |  |  |
| Current liabilities |  |  |
| Notes payable, trade | 7,797 | 8,453 |
| Electronically recorded obligations | 4,963 | 6,520 |
| Accounts payable, trade | 125,403 | 133,861 |
| Short-term debt and current portion of long-term debt | 47,590 | 44,146 |
| Bonds redeemable within one year | - | 10,000 |
| Lease obligation | 2,953 | 2,907 |
| Accrued expenses | 29,977 | 32,056 |
| Accrued income taxes and other taxes | 6,747 | 18,286 |
| Deferred income taxes | 225 | 371 |
| Allowance for bonuses to employees | 15,410 | 17,250 |
| Allowance for bonuses to directors and corporate auditors | 207 | 261 |
| Provision for compensation for completed constructions | 1,223 | 1,132 |
| Advances received | 49,123 | 57,365 |
| Other | 43,915 | 55,752 |
| Total current liabilities | 335,539 | 388,365 |
| Long-term liabilities |  |  |
| Bonds less current maturities | 20,000 | 10,000 |
| Long-term debt less current portion | 39,650 | 20,459 |
| Lease obligation | 5,126 | 6,496 |
| Deferred income taxes | 5,104 | 4,923 |
| Accrued retirement benefits | 57,274 | - |
| Liability for retirement benefits | - | 51,100 |
| Other | 5,640 | 6,109 |
| Total long-term liabilities | 132,797 | 99,089 |
| Total liabilities | 468,336 | 487,454 |
| (Net assets) |  |  |
| Shareholders' equity |  |  |
| Common stock | 100,002 | 100,002 |
| Capital surplus | 109,234 | 109,234 |
| Retained earnings | 209,280 | 240,231 |
| Treasury stock | -11,577 | -20,347 |
| Total shareholders' equity | 406,939 | 429,120 |
| Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss): |  |  |
| Unrealized holding gain on securities | 17,778 | 19,001 |
| Deferred gain on hedges | 47 | 7 |
| Unrealized gain on land revaluation | 260 | 261 |
| Translation adjustments | -6,443 | 6,959 |
| Accumulated adjustment on retirement benefits | - | 1,468 |
| Total accumulated other comprehensive income | 11,642 | 27,698 |
| Stock acquisition rights | 306 | 267 |
| Minority interests | 14,339 | 16,468 |
| Total net assets | 433,228 | 473,555 |
| Total liabilities, net assets | 901,564 | 961,009 |

(2) Consolidated Statement of Income and Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income (Consolidated Statement of Income)
(Millions of Yen)

|  | Fiscal Year 2012 (From April 1, 2012 to March 31, 2013) | Fiscal Year 2013 (From April 1, 2013 to March 31, 2014) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | 1,032,431 | 1,110,851 |
| Cost of sales | 729,971 | 774,753 |
| Gross profit | 302,460 | 336,097 |
| Selling, general \& administrative expenses | 242,838 | 253,555 |
| Operating Income | 59,621 | 82,541 |
| Non-operating income |  |  |
| Interest income | 909 | 1,029 |
| Dividend income | 2,075 | 3,094 |
| Equity in earnings of affiliates | 1,249 | 2,070 |
| Foreign exchange gain, net | 4,827 | 3,273 |
| Miscellaneous income | 4,134 | 4,364 |
| Total non-operating income | 13,195 | 13,832 |
| Non-operating expenses $\quad \square$ |  |  |
| Interest expenses | 2,550 | 2,266 |
| Sales discounts | 332 | 345 |
| Miscellaneous expenses | 9,265 | 10,453 |
| Total non-operating expenses | 12,147 | 13,064 |
| Ordinary income | 60,670 | 83,310 |
| Extraordinary income |  |  |
| Gain on sales of property, plant and equipment | 1,815 | - |
| Total extraordinary income | 1,815 | - |
| Extraordinary loss |  |  |
| Loss on impairment of fixed assets and goodwill | 5,243 | 9,642 |
| Retirement benefit expenses | 9,536 | - |
| Loss on devaluation of investments in securities | 2,022 | - |
| Loss on sales or disposal of property, plant and equipment | 1,186 | 1,241 |
| Total extraordinary loss | 17,989 | 10,884 |
| Income before income taxes and minority interests | 44,495 | 72,426 |
| Income taxes |  |  |
| Current | 17,241 | 29,664 |
| Deferred | -3,967 | 393 |
| Total income taxes | 13,274 | 30,058 |
| Income before minority interests | 31,221 | 42,368 |
| Minority interests | 1,047 | 1,177 |
| Net income | 30,174 | 41,190 |

(Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income)

