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# Results Presentation of FY2022 3Q

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## **Assumptions: Key Performance Indicators**

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	FY2021 3Q Cumulative (Apr-Dec) Actual	FY2022 3Q Cumulative (Apr-Dec) Actual	FY2021 Actual	FY2022 Forecast as of November	FY2022 Revised Forecast (announced January 13)
Forex (¥/\$)	111.0	135.7	112.1 (4Q : 115.4 (Jan-Mar))	138.3 (40:145.0 (Jan-Mar))	<b>134.8</b> (4Q:132.0 (Jan-Mar))
Japan Naphtha (¥/Kl)	53,800	79,900	<b>56,800</b> (4Q : 65,800 (Jan-Mar)	<b>77,800</b> (4Q : 72,800 (Jan-Mar)	<b>75,900</b> (4Q : 63,900 (Jan-Mar)
					(¥ billions)
Investment	27.8	28.1	35.6	43.0	43.0
Depreciation	17.6	20.2	23.9	26.0	26.0
R&D	10.9	11.3	14.2	15.0	15.0
Interest Bearing Debt	135.7	178.4	137.0	164.0	164.0

Naphtha prices remained lower than expected, however the yen appreciated more than expected

# FY2022 3Q Results

(¥ billions)	FY2021 3Q Cumulative (Apr-Dec) Actual	FY2022 3Q Cumulative (Apr-Dec) Actual	(Year on Year)
Sales	284.0	308.7	+ 24.8
Operating Income	32.2	26.1	- 6.1
Operating Margin	11.3%	8.4%	- 2.9%
Ordinary Income	30.1	23.7	- 6.4
Net Income Attributable to Owners of Parent	22.9	8.8*	- 14.1

\*Extraordinary Losses of -17.0 billion yen due to withdrawal from cement business (cumulative 3Q) \*Sale of strategic cross-shareholdings +3.1 billion yen (cumulative 3Q)

# Lower profit year on year

	_		YoY (¥	∉ billions)
Sales	30	8.7 billion	+24	4.8
1. Volume:		(See below)	-	8.7
2. Pricing:		(See below)	+	33.5
Operating Income	26	5.1 billion	_ (	6.1
1. Volume	(Plus) (Minus)	COVID-19 antigen test kits: Increased demand with the 7th and 8th wave of infections Semiconductor-related, functional resins: Deceleration of market activity in China for consumer electronics (smartphones, TVs, PCs, home appliances) Chloroprene rubber: Lower demand for applications in industry, adhesives, automobiles, e	+ etc.	11.4
2. Pricing:	(Includes	effect of currency fluctuations +23.7)		
	(Plus) (Minus)	Acetylene black: Significant price revision in line with product value Chloroprene rubber, styrene-related products, etc.: Price revisions in response to higher ra materials and fuel prices COVID-19 antigen test kits: Price declines due to reduction in insurance points	aw +	33.5
3. Variable cost difference:	-	effect of currency fluctuations -16.1) ease for raw materials, fuel prices, etc.	-	37.4
4. Cost variances:	styrene m	costs for building a system to increase production and for strengthening sales systems; nonomer plant scheduled for routine repairs in the first half (last performed in FY2018), increa ogistics costs, etc.	ase -	13.5
Pro	fit dec	rease due to negative cost and variable cost variances,		

despite positive volume and selling price variances

#### FY2022 3Q Results c) Graph of Operating Income Change Factors (Year on Year)

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(¥ billions)



Profit decrease due to negative cost and variable cost variances, despite positive volume and selling price variances

## FY2022 3Q Results d) By Segment (Year on Year)

Sales (¥billions)	FY2021 3Q Cumulative (Apr-Dec)Actual	FY2022 3Q Cumulative (Apr-Dec)Actual	Incr. Decr.	Volume	Pricing
Electronics & Innovative Products	66.2	69.8	+ 3.6	- 8.5	+ 12.1
Life Innovation	36.2	38.8	+ 2.6	+ 21.8	- 19.1
Elastomers & Infrastructure Solutions	77.5	94.5	+17.0	- 4.6	+ 21.6
Polymer Solutions	92.7	93.9	+ 1.2	- 17.7	+ 18.9
Others	11.4	11.7	+ 0.3	+ 0.3	-
Total	284.0	308.7	+24.8	- 8.7	+ 33.5

