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Results of Operations for the First Quarter of the Fiscal Year Ending February 28, 2021

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Consolidated Financial Summary for the First Quarter of FY2/21



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Consolidated Financial Summary

- First quarter orders involving capital expenditures in Japan were firm
- In the Machinery Business, where most deliveries at all group companies are usually in the fourth quarter of every fiscal year, first quarter performance was held down by the COVID-19 crisis
- In the Chemicals Business, sales of pharmaceutical excipients decreased mainly because customers reduced inventories and sales of food preservatives were impacted by lower sales of confectionery products caused by the COVID-19 crisis

	FY2/20 Q1	FY2/21 Q1	YoY Ch	ange	FY2/21 Forecasts
	Actual	Actual	Amount	%	
Net sales	2,878	3,076	+197	+6.9	17,800
Operating profit	(214)	(165)	+48	(22.8)	1,000
Ordinary profit	(217)	(154)	+62	(28.7)	1,000
Profit	(158)	(121)	+36	(22.9)	700
Earnings per share (yen)	31.08	-9.44	(40.52)	(130.4)	41.8
Depreciation	84	94	+9	+11.5	—
R&D expenses	204	149	(54)	(26.8)	
Dividend	_	_		_	20.00



(Millions of yen)

Sales by Product Field

Pharmaceutical products:	Solid demand in Japan for pharmaceutical equipment but negative effects of COVID-19
	in North America
Industrial products:	Sales activities in China and South Korea were limited by travel restrictions and
	other effects of COVID-19

Segment Profit

D The parent company profit could not offset losses at two subsidiaries

(Millions of yen)

	FY2/20 Q1	FY2/21 Q1	YoY change Amount %		FY2/21 Forecasts
	Actual	Actual			
Net sales	1,386	1,689	+303	+21.9	12,000
Pharmaceutical Products	1,146	1,500	+353	+30.9	_
Industrial Products	240	189	(50)	(21.0)	_
Operating profit	(267)	(125)	+141	-	—
Orders received	2,583	3,268	+685	+26.5	_
Pharmaceutical Products	2,148	2,977	+828	+38.6	_
Industrial Products	434	291	(143)	(33.0)	_
Order backlog	6,657	6,295	(362)	(5.4)	—
Pharmaceutical Products	6,047	5,632	(414)	(6.9)	—
Industrial Products	610	662	+51	+8.5	—
Yen/dollar rate (+ is yen depreciation)	110.96	107.58	-3.38 yen/dollar	(3.0)	105.00



- Freund Corporation: Sales and earnings increased
- Freund-Vector: Sales and earnings decreased because most deliveries are in
- Freund-Turbo:

the 4Q of every fiscal year and due to the COVID-19 crisis

					(Millions of yen)
	FY2/20 Q1	FY2/21 Q1	YoY change		FY2/21 Forecasts
	Amount	Amount	Amount	%	
Net sales	1,386	1,689	+303	+21.9	12,000
FREUND CORPORATION	830	1,363	+533	+64.2	—
FREUND-VECTOR	395	296	(98)	(25.0)	_
FREUND-TURBO	160	145	(14)	(9.3)	_
Operating profit	(267)	(125)	+141	-	_
FREUND CORPORATION	(40)	94	+135	-	_
FREUND-VECTOR	(157)	(161)	(4)	-	_
FREUND-TURBO	(69)	(57)	+11	-	_
Orders received	2,583	3,268	+685	+26.5	_
FREUND CORPORATION	1,395	2,268	+872	+62.5	_
FREUND-VECTOR	920	798	(121)	(13.2)	_
FREUND-TURBO	267	201	(66)	(24.7)	_
Order backlog	6,657	6,295	(362)	(5.4)	_
FREUND CORPORATION	4,554	4,846	+292	+6.4	_
FREUND-VECTOR	1,763	965	(798)	(45.3)	_
FREUND-TURBO	339	483	+143	+42.2	_