> (Millions of Yen)

|  | Fiscal Year 2012 (From April 1, 2012 to March 31, 2013) | Fiscal Year 2013 (From April 1, 2013 to March 31, 2014) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Income before minority interests | 31,221 | 42,368 |
| Other comprehensive income (loss) |  |  |
| Unrealized holding gain on securities | 25,099 | 954 |
| Deferred loss (gain) on hedges | 63 | -40 |
| Translation adjustments | 20,805 | 14,389 |
| Comprehensive income of affiliates accounted for by the equity method attributable to the Company | 247 | 272 |
| Total other comprehensive income | 46,215 | 15,576 |
| Comprehensive income | 77,437 | 57,944 |
| Comprehensive income attributable to: |  |  |
| Shareholders of the Company | 74,960 | 55,778 |
| Minority shareholders | 2,476 | 2,166 |

(3) Consolidated Statement of Changes in Net Assets

Fiscal 2012 (April 1, 2012 to March 31, 2013)

|  | (Millions of Yen) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Shareholders' Equity |  |  |  |  |
|  | Common stock | Capital surplus | Retained earnings | Treasury stock, at cost | Total shareholders' equity |
| Balance at the beginning of the current accouting period | 100,002 | 109,288 | 192,856 | -17,352 | 384,795 |
| Changes |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cash dividends |  |  | -8,767 |  | -8,767 |
| Net income for the year |  |  | 30,174 |  | 30,174 |
| Decrease in retained earnings resulting from inclusion of subsidiaries in consolidation |  |  |  |  |  |
| Retirement of treasury stock |  | -5,046 |  | 5,046 |  |
| Increase in treasury stock |  |  |  | -14 | -14 |
| Gain on sales of treasury stock |  | 9 |  | 742 | 751 |
| Transfer from retained earnings to capital surplus |  | 4,983 | -4,983 |  |  |
| Net changes of items other than shareholders' equity |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Changes |  | -53 | 16,423 | 5,774 | 22,144 |
| Balance at the end of the current accouting period | 100,002 | 109,234 | 209,280 | -11,577 | 406,939 |


|  | Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) |  |  |  |  |  | Stock acquisition rights | Minority interests | Total net assets |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Unrealized holding gain (loss) on securities | $\begin{gathered} \text { Deferred } \\ \text { gain } \\ \text { (loss) on } \\ \text { hedges } \end{gathered}$ | Unrealized gain on land revaluation | Translation adjustments | Accumu- <br> lated <br> adjustments on retirement benefits | Total accumulated other comprehensive income |  |  |  |
| Balance at the beginning of the current accouting period | -7,556 | -16 | 260 | -25,830 |  | -33,143 | 474 | 11,173 | 363,299 |
| Changes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cash dividends |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | -8,767 |
| Net income for the year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 30,174 |
| Decrease in retained earnings resulting from inclusion of subsidiaries in consolidation |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Retirement of treasury stock |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Increase in treasury stock |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | -14 |
| Gain on sales of treasury stock |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 751 |
| Transfer from retained earnings to capital surplus |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net changes of items other than shareholders' equity | 25,335 | 63 | - | 19,386 |  | 44,786 | -168 | 3,166 | 47,783 |
| Total Changes | 25,335 | 63 | - | 19,386 |  | 44,786 | -168 | 3,166 | 69,928 |
| Balance at the end of the current accouting period | 17,778 | 47 | 260 | -6,443 |  | 11,642 | 306 | 14,339 | 433,228 |

Fiscal 2013 (April 1, 2013 to March 31, 2014)

|  | (Millions of Yen) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Shareholders' Equity |  |  |  |  |
|  | Common stock | Capital surplus | Retained earnings | Treasury stock, at cost | Total shareholders' equity |
| Balance at the beginning of the current accounting period | 100,002 | 109,234 | 209,280 | -11,577 | 406,939 |
| Changes |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cash dividends |  |  | -10,342 |  | -10,342 |
| Net income for the year |  |  | 41,190 |  | 41,190 |
| Decrease in retained earnings resulting from inclusion of subsidiaries in consolidation |  |  | 134 |  | 134 |
| Retirement of treasury stock |  |  |  |  |  |
| Increase in treasury stock |  |  |  | -10,038 | -10,038 |
| Gain on sales of treasury stock |  | -30 |  | 1,268 | 1,238 |
| Transfer from retained earnings to capital surplus |  | 30 | -30 |  |  |
| Net changes of items other than shareholders' equity |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Changes |  |  | 30,951 | -8,770 | 22,180 |
| Balance at the end of the current accounting period | 100,002 | 109,234 | 240,231 | -20,347 | 429,120 |