Operating Income (¥ billions)	FY2021 3Q Cumulative (Apr-Dec)Actual	FY2022 3Q Cumulative (Apr-Dec)Actual	lncr. Decr.	Volume	Pricing	Cost& Others
Electronics & Innovative Products	13.8	13.8	- 0.0	- 4.0	+ 12.1	- 8.2
Life Innovation	11.9	11.5	- 0.4	+ 19.5	- 19.1	- 0.7
Elastomers & Infrastructure Solutions	-1.2	- 0.0	+ 1.1	- 1.5	+ 21.6	- 18.9
Polymer Solutions	6.3	-1.1	- 7.4	- 3.5	+ 18.9	- 22.8
Others	1.3	1.9	+ 0.5	+ 0.9	-	- 0.3
Total	32.2	26.1	- 6.1	+ 11.4	+ 33.5	- 50.9

## Sharp decline in profit for Polymer Solutions

## FY2022 3Q Results e) Electronics & Innovative Products (Year on Year)

13.8

5.6

2Q

4.1

3Q

-0.0 billion

4.1

FY2022

1Q

4.9

4Q

4.6

3Q

## **Operating Income Variance Analysis** (¥ billions) (Year on Year) +12.113.8 13.8 - 8.2 - 4.0

Costs

Pricing

#### Sales Trends and Costs by Product

2Q

**Operating Income by Quarter** 

13.8

4.8

4.4

FY2021

1Q

• Demand for xEVs has been recovering since July; but demand from consumer electronics (smartphones, PCs, Spherical alumina home appliances) weakened beginning in October, resulting in lower shipments year on year for cumulative 3Q

Fused silica High-performance film

Acetylene black

FY2021

30 Cumulative

Volume

• Weakness in consumer electronics (smartphones, PCs, home appliances) in the first half was offset by a recovery in automotive applications; but demand from consumer electronics weakened further beginning in October, and shipments fell year on year

- Strong shipments for high-voltage cables continued from the previous year • Shipments for xEV-related products, which began recovering in July last year, were generally level year on year through 3Q
  - Sales prices rose sharply due to price revisions in line with product value

Ceramic substrates (silicon nitride, aluminum nitride)

Demand from electric railways remained sluggish as in the previous fiscal year • Shipments for xEV-related products, which began recovering in July last year, were generally level year on year through 3Q

Cost

Increased costs due to rising raw materials and fuel prices (corresponding to product prices), increase in costs for systems to increase production, cost to strengthen sales systems

Despite the impact of acetylene black price revisions, demand for consumer electronics (smartphones, PCs, home appliances) weakened, leading to level results year on year

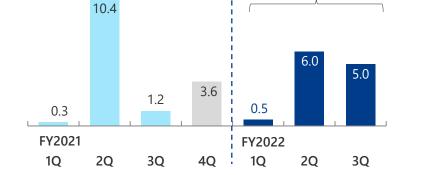
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FY2022

3Q Cumulative

### FY2022 3Q Results e) Life Innovation (Year on Year)

# Denka **Operating Income Variance** Analysis (Year on Year) +19.5



-0.4 billion

11.5



#### Sales Trends and Costs by Product

**Operating Income by Quarter** 

11.9-

Influenza vaccine

Shipment increased year on year due to increased production in connection with the new undiluted liquid plant building, despite a significant decrease in consumption rates for supply volume in the market compared to the previous year

COVID-19 rapid antigen test kit

- Even in the absence of supply to the Japanese government to the degree of the previous year, shipments were significantly higher year on year for test kits in Japan due to the 7th and 8th wave of infections
  - Selling prices fell sharply due to the reduction of insurance points on December 31, 2021

Other test reagents (Inflammation markets, etc.)

 Despite the trend of increasing demand for testing, shipments were lower year on year due to a decrease in demand for hospital testing as a result of the activity restrictions during China's Zero-COVID policy, as well as self-restraint after the government's easing of measures

#### Despite increased profit for influenza vaccines, overall profit was level year on year due to decrease in profit for COVID-19 antigen test kits (impact of price decline > impact of volume increase)

(¥ billions)

## FY2022 3Q Results e) Elastomers & Infrastructure Solutions (Year on Year)

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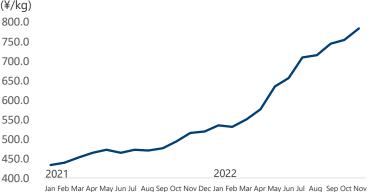