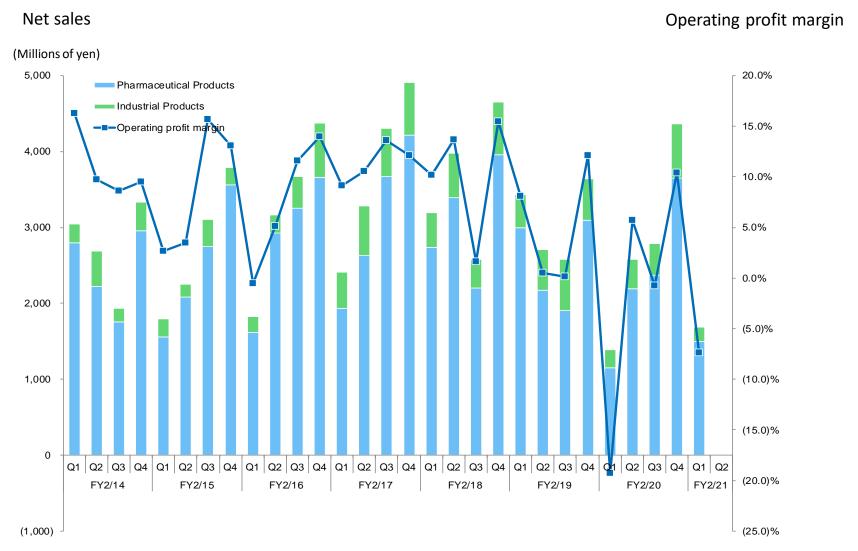
- Japan: Sales increased partly due to large projects
- Overseas: Sales were lower in all regions because of COVID-19

(Millions of yen)

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	Amount	Amount	Amount	%	TOTECASIS
Net sales	1,386	1,689	+303	+21.9	12,000
Japan	894	1,354	+459	+51.3	-
Overseas	491	335	(155)	(31.7)	-
North and South Americas	308	193	(114)	(37.2)	_
Europe and Africa	81	27	(53)	(66.2)	_
Middle East, Asia and Pacific	101	114	+12	+12.4	_

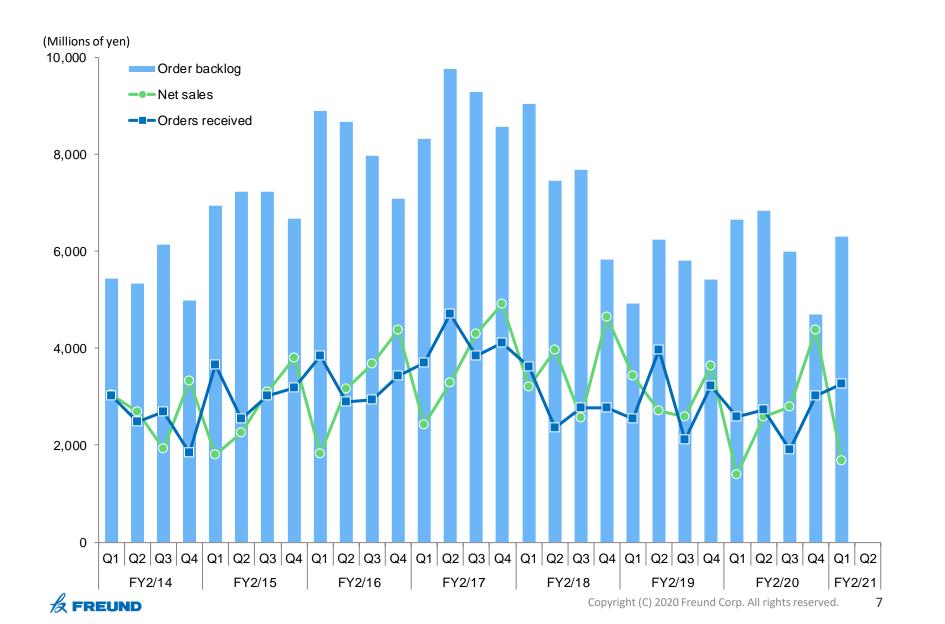


Machinery Business: Quarterly Results (by Product Field)



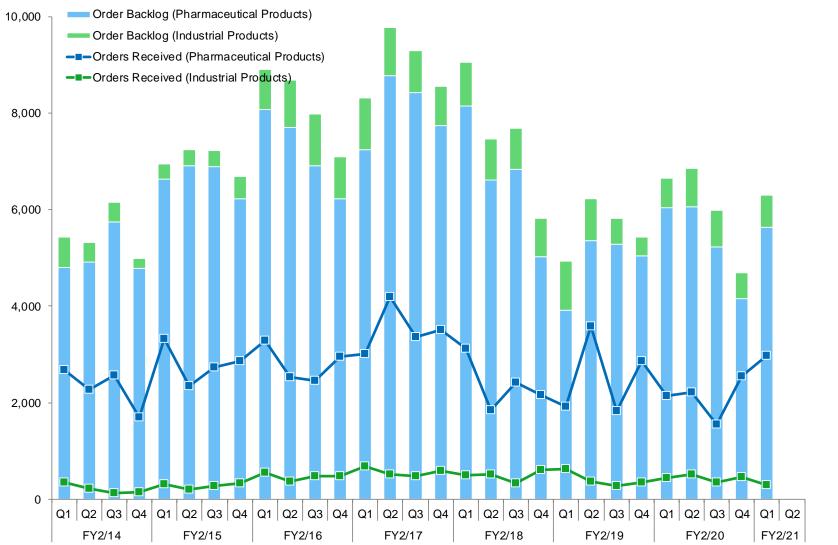
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Machinery Business: Quarterly Results (Net Sales/Orders Received/Order Backlog)