|  | Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) |  |  |  |  |  | Stock acquisition rights | Minority interests | Total net assets |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Unrealized holding gain (loss) on securities | Deferred gain (loss) on hedges | Unrealized gain on land revaluation | Translation adjustments | Accumulated adjustments on retirement benefits | Total accumulated other comprehensive income |  |  |  |
| Balance at the beginning of the current accounting period | 17,778 | 47 | 260 | -6,443 |  | 11,642 | 306 | 14,339 | 433,228 |
| Changes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cash dividends |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | -10,342 |
| Net income for the year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 41,190 |
| Decrease in retained earnings resulting from inclusion of subsidiaries in consolidation |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 134 |
| Retirement of treasury stock |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Increase in treasury stock |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | -10,038 |
| Gain on sales of treasury stock |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1,238 |
| Transfer from retained earnings to capital surplus |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net changes of items other than shareholders' equity | 1,223 | -40 | 1 | 13,403 | 1,468 | 16,055 | -38 | 2,128 | 18,146 |
| Total Changes | 1,223 | -40 | 1 | 13,403 | 1,468 | 16,055 | -38 | 2,128 | 40,326 |
| Balance at the end of the current accounting period | 19,001 | 7 | 261 | 6,959 | 1,468 | 27,698 | 267 | 16,468 | 473,555 |

(4)Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

|  | Fiscal Year 2012 (From April 1, 2012 to March 31, 2013) | Fiscal Year 2013 (From April 1, 2013 to March 31, 2014) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Operating activities |  |  |
| Income before income taxes and minority interests | 44,495 | 72,426 |
| Depreciation and amortization | 34,895 | 34,376 |
| Amortization of goodwill | 3,232 | 2,957 |
| Loss on impairment of fixed assets and goodwill | 5,243 | 9,642 |
| Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment | 1,089 | 1,125 |
| Loss on devaluation of investment in securities | 2,022 |  |
| Loss (gain) on sales of property, plant and equipment | -1,718 | 116 |
| Increase in accrued retirement benefits | 9,902 |  |
| Decrease in liability for retirement benefits | - | -3,326 |
| Interest and dividends income | -2,984 | -4,124 |
| Interest expenses | 2,882 | 2,611 |
| Equity in earnings of affiliates | -1,249 | -2,070 |
| Increase in notes and accounts receivable | -3,179 | -13,206 |
| Increase in inventories | -1,715 | -12,424 |
| Increase (decrease) in notes and accounts payable | -1,384 | 6,139 |
| Increase in advances received | 1,730 | 8,156 |
| Other | 3,232 | 8,886 |
| Subtotal | 96,496 | 111,284 |
| Interest and dividends received | 3,420 | 4,536 |
| Interest paid | -3,023 | -2,626 |
| Income taxes refund | - | 2,806 |
| Income taxes paid | -25,876 | -18,280 |
| Net cash provided by operating activities | 71,016 | 97,720 |
| Investing activities |  |  |
| Purchases of property, plant and equipment | -29,211 | -28,580 |
| Proceeds from sales of property, plant and equipment | 4,805 | 856 |
| Payments into time deposits | -50,084 | -71,109 |
| Proceeds from withdrawal of time deposits | 47,970 | 47,228 |
| Purchases of investments in securities | -227 | -315 |
| Proceeds from sales or redemption of investments in securities | 1,936 | 230 |
| Acquisition of securities in subsidiaries | -2,322 | -4,346 |
| Acquisition of businesses | -448 |  |
| Purchase of intangible assets | -2,840 | -3,342 |
| Decrease in short-term loans receivable | 79 | 19 |
| Other | -791 | -1,554 |
| Net cash used in investing activities | -31,133 | -60,914 |
| Financing activities |  |  |
| Decrease in short-term debt, net | -5,860 | -115 |
| Repayments of lease obligations | -3,459 | -3,421 |
| Proceeds from long-term debt | 4,454 | 4,981 |
| Repayment of long-term debt | -18,717 | -31,409 |
| Proceeds from stock issuance to minority shareholders | 1,506 | 994 |
| Cash dividends paid | -8,777 | -10,351 |
| Cash dividends paid to minority shareholders of consolidated subsidiaries | -456 | -1,538 |
| Purchase of treasury stock | -14 | -10,038 |
| Other | 804 | 1,095 |
| Net cash used in financing activities | -30,520 | -49,803 |
| Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents | 3,939 | 3,071 |
| Net decrease (increase) in cash and cash equivalents | 13,302 | -9,926 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year | 45,146 | 58,631 |
| Increase in cash and cash equivalents from newly consolidated subsidiary | 182 | 2,543 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of year | 58,631 | 51,248 |

