

Fiscal 2004 Results Presentation

Results for Fiscal Year 2004

and

Measures for Fiscal Year 2005

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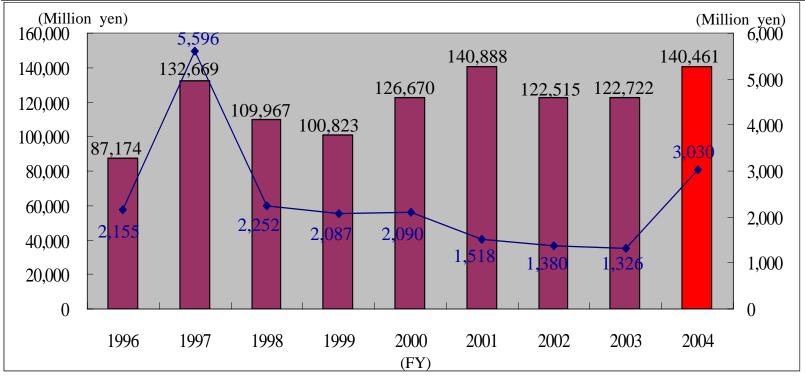
Fiscal 2004

Overview of Results

Consolidated Results

(Units: Million yen, %)

	FY2000	FY2001	FY2002	FY2003	FY2004	YoY % change
Sales	122,670	140,888	122,515	122,722	140,461	14.5
Recurring profit	2,090	1,518	1,380	1,326	3,030	128.5
Recurring profit margin	1.7	1.1	1.1	1.1	2.2	



Bar graph:
Sales
Line graph:
Recurring
profit

Key Points for Fiscal 2004

Key Points

The first year of the mid- to long-term management plan "Happinet Dream 08" delivered a dramatic turnaround in performance and established a distinct and systematic growth curve for moving forward.

Sales

Sales in the video-related business were strong due to growth in the DVD market, brisk business with rental stores, and the start of a business relationship with Amazon.co.jp. in June 2004.

Earnings

Profit margins improved significantly due to aggressive restructuring in the toy business, which greatly lowered SG&A expenses, as well as production of hit exclusive titles in the video business.

REFERENCE: Overview of the Fourth Mid- to Long-Term Management Plan "Happinet Dream 08" (announced April 2004)

Group-wide Vision

1. Global deployment of the business platform

Contribute to the construction of a fully integrated information and logistics scheme stretching from overseas production centers to retail stores

2. Establishment of an independent contents business

Develop a business function that will create, produce, and provide high-quality contents (including overseas contents) and establish a new business model that includes distribution

3. Seek to establish a sales network in East Asia

Apply the Group's distribution capabilities in East Asia and contribute to the construction of a sales network, in cooperation with Bandai Hong Kong

4. Brand strategy implementation

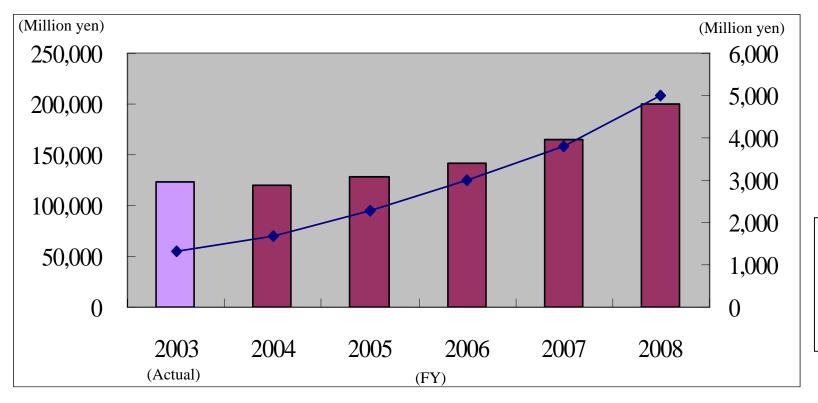
Through the provision of optimal products and services to end-consumers and distribution customers, and utilizing effective corporate advertising, implement a brand strategy to position Happinet as a company that seeks to provide constant satisfaction

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Group Targets

(Unit: Million yen)

	FY2004	FY2005	FY2006	FY2007	FY2008
Sales	122,000	129,000	142,000	165,000	200,000
Recurring profit	1,700	2,300	3,000	3,800	5,000



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Consolidated Results by Segment