Machinery Business: Quarterly Results (Orders Received and Order Backlog by Product Field)

(Millions of yen)



Chemicals Business: Overview

- Net Sales
 - Pharmaceutical excipients: Sales decreased mainly due to lower production by
 - customers in Japan
 - Food preservatives: Sales decreased because of COVID-19
 - Export: Sales decreased primarily in Asia
- Segment Profit: Decreased because of a higher pct. of fixed expenses allocated to this segment

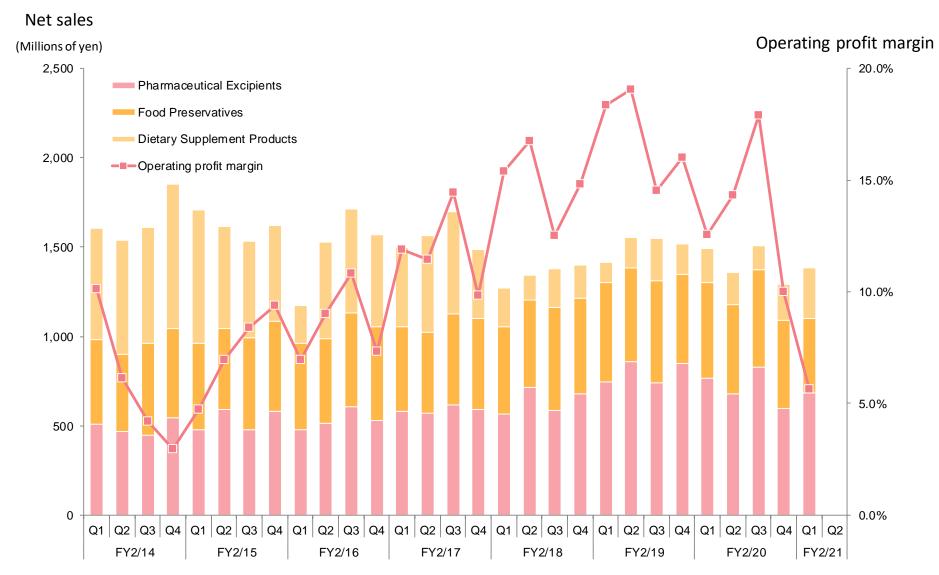
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	FY2/20 Q1	FY2/21 Q1	YoY change Amount %		FY2/21 Forecasts
	Amount	Amount			. erecuere
Net sales	1,491	1,386	(105)	(7.1)	5,800
Pharmaceutical Excipients	764	682	(81)	(10.7)	—
Food Preservatives	538	421	(116)	(21.6)	—
Dietary Supplement Products	188	281	+92	+49.2	—
(Export sales)*1	38	54	+16	+42.5	—
Operating profit	187	77	(109)	(58.5)	_

*1: Sales to India, South Korea and Taiwan, etc.

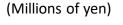


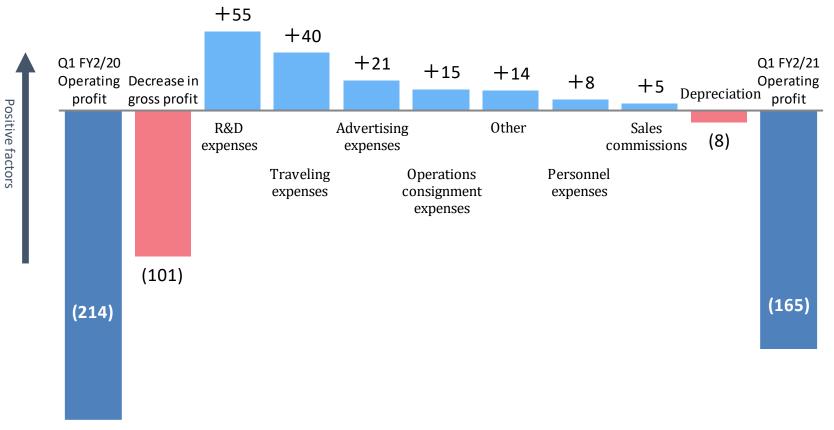
Chemicals Business: Quarterly Results (by Product Field)



Change in Consolidated Operating Profit

- Earnings benefited from measures to reduce SG&A expenses
- New product development expenses are decreasing following the recent peak in these expenses





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