(5) Notes regarding the premise of a going concern

No significant changes during the term under review
(6) Important items regarding the basis of preparation of the consolidated financial statements change in accounting policy (Application of accounting principles for retirement benefits)

Effective beginning at the end of the current consolidated fiscal year, the Company is applying the Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits (Accounting Standards Board of Japan (ASBJ) Statement No. 26, issued on May 17, 2012) and Guidance on Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits (ASBJ Guidance No. 25, issued on May 17, 2012) (subject to provisions stated in Clause 35 of the Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits and Clause 67 of the Guidance on Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits). The Company has adopted the method of deducting the amount of pension assets from the retirement benefit obligation and reporting it as liability for retirement benefits and reporting the unrecognized actuarial differences and unrecognized prior service costs as part of the liability for retirement benefits. In accordance with the transitional treatment prescribed in Clause 37 of the Retirement Benefits Accounting Standard, the Company applied the Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits at the end of the consolidated fiscal year under review and the effect of the accounting change was reflected as an accumulated adjustment on retirement benefits in the accumulated other comprehensive income.

As a result, the Company accounted $¥ 51,100$ million in liability for retirement benefits and an increase of $¥ 1,468$ million in accumulated other comprehensive income at the end of the current fiscal vear

## (7) Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

## I. Segment Information

a) Overview of the Reporting Segments

The Company's reporting segments are determined on the basis that separate financial information of such segments are available and examined periodically by the Board of Directors to make decisions regarding the allocation of management resources and assess the business performances of such segments.

Sekisui Chemical has divided its business operations into the three segments of Housing, Urban Infrastructure \& Environmental Products (UIEP), and High Performance Plastics (HPP) based on manufacturing methods, products, sales channels, and other business similarities. Each business segment formulates comprehensive strategies and develops business activities for its products in Japan and overseas.

The Housing business comprises of manufacturing, construction, sales, refurbishing, and other operations related to unit housing. The UIEP business comprises of manufacturing, sales, and construction operations related to PVC pipes and joints, polyethylene pipes and joints, pipe and drain renewal materials and construction methods, reinforced plastic pipe, and construction materials. The HPP business comprises of manufacturing and sales of interlayer films for laminated glass, polyolefin foam, tape, LCD fine particles and photosensitive materials, diagnostic reagents and other products.
b) Valuation method for reporting segment profit (loss) and asset amounts

The accounting methods for the reporting business segments is presented in accordance with "Important fundamental matters for preparing consolidated financial statements." The reporting segment profit figures are based on operating profit. Intersegment internal rates of return and the amounts transferred are presented based on the current market prices at the time of this report.
c) Net sales, income (loss), assets data by reporting segmen 1

Fiscal 2012 (April 1, 2012 to March 31, 2013),


Note1: The Other segment is not a reporting segment, which includes manufacturing and sales of agricultural and construction materials, and provision of services.
2: Depreciation and amortization and increase in tangible fixed assets and intangible fixed assets include depreciation related to long-term prepaid expenses and associated costs.

Fiscal 2013 (April 1, 2013 to March 31, 2014,


Note1: The Other segment is not a reporting segment, which includes manufacturing and sales of agricultural and construction materials, and provision of services.

2: Depreciation and amortization and increase in tangible fixed assets and intangible fixed assets include depreciation related to long-term prepaid expenses and associated costs.
d) Difference between the total of reporting segments in incomes (losses) and the corresponding amounts reported in the consolidated financial statements, and the primary items contributing to the difference
(Items related to the difference)
Fiscal 2012 (April 1, 2012 to March 31, 2013),

| Net Sales | (Millions of Yen) |
| :--- | ---: |
| Total of reporting segments | $1,015,570$ |
| Other Business Sales | 40,492 |
| Inter-segment elimination total | $-23,632$ |
| Net Sales | $1,032,431$ |


| Income | (Millions of Yen) |
| :--- | ---: |
| Total of reporting segments | 61,384 |
| Other Business loss | $-1,287$ |
| Inter-segment elimination total | 551 |
| Corporate expenses (Note) | $-1,026$ |
| Operating Income | 59,621 |

Note: Corporate expenses are mainly general administrative expenses not attributable to a reporting segment.

| Assets | (Millions of Yen) |
| :--- | ---: |
| Total of reporting segments | 740,852 |
| Assets classified as Other Business | 41,432 |
| Inter-segment elimination total | $-107,125$ |
| Corporate assets | 226,405 |
| Total Assets | 901,564 |

Note: Corporate assets are assets not associated with the reporting segments. The main items were non-consolidated cash and deposits, long-term investments (investments in securities), assets related to administrative operations and deferred income taxes.

| Other item | Reporting <br> Segment | Others | Adjusted <br> amount <br> (Note) | The <br> corresponding <br> amountr seported <br> in the <br> conedidated |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Depreciation and amortization | 32,380 | 1,902 | 712 | 34,895 |
| Investment in equity-method affiliate | 6,869 | - | 23,974 | 30,844 |
| Increase in tangible fixed assets and intangible <br> fixed assets | 34,446 | 1,561 | 835 | 36,842 |

Note: Adjustment for investment in equity-method affiliate represents the amount invested in equity-method affiliate companies which are not associated with the reporting segments.