#### Sales Trends and Costs by Product

Chloroprene	•	Shipments were lower year on year due to inventory reductions at users in	[(
rubber		response to declining demand in industrial, adhesive, automotive, and other	(¥/kg
		applications, as well as intensified competition with the products of other	800.0
		companies	750.0

- Spread improved due to price hikes in response to rising raw materials costs 700.0 (additional price increase in September of last year (4th increase))
- Special cement Largely unchanged from last year additives
- The 2,300 yen/ton price increase is almost complete (as of September 30)
   Progress in the 3000 yen/ton price increase has been delayed
  - Coal prices soared (FY2021 3Q Cumulative: \$153/t ⇒ FY2022 3Q Cumulative: \$392/t)

[Customs Statistics] Chloroprene rubber (dry + latex) export unit price



Despite a large increase in cement costs due to a sharp rise in coal prices, overall profit improved due to higher profits related to chloroprene rubber (impact of price hikes > impact of demand decline)

## FY2022 3Q Results e) Polymer Solutions (Year on Year)

1.6

4Q

-7.4 billion

-0.1

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1Q

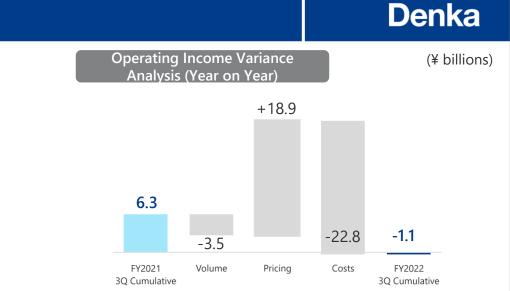
-1.1

-0.0

2Q

-0.9

3Q



#### Sales Trends and Costs by Product

2Q

**Operating Income by Quarter** 

6.3 -

1.8

1.9

3Q

2.6

FY2021

1Q

Μ	IS resin	•	In the first half, weak demand for LGP applications for TVs and PC monitors due to the economic slowdown in the Chinese market was offset by increasing capacity in Singapore to capture replacement demand from competing materials; however, demand weakened further beginning in 3Q, and shipments fell significantly lower year on year
	S, ABS, transparent sins, etc.	•	Global economic slowdowns (e.g., home appliances, etc.) led to increased efforts to reduce inventories at users, resulting in lower shipments year on year
sh	ood wrapping neets and ontainers	•	Shipment volume was lower than the previous year
Тс	byokalon	•	Shipments were lower year on year stemming from continuing weakness in purchasing power in Africa and the U.S. due to inflation
C	ost		Raw materials cost increases (maintained spread due to flexible price revisions) Styrene monomer plant routine repairs (last performed in FY 2018) during the first half increased sales logistics costs
			ons in response to rising raw materials prices implemented to maintain the spread; profit declined significantly due to lower demand caused by economic downturn.

however, profit declined significantly due to lower demand caused by economic downturn, as well as an increase in routine repair and logistics costs.

# FY2022 Earnings Forecast

(¥ billions)	FY2022 Forecast as of November	FY2022 Revised Forecast (announced January 13)	(vs Forecast as of November)	FY2021 Actual	(Year on Year)
Sales	445.0	410.0	- 35.0	384.8	+ 25.2
Operating Income	43.0	33.0	- 10.0	40.1	- 7.1
Operating Margin	9.7%	8.0%	- 1.7%	10.4%	- 2.4%
Ordinary Income	39.0	29.0	- 10.0	36.5	- 7.5
Net Income Attributable to Owners of Parent	18.5	12.0	- 6.5	26.0	- 14.0

## Lower profit compared with forecast as of November

## FY2022 Operating Income Forecast

**33.0 billion yen** (-10.0 billion yen vs forecast as of November)

#### (1) Electronics & Innovative Products -4.0 billion yen

[Volume: -5.2 billion yen]

⇒ Consumer-related products such as high-performance film, fused silica, spherical alumina, etc.

 Market inventories ballooned due to supply chain disruptions during a period of increased demand While the disruption has subsided and supply chain companies are more proactive in reducing inventories, we expect shipments to be lower than actual demand in response to a sharp decline in demand for consumer electronics (smartphones, PCs, home appliances).