Product	FY	2003	2004	YoY (% change)
Torio	Sales	53,468	52,066	-2.6
Toys	Operating profit	175	1,735	891.4
XV: da a malada d	Sales	29,261	45,457	55.3
Video-related	Operating profit	1,349	1,775	31.6
Video games	Sales	27,185	28,696	5.6
	Operating profit	280	303	8.2
	Sales	5,437	6,318	16.2
Amusements	Operating profit	133	132	-0.1
O/I	Sales	7,370	7,921	7.5
Others	Operating profit	375	302	-19.5
Eliminations and	Sales	-	-	-
corporate losses	Operating loss	-1,172	-1,282	
T-4-1	Sales	122,722	140,461	14.5
Total	Operating profit	1,141	2,966	159.9

Core Business Results for Fiscal 2004 and

Measures for Fiscal 2005

Toy Business Results

(Units: Million yen, %)

	FY2003	FY2004	YoY % change
Sales	53,468	52,066	-2.6
Operating profit	175	1,735	891.4
Operating profit margin	0.3	3.3	

Benefits from Restructuring

Factors such as:

- Improvement in returns
- Reduction in disposal loss
- Reduction in logistics expenses



Significant improvement in operating profit in the toy business

Benefits from Restructuring

• Improvement in returns

(Unit: Million yen; amounts approximate)

	FY2003	FY2004	Amount of improvement
Returns	1,140	653	487

Reduction in disposal loss

(Unit: Million yen; amounts approximate)

	FY2003	FY2004	Amount of improvement
Disposal loss	2,186	1,633	553

Benefits from Restructuring

Reduction in logistics expenses

Reduction in logistics expension	(Unit: Million yen; ar	nounts approximate)	
	FY2003	FY2004	Amount of improvement
Shipping costs	2,173	1,974	199
Returns disposal costs	92	44	48
Storage costs	372	288	84
Total	2,637	2,306	331

Factors behind lower logistics expenses

- Revision of shipment units lowered shipping costs
- Efforts to hold down returns lowered returns disposal costs
- Reductions in inventory lowered storage costs

(amounts approximate)

	FY2003	FY2004
Monthly average inventory value	¥4.4bn	¥2.9bn
Inventory turnover rate	15 turns	22 turns

Happinet will further restructure operations, expand its market share, and optimize its distribution inventory

Toy Business – Sales Forecast

	FY2004	FY2005 forecast	YoY % change
Sales	52,066	52,800	1.4

- ◆ Adoption of new operating processes and systems
 - •Expand the standard merchandise system
 - •Implement market promotion strategies tailored to each retail space
 - Share weekly sales data with retail outlets
- ◆ Strategies to expand market share and optimize distribution inventory
 - •Enhance cooperative efforts with Bandai Co., Ltd.
 - Dispatch field staff to retailers for market promotions

Video-related Business Results

(Units: Million yen, %)

	FY2003	FY2004	YoY % change
Sales	29,261	45,457	55.3
Operating profit	1,349	1,775	31.6
Operating profit margin	4.6	3.9	

Sales in the Wholesale and Exclusive Titles Divisions

	FY2003	FY2004	YoY % change
Wholesale	21,240	34,242	61.2
Exclusive titles	8,021	11,215	39.8
Total	29,261	45,457	55.3

Top Five Exclusive Titles

Rank	Title	Sales (¥bn)	Genre
1	Legend of the Galactic Heroes	1.4	Anime
2	Summer Scent	0.9	Foreign film
3	Kaiketsu Zorori	0.7	Anime
4	Chrono Crusade	0.6	Anime
5	UNDERWORLD	0.6	Foreign film

Happinet will recover its in-house production investments and acquire high-quality titles through sound investments

Video-related Business – Sales Forecast

(Units: Million yen, %)

	FY2004	FY2005 forecast	YoY % change
Sales	45,457	41,300	-9.2

Wholesale and Exclusive Titles Divisions – Sales Forecast

	FY2004	FY2005 forecast	YoY % change
Wholesale	34,242	31,300	-8.5
Exclusive titles	11,215	10,000	-10.8
Total	45,457	41,300	-9.2