Fiscal 2013 (April 1, 2013 to March 31, 2014)

| Net Sales | (Millions of Yen) |
| :--- | ---: |
| Total of reporting segments | $1,090,514$ |
| Other Business Sales | 43,799 |
| Inter-segment elimination total | $-23,462$ |
| Net Sales | $1,110,851$ |


| Income | (Millions of Yen) |
| :--- | ---: |
| Total of reporting segments | 83,668 |
| Other Business loss | -778 |
| Inter-segment elimination total | 1,103 |
| Corporate expenses (Note) | $-1,451$ |
| Operating Income | 82,541 |

Note: Corporate expenses are mainly general administrative expenses not attributable to a reporting segment.

| Assets | (Millions of Yen) |
| :--- | ---: |
| Total of reporting segments | 797,569 |
| Assets classified as Other Business | 40,940 |
| Inter-segment elimination total | $-111,138$ |
| Corporate assets | 233,637 |
| Total Assets | 961,009 |

Note: Corporate assets are assets not associated with the reporting segments. The main items were non-consolidated cash and deposits, long-term investments (investments in securities), assets related to administrative operations and deferred income taxes.

|  | (Millions of Yen) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Other item | Reporting Segment | Others | Adjusted amount (Note) | The corresponding amounts reported in the consolidated financial |
| Depreciation and amortization | 32,210 | 1,534 | 631 | 34,376 |
| Investment in equity-method affiliate | 7,385 | - | 25,614 | 33,000 |
| Increase in tangible fixed assets and intangible fixed assets | 39,262 | 1,468 | 1,097 | 41,827 |

Note: Adjustment for investment in equity-method affiliate represents the amount invested in equity-method affiliate companies which are not associated with the reporting segments.
II. Relevance information

Fiscal 2012 (April 1, 2012 to March 31, 2013)
a. Product and service information

This information is presented in the segment data and is therefore omitted here.
b. Geographical information
1.Net Sales
(Millions of Yen)

|  | Japan | United States | Europe | Asia | Others | Total |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| Net Sales | 794,573 | 76,716 | 63,381 | 87,284 | 10,476 | $1,032,431$ |

Note 1: Net sales are classified by country or region based on client location
2.Property, plant and equipment, net
(Millions of Yen)

|  | Japan | United States | Europe | Asia | Others | Total |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Property, plant and equipment, net | 175,738 | 17,739 | 21,825 | 23,213 | 2,137 | 240,654 |

c. Loss on impairment of fixed assets

| (Millions of Yen) |  |
| ---: | ---: |
| ons or <br> atable <br> nts | Total |
| - | 5,243 |

d. Goodwill


Fiscal 2013 (April 1, 2013 to March 31, 2014)
a. Product and service information

This information is presented in the segment data and is therefore omitted here.
b. Geographical information
1.Net Sales

| (Millions of Yen) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| Net Sales | Japan | United States | Europe | Asia | Others | Total |  |

Note 1: Net sales are classified by country or region based on client location
2.Property, plant and equipment, net

| (Millions of Yen) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: | :---: |
| Property, plant and equipment, net | Japan | United States | Europe | Asia | Others | Total |  |  |
|  | 176,842 | 19,231 | 24,045 | 29,859 | 2,073 | 252,051 |  |  |

c. Loss on impairment of fixed assets

|  | Housing |  | High Performance Plastics | Other Business | Eliminations or Unallocatable Accounts | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Loss on impairment of fixed assets | 434 | 1,370 | 7,837 |  |  | 9,642 |

d. Goodwill

|  | (Millions of Yen) |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Housing | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Urban } \\ \text { Infrastructure \& } \\ \text { Environmental } \\ \text { Products } \end{gathered}$ | High <br> Performance Plastics | Other Business | Eliminations or Unallocatable Accounts | Total |
| Amortization of goodwill at this term |  | 321 | 2,636 | -0 |  | 2,957 |
| Balance at the end of the current accounting period |  | 1,338 | 11,555 |  |  | 12,893 |