### (2) Elastomers & Infrastructure Solutions -5.0 billion yen

[Volume: -5.2 billion yen]

 $\Rightarrow$ Chloroprene rubber

• We expect demand for industrial, adhesive, and automotive applications to decline due to the global economic slowdown, resulting in inventory reductions at users and intensified competition from the products of other companies, including products from China

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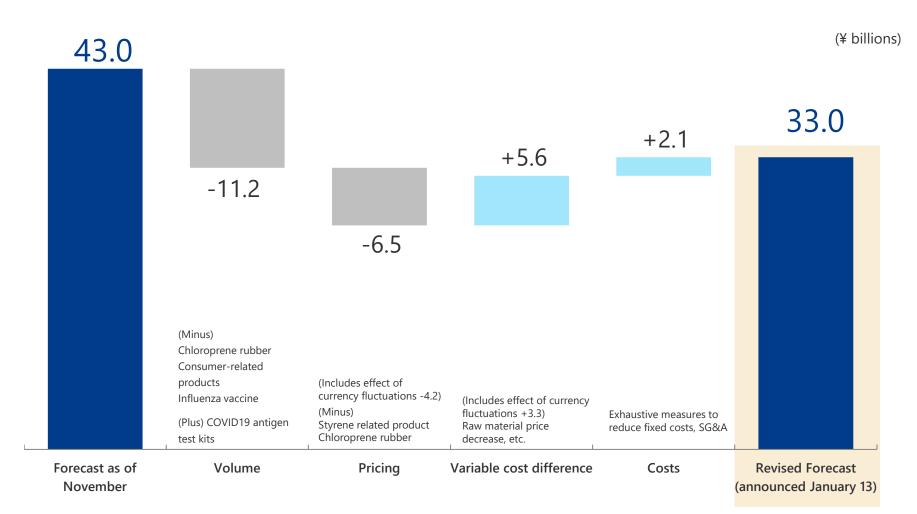
Vs. forecast as of November (¥ billions)

Sales	410.0 billion	- 35.0
1. Volume:	(See below)	- 28.5
2. Pricing:	(See below)	- 6.5
Operating Income	33.0 billion	- 10.0
1. Volume:	<ul> <li>(Minus) Chloroprene rubber: Demand declined sharply due to economic slowdown Consumer-related products (electronic materials-related and functional resins): Sharp decline in demand for smartphones, TVs, PCs, and home appliances Influenza vaccine: Influenza vaccine uptake lower than expected</li> <li>(Plus) COVID-19 antigen test kits: Increased demand with the 8th wave of infections</li> </ul>	- 11.2
2. Pricing:	(Includes effect of currency fluctuations -4.2) (Minus) Styrene-related products: Price revision due to decline in raw materials and fuel prices Chloroprene rubber: Impact of stronger yen	- 6.5
3. Variable cost difference:	(Includes effect of currency fluctuations +3.3) Price decrease for raw materials, fuel prices, etc.	+ 5.6
4. Cost variances:	Exhaustive measures to reduce fixed costs (repairs, etc.), SG&A	+ 2.1

# Forecast profit decrease, despite positive variable cost variances and cost variances, due to negative impact of volume and price variances

#### FY2022 Earnings Forecast d) Graph of Operating Income Change Factors (vs Forecast as of November)

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Forecast profit decrease, despite positive variable cost variances and cost variances, due to negative impact of volume and price variances

### FY2022 Earnings Forecast e) By Segment (vs Forecast as of November)

Sales (¥billions)	FY2022 Forecast as of November	Forecast (announced January 13)	lncr. Decr.	Volume	Pricing
Electronics & Innovative Products	105.0	95.0	-10.0	- 9.3	- 0.7
Life Innovation	50.0	50.0	± 0.0	- 0.4	+ 0.4
Elastomers & Infrastructure Solutions	140.0	125.0	-15.0	- 12.4	- 2.6
Polymer Solutions	135.0	125.0	-10.0	- 6.3	- 3.7
Others	15.0	15.0	± 0.0		-
Total	445.0	410.0	-35.0	- 28.5	- 6.5