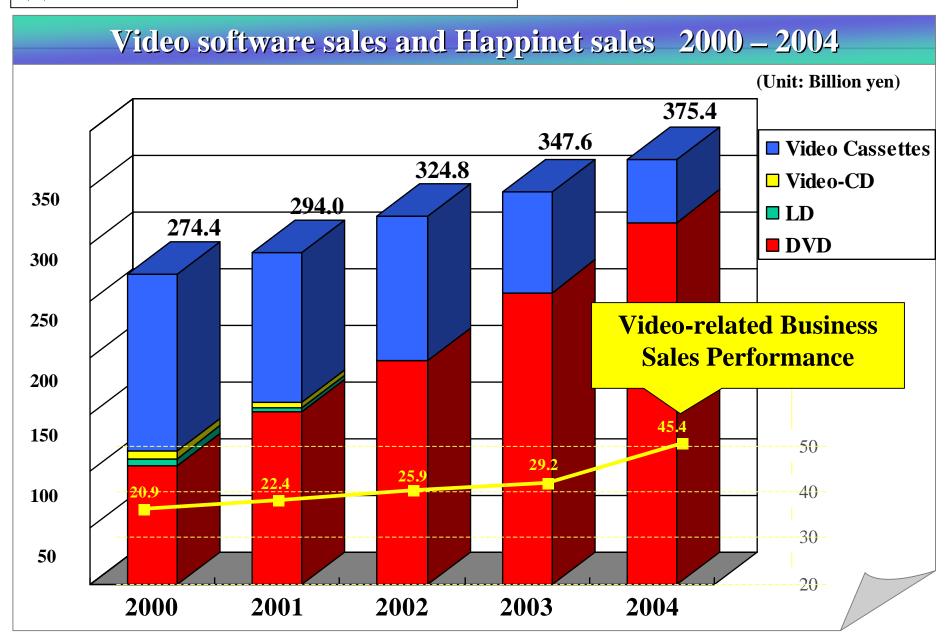
During FY05, Happinet will continue to make proactive investments in video titles (mainly foreign films) to ensure acquisition of high-quality productions

Title investment	2004 (actual)	Approx. ¥2.1bn
Title investment	2005 (forecast)	Approx. ¥2.5bn

Major Exclusive Titles in Fiscal 2005

Title	Genre	
Kaiketsu Zorori	Anime	
Bunshinsaba(to be released in Japan as Kokkuri-san)	Foreign film	
The Notebook	Foreign film	
Eternal Sunshine of the Spotless Mind	Foreign film	
Sang Doo! Let's Go to School	Foreign film	
Pacchigi!	Japanese film	
Install	Japanese film	

(3) Video Business – REFERENCE



Video Game Business Results

	FY2003	FY2004	YoY % change
Sales	27,185	28,696	5.6
Operating profit	280	303	8.2
Operating profit margin	1.0	1.0	

- ◆ Sales and earnings on a recovery track following the releases in the second half of fiscal 2004 of the hit title "Dragon Quest VIII" and the handheld gaming devices PlayStation Portable (PSP) and Nintendo DS
- ◆ Business relationship with Seven-Eleven Japan Co., Ltd. starting in September 2004 opened up new sales channel

Happinet will create a business model and distribution system for next-generation devices to be launched by Microsoft Corporation.

Video Game Business – Sales Forecast

	FY2004	FY2005 forecast	YoY % change
Sales	28,696	42,400	47.8

- ◆ Cooperate closely with Microsoft to develop a Japan strategy
- ◆ Build and adopt an optimal distribution system

Forecasts for Fiscal 2005

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Fiscal 2005 Forecast

(Units: Million yen, %)

		FY2005 forecast	YoY % change
Co	Sales	150,000	6.8
Consolidated	Operating profit	3,130	5.5
lida	Recurring profit	3,200	5.6
ted	Net income	1,800	13.9
CO	Sales	149,000	7.5
Non- consolidated	Operating profit	3,130	7.2
	Recurring profit	3,200	6.5
ed	Net income	1,800	14.6

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Fiscal 2005 Forecast by Business Segment

(Units: Million yen, %)

FY	2005 forecast		
Product		% of total	YoY % change
Toys	52,800	35.2	1.4
Video-related	41,300	27.5	-9.2
Video Games	42,400	28.3	47.8
Amusements	5,800	3.9	-8.2
Others	7,700	5.1	-2.8
Total	150,000	100.0	6.8

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Construction of the Logistics Center East No. 2 (tentative name)

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The Happinet Logistics Center East No. 2 (tentative name) will be built in Funabashi-shi, Chiba Prefecture

- Increase handling capacity in line with the business expansion to achieve the targets of the mid- to long-term management plan
- Provide new contract distribution service
- Further improve productivity and increase efficiency

By strengthening the capacity of the current Logistics Center East (Ichikawa-shi, Chiba) and by consolidating a portion of the Funabashi Center (Funabashi-shi, Chiba) operations with those among warehouses in the surrounding area, Happinet will generate synergies with the central Logistics Center East.

The new distribution center will be leased from Kyogi Warehouse Co., Ltd. and the investment budget is approximately ¥150 million.



Construction of the Logistics Center East No. 2 (tentative name)

Overview of the Logistics Center East No. 2 (tentative name)

Location: Nishiura 3-chome, Funabashi-shi,

Chiba Prefecture

Lot area: Approx. 18,200m²

Building: Reinforced steel, four stories

Floor area: Approx. 28,000m²

of a total Approx. 35,000m²

Products handled: Toys, DVD software, video games,

amusements, etc.

Construction start: May 2005

Planned completion: January 2006

Planned start of operations: February 2006