FY2022 Revised

Operating Income (¥ billions)	FY2022 Forecast as of November	FY2022 Revised Forecast (announced January 13)	lncr. Decr.	Volume	Pricing	Cost& Others
Electronics & Innovative Products	21.5	17.5	- 4.0	- 5.2	- 0.7	+ 1.9
Life Innovation	13.0	14.0	+ 1.0	+ 0.7	+ 0.4	- 0.2
Elastomers & Infrastructure Solutions	3.5	-1.5	- 5.0	- 5.2	- 2.6	+ 2.7
Polymer Solutions	2.5	1.0	- 1.5	- 1.0	- 3.7	+ 3.2
Others	2.5	2.0	- 0.5	- 0.5	-	- 0.0
Total	43.0	33.0	- 10.0	- 11.2	- 6.5	+ 7.7

We expect a significant profit decline for Electronics & Innovative Products, as well as Elastomers & Infrastructure Solutions

#### FY2022 Earnings Forecast f) Electronics & Innovative Products (vs Forecast as of November)

Operatir	ng Income			-4	.0billion	Operating Income Variance Analysis (vs Forecast as of November)						(‡ DIIIONS
12.2	12.7	14.2	18.7	21.5	17.5		21.5	-5.2	-0.7	+1.9	17.5	
FY2018 Actual	FY2019 Actual	FY2020 Actual	FY2021 Actual	FY2022 Forecast as of November	Revised Forecast		Forecast as of November	Volume	Pricing	Costs	Revised Forecast	
Market Out	tlook and	Sales Tre	nds									
(Market)	Forecast	as of Nov	vember	Revised I (announced		Sales Trends						
Semiconductors	Consume weakened related de compense	emand cou	omotive-	Consumer de weakened gr our forecast a November	eater than	Fused silica: We forecast consumer electronics dema swing downward and be lower than pro- filmFused silica: We forecast consumer electronics dema swing downward and be lower than pro- to be in line						orojected line with
xEV	Gradual r in July	ecovery be	eginning	(No change)		Cerami	al alumina c substrates <sub>ide, aluminum</sub>	downs demar : We fo	st; however ide prospe nd to be lov recast unde decline amo	ct as we p ver than fo erperforma	roject con precast ance due t	sumer
Renewable energy (High voltage- cables)	Continue	d strong d	emand	(No change)		,	ne black		recast dem	-		sumer use

We forecast lower profit due to further weakening in demand for consumer electronics (smartphones, PCs, home appliances)

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### FY2022 Earnings Forecast f) Life Innovation (vs Forecast as of November)

#### **Operating Income Variance Analysis Operating Income** +1.0 billion (vs Forecast as of November) 15.5 14.8 +0.414.0 +0.713.0 -0.2 14.0 13.0 7.0 6.3 FY2018 FY2019 FY2020 FY2021 FY2022 Revised Volume Revised Forecast as Pricing Costs Actual Actual Actual Actual Forecast as of Forecast of November Forecast November Market Outlook and Sales Trends **Revised Forecast** Sales Trends (Market) Forecast as of November (announced January 13) •Outbreaks are in line with : We expect 10 million vaccines to be manufactured Influenza vaccine expectations as planned; however, we project the market We forecast an outbreak to a Vaccination coverage was Influenza consumption to be lower than expected initially certain degree much lower than expected ·A year-on-year increase in numbers : We expect shipments to increase due to increased COVID-19 rapid 7th wave (through August) Greater than projected due antigen test kits demand in connection with the 8th wave COVID-19 to the 8th wave 8th wave (projected) (Including simultaneous test kits for COVID 19 and influenza) Despite a trend toward China eased regulations, but Other test : Same as forecast as of November Other test increasing demand, in demand for hospital testing reagents reagents hospital testing demand remained weak due to (Inflammation (Inflammation decreased due to the markets, etc.) behavioral self-restraint markets, etc.) Shanghai lockdowns

Despite lower-than-expected influenza vaccine consumption rates, we expect profit to increase in response to higher demand for COVID-19 antigen test kits in connection with the 8th wave of infections

(¥ billions)

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#### FY2022 Earnings Forecast f) Elastomers & Infrastructure Solutions (vs Forecast as of November))

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Operating Inc	ome				Operating Inc (vs Foreca	come Varia ast as of No		sis	(¥ billions)
7.2			-5	.0 billion					
7.3			3.5		3.5				
FY2018 FY2019 Actual Actual	-3.6 FY2020 Actual	-3.5 FY2021 Actual	FY2022 Forecast as of November	-1.5 Revised Forecast	Forecast of Nover		-2.6 Pricing	+2.7 Costs	-1.5 Revised Forecast
Market Outlook	and Sales T	rends							
(Market)	Foreca	ast as of Nov	ember	Revised Forecast (announced January 13) Sales Trends					;
Chloroprene rubber	Raw materials August (coke Demand expe with FY2019	, etc.)	forecast as of ain on par	We expect inventory reduct and intensified competition		tition with th volume signif o greater-tha ber: 145 yen	ne products of other ficantly an-expected strength /US\$ for the 2nd half		
Special cement additives	Recovery of c delayed	lemand is exp	pected to be	(No change)		Same as f	forecast as of	November	
Cement	Fuel coal: USS	\$405/ton		Fuel coal: US\$39	96/ton		ations for add t progress de		increase of 3,000

#### We expect profit to decrease sharply due to lower demand for chloroprene rubber

## FY2022 Earnings Forecast **f) Polymer Solutions ( vs Forecast as of November)**

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Operat	ing Income			[	0			Variance A of Noveml			(¥ billions)
7.0	7.1	7.9	2.5	-1.5billion		2.5	-1.0	i.	+3.2	1.0	
Actual	Y2019 FY2020 Actual Actual	FY2021 Actual	FY2022 Forecast as Novembe	Revised s of Forecast		Forecast as of November	Volume	-3.7 Pricing	Costs	Revised Forecast	
(Market)	Forecast as	s of Novemb	er	Revised Forecast (announced January	13)			Sales	Trends		
Consumer Electronics (TVs, PCs, home appliances, etc.)	We forecast the reco slower than expecte November or later			Recovery of demand is expected to be delayed		MS resir	(	ame as foreca MS resin man December fis	ufacturing a	and sales con	npany has
Cosmetics containers, General merchandise, etc.	Economic slowdowr Assuming recovery i the year			Recovery of demand is expected to be delayed		AS, ABS transpar resins, e	rent c	Demand for co ontainers, ger De lower than	neral merch		
Food containers	Decrease in demand supermarkets and co increase in take-out Recovery of demand delayed	onvenience s -related dem	and	Greater decrease in demand than expected		Food wr sheets a containe	ind	ower than No	vember for	ecast	
Toyokalon	Prolonged decrease inflation in the Africa			Greater decrease in demand than expected		Toyokal	on : L	ower than No	vember for	ecast	

Demand recovery has been slower than expected, and we forecast lower profits

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#### **Spherical Alumina**

[Market share: Approximately 50%]

·We expect sales volume next year to exceed this year due to rising demand

(Application 1) Thermal interface materials for LiB cooling mechanisms

(Application 2) Thermal interface materials for On Board Chargers (OBC)

Market Expansion + Top Share

Increase in battery output, downsizing, and weight reductions ⇒ Increase in OBC heat generation and heat generation density Rapid growth in demand for OBCs with an output range of 6kW-plus

= Further growth in demand for spherical alumina

(Application 3) Consumer-product related (semiconductor sealants)

> → Products for graphics-related semiconductors, highspeed/large-capacity routers and servers, etc.; however, inventory adjustments are currently underway

#### BMS/ Battery

AC Charging

#### **On Board Charger (OBC)**

•Transformer installed in EV/PHEV (one transformer required)

• Boosts and regulates power supply voltage (AC current) of an ordinary charger to the battery voltage (DC current)

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### FY2022 Earnings Forecast g) Response Measures Toward FY2023

#### Silicon Nitride Powder

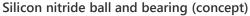
[Market share: Approximately 50%]

•We expect sales volume next year to exceed this year due to rising demand

(Application 1) Heat-dissipating substrates for xEV inverters (Market share: Approximately 90%)

(Application 2) Use in bearing balls for offshore wind power generation

(Application 3) Use in bearing balls for EV traction motors





**Market Expansion** + Share Expansion

•Demand increased in response to preventing electrical corrosion in connection with high-output, high-frequency motors, as well as to support high speed rotation stemming from miniaturization •Increased adoption due to price/quality balance compared to competing products

(Supply structure) Continuously increase in manufacturing capacity  $\Rightarrow$  Supply structure responding to market expansion

#### Semiconductor-Related Products

- •While inventory adjustments are underway due to a decline in consumer demand, we expect to see demand recover beginning in July

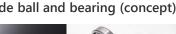
Emitters



✓ Fused silica: Sealants

- ✓ High-performance film: Carrier tape for semiconductors and electronic components
- ✓ Elegrip tape: Back grinding tape, dicing tape
- ✓ Emitter: Surface observation application for semiconductor materials and devices (wafer inspection, mask inspection, etc.) and circuit patterning application in semiconductor manufacturing lithography processes, etc.

Demand for emitters capable of emitting electronic wires only a few micrometers thick due to miniaturization and microminiaturization of semiconductors



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Market

**Expansion** 

### FY2022 Earnings Forecast g) Response Measures Toward FY2023

#### DELYTACT (G47Δ)

A new concept using genetically modified herpes simplex virus type I to develop the world's first approved oncolytic virus for treating cancer targeting malignant glioma

Enhance supply structure to establish a mass production system in response to strong supply requests from domestic and overseas customers

 $\Rightarrow$  Plan to increase supply volume in FY2023

#### Influenza Vaccine

- Although we manufactured 10 million vaccines this fiscal year, the low market consumption rate resulted in lower-than-expected sales; however, we expect sales volume next year to exceed this year
  - ✓ Due to the change in administrative measures for COVID-19 vaccinations, the impact on influenza vaccines should decrease during the next fiscal year
    - ⇒ We expect the vaccination status to return to normal
  - Ve made various necessary preparations leading to the start of production this fiscal year, which was the first year of operations in the new building

We will be able to accelerate supply to the market by about one month next year, which will be the second year of production

Expand market share by increasing shipments during the beginning of the supply period (September-October) when the market is at its peak

#### Test Reagents (Inflammation Markets)

• With the lifting of China's Zero-COVID policy, we expect demand in the Chinese market to recover over the next fiscal year; we project sales volume to exceed this fiscal year

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## FY2022 Earnings Forecast g) Response Measures Toward FY2023

#### Chloroprene rubber

[Market share: Approximately 40%]

#### Price Maintenance + Demand Recovery

- Raised prices four times since last year. Maintained selling price as the price leader in the market
- Determine demand recovery trends by application and region, and prepare for response during the recovery period Inventory adjustments in the market should run its course in the first half of the next fiscal year, and demand should recover beginning in the second half We expect sales volume to exceed this year

#### Cement

• We are planning for spread improvement by ensuring an additional price increase of 3,000 yen/t

#### **Functional Resins**

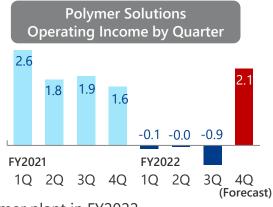
✓ MS Resin: Demand for LGP applications and other applications began to recover sharply beginning December 2022

We expect sales volume next year to exceed this year

✓ AS, ABS, transparent resins: Demand expected to recover in consumer-related,

fiscal year

\*Singapore MS resin manufacturing and sales company has a December fiscal year end



✓ Costs: We will record about 1.5 billion yen in routine repairs for the styrene monomer plant in FY2022 Next scheduled maintenance is for FY2026, so costs will be lower in FY2023

cosmetics, and general merchandises for China Sales volume expected to increase over the next Denka

#### FY2022 Earnings Forecast h) Shareholder Returns

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		FY2018 Actual	FY2019 Actual	FY2020 Actual	FY2021 Actual	FY2022 Forecast (announced January 13)	
Net Income	(¥ billions)	25.0	22.7	22.8	26.0	12.0	
Dividends per Share*	(¥/share)	120.0	125.0	125.0	145.0	100.0 Mid-term 70.0	
						End 30.0	
Dividend	(¥ billions)	10.5	10.8	10.8	12.5	8.6	
Shareholders Return		42%	48%	47%	48%	72%	
Stock Purchase	(¥ billions)	2.1	-	-	-	-	5years Cumulative (2018~2022)
Total Return	(¥ billions)	12.6	10.8	10.8	12.5	8.6	Total
Total Return Ratio		50%	48%	47%	48%	72%	Return Ratio
Depreciation	(¥ billions)	22.9	22.5	22.9	23.9	26.0	50.9%
Investment & Lending	(¥ billions)	32.8	36.9	42.3	35.6	43.0	
ROE		10.3%	9.1%	8.8%	9.4%	(6.2%)	
Equity Ratio		51.0%	50.0%	50.8%	51.7%	(50.6%)	
Net D/E Ratio		0.40	0.42	0.42	0.40	(0.47)	

We reduced dividends due to unavoidable circumstances calling for a significant downward revision We intend to maintain a policy of 50% standard total return ratio for the five-year cumulative period of the Denka Value-Up management plan (2018-2022)

# (Reference) Forecast (By Segment) (Year on Year)

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Sales (¥billions)	FY2021 Actual	FY2022 Revised Forecast (announced January 13)	lncr. Decr.	Volume	Pricing
Electronics & Innovative Products	90.2	95.0	+ 4.8	- 11.0	+ 15.9
Life Innovation	46.1	50.0	+ 3.9	+ 20.7	- 16.8
Elastomers & Infrastructure Solutions	106.9	125.0	+ 18.1	- 9.2	+ 27.4
Polymer Solutions	126.6	125.0	- 1.6	- 24.3	+ 22.7
Others	15.1	15.0	- 0.1	- 0.1	-
Total	384.8	410.0	+ 25.2	- 24.0	+ 49.2

Operating Income (¥ billions)	FY2021 Actual	FY2022 Revised Forecast (announced January 13)	Incr. Decr.	Volume	Pricing	Cost& Others
Electronics & Innovative Products	18.7	17.5	- 1.2	- 6.6	+ 15.9	- 10.4
Life Innovation	15.5	14.0	- 1.5	+ 16.8	- 16.8	- 1.5
Elastomers & Infrastructure Solutions	-3.5	-1.5	+ 2.0	- 4.0	+ 27.4	- 21.4
Polymer Solutions	7.9	1.0	- 6.9	- 3.2	+ 22.7	- 26.5
Others	1.5	2.0	+ 0.5	+ 1.0	-	- 0.6
Total	40.1	33.0	- 7.1	+ 4.1	+ 49.2	- 60.4

# (Reference) Quarterly Trends (By Segment)

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	FY2020				FY2021				FY2022			
Sales (¥billions)	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q Forecast (Net)
Electronics & Innovative Products	17.1	19.6	20.0	21.1	21.0	22.8	22.3	24.0	21.9	25.6	22.3	25.2
Life Innovation	5.3	10.9	20.5	6.3	6.0	19.3	10.9	9.9	6.4	15.5	16.9	11.2
Elastomers & Infrastructure Solutions	19.8	22.0	24.8	25.2	24.6	26.8	26.1	29.3	30.4	32.5	31.6	30.5
Polymer Solutions	25.3	25.1	28.3	31.3	31.8	31.5	29.5	33.9	31.6	32.0	30.3	31.1
Others	8.7	6.5	8.2	8.5	3.5	4.0	4.0	3.7	4.1	2.9	4.7	3.3
Total	76.2	84.1	101.7	92.4	86.7	104.4	92.8	100.9	94.4	108.6	105.8	101.3
	FY2020				FY2021				FY2022			
Operating Income (¥ billions)		2Q	3Q	4Q	FY2021 1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	FY2022 1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q Forecast (Net)
		2Q 3.8	3Q 3.6	4Q 4.0		2Q 4.8	3Q 4.6	4Q 4.9		2Q 5.6	3Q 4.1	Forecast
(¥ billions) Electronics & Innovative	1Q				1Q				1Q			Forecast (Net)
(¥ billions) Electronics & Innovative Products	1Q 2.8	3.8	3.6	4.0	1Q 4.4	4.8	4.6	4.9	1Q 4.1	5.6	4.1	Forecast (Net) 3.7
(¥ billions) Electronics & Innovative Products Life Innovation Elastomers &	1Q 2.8 0.0	3.8 2.4	3.6 11.4	4.0 1.0	1Q 4.4 0.3	4.8 10.4	4.6 1.2	4.9 3.6	1Q 4.1 0.5	5.6 6.0	4.1 5.0	Forecast (Net) 3.7 2.5
(¥ billions) Electronics & Innovative Products Life Innovation Elastomers & Infrastructure Solutions	1Q 2.8 0.0 0.3	3.8 2.4 -0.4	3.6 11.4 -1.9	4.0 1.0 -1.5	1Q 4.4 0.3 0.1	4.8 10.4 -0.0	4.6 1.2 -1.2	4.9 3.6 -2.3	1Q 4.1 0.5 -0.2	5.6 6.0 1.5	4.1 5.0 -1.3	Forecast (Net) 3.7 2.5 -1.5

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