# MATTERS DISCLOSED ON THE INTERNET RELATED TO THE CONVOCATION NOTICE OF THE 176th ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS

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(from April 1, 2019 to March 31, 2020)

# Nisshin Seifun Group Inc.

We provide shareholders with the Subscription Rights to Shares, the Consolidated Statement of Changes in Net Assets, the Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements, the Non-consolidated Statement of Changes in Net Assets, and the Notes to the Non-consolidated Financial Statements, posted on the Company's website (https://www.nisshin.com/english/shareholders/meeting.html), in accordance with laws and regulations and Article 15 of the Company's Articles of Incorporation.

### **Subscription Rights to Shares**

[1] Status of subscription rights to shares as of March 31, 2020

1] Status of subscription rights to shares as of March 31, 2020							
	Number of subscription rights to shares granted	Class and number of shares issuable upon exercise of subscription rights to shares	Issuance price upon exercise of subscription rights to shares	Persons granted subscription rights to shares at the time of issuance	Amount payable upon exercise of subscription rights to shares	Exercise period	
11-1st subscription rights to shares (Granted on August 20, 2013)	3	Common Stock 3,630 shares (1,210 shares per subscription right to shares)	Without charge	Directors of the Company	¥1,224,520 per subscription right to shares	August 21, 2015 – August 3, 2020	
11-2nd subscription rights to shares (Granted on August 20, 2013)	7	Common Stock 8,470 shares (1,210 shares per subscription right to shares)	Without charge	Executive Officers of the Company and some Directors of its consolidated subsidiaries	¥1,224,520 per subscription right to shares	August 21, 2015 – August 3, 2020	
12-1st subscription rights to shares (Granted on August 19, 2014)	34	Common Stock 37,400 shares (1,100 shares per subscription right to shares)	Without charge	Directors of the Company	¥1,274,900 per subscription right to shares	August 20, 2016 – August 2, 2021	
12-2nd subscription rights to shares (Granted on August 19, 2014)	64	Common Stock 70,400 shares (1,100 shares per subscription right to shares)	Without charge	Executive Officers of the Company and some Directors of its consolidated subsidiaries	¥1,274,900 per subscription right to shares	August 20, 2016 – August 2, 2021	
13-1st subscription rights to shares (Granted on August 19, 2015)	72	Common Stock 72,000 shares (1,000 shares per subscription right to shares)	Without charge	Directors of the Company	¥1,748,000 per subscription right to shares	August 20, 2017 – August 1, 2022	
13-2nd subscription rights to shares (Granted on August 19, 2015)	145	Common Stock 145,000 shares (1,000 shares per subscription right to shares)	Without charge	Executive Officers of the Company and some Directors of its consolidated subsidiaries	¥1,748,000 per subscription right to shares	August 20, 2017 – August 1, 2022	
14-1st subscription rights to shares (Granted on August 15, 2016)	96	Common Stock 96,000 shares (1,000 shares per subscription right to shares)	Without charge	Directors of the Company	¥1,753,000 per subscription right to shares	August 16, 2018 – August 1, 2023	
14-2nd subscription rights to shares (Granted on August 15, 2016)	202	Common Stock 202,000 shares (1,000 shares per subscription right to shares)	Without charge	Executive Officers of the Company and some Directors of its consolidated subsidiaries	¥1,753,000 per subscription right to shares	August 16, 2018 – August 1, 2023	

Conditions for exercise of the above subscription rights to shares:

1) Persons granted an allotment of the subscription rights to shares (hereinafter referred to as the "holders") shall be a Director or Executive Officer of the Company or one of its consolidated subsidiaries (excluding any publicly listed companies and their subsidiaries and overseas subsidiaries) at the time of the exercise of the subscription rights to shares. However, the holders who are no longer a Director or Executive Officer of the Company or one of its consolidated subsidiaries (excluding any publicly listed companies and their

- subsidiaries and overseas subsidiaries) may exercise the rights up until two (2) years after stepping aside or two (2) years after the commencement of the exercise period of the subscription rights to shares, whichever is later.
- 2) An heir of the holder shall be allowed to inherit the subscription rights to shares, provided that he/she completes the procedures to change the holder.
- 3) Subscription rights to shares may not be transferred, securitized or otherwise disposed of under any circumstances.
- 4) Where a holder is dismissed from the position of Director or Executive Officer, or under certain other circumstances, the exercise of the subscription rights to shares may be deemed inappropriate considering the purpose of the granting of rights, and in such case said rights will be forfeited immediately.

[2] Subscription rights to shares granted as remuneration for performance of duty and held by Directors of the Company as of March 31, 2020

Segment	Name	Number of subscription rights to shares	Number of persons holding subscription rights to shares
Directors	11-1st subscription rights to shares	0	0
(excluding Directors who are members of the Audit & Supervisory Committee and Outside Directors)	12-1st subscription rights to shares	20	4
	13-1st subscription rights to shares	34	4
	14-1st subscription rights to shares	46	6
Outside Directors (excluding Directors who are members of the Audit & Supervisory	11-1st subscription rights to shares	0	0
	12-1st subscription rights to shares	0	0
	13-1st subscription rights to shares	2	1
Committee)	14-1st subscription rights to shares	10	2

The outline of the above subscription rights to shares are described in [1].

No subscription rights to shares granted as remuneration for performance of duty are held by Directors who are members of the Audit & Supervisory Committee.

[3] Subscription rights to shares granted as remuneration for performance of duty to employees during the fiscal year ended March 31, 2020.

There are no applicable matters to be reported.

# **Consolidated Statement of Changes in Net Assets**

(For the Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 2020)

	Shareholders' equity					
	Capital stock	Capital surplus	Retained earnings	Treasury shares	Total shareholders' equity	
Balance at the beginning of current period	17,117	12,882	319,705	(11,403)	338,303	
Changes of items during the period						
Dividends from surplus			(9,810)		(9,810)	
Profit attributable to owners of parent			22,407		22,407	
Purchase of treasury shares				(190)	(190)	
Disposal of treasury shares		(24)		421	397	
Change of fiscal term of consolidated subsidiaries			39		39	
Change in ownership interest of parent due to transactions with non-controlling interests		(219)			(219)	
Net changes of items other than shareholders' equity						
Total changes of items during the period	_	(244)	12,636	231	12,623	
Balance at the end of current period	17,117	12,638	332,342	(11,172)	350,926	

							(1.2222	ions of yen)
	Accumulated other comprehensive income							
	Valuation difference on available- for-sale securities	Deferred gains or losses on hedges	Foreign currency translation adjustment	Remeasure- ments of defined benefit plans	Total accumulated other comprehensive income	Subscription rights to shares	Non- controlling interests	Total net assets
Balance at the beginning of current period	62,669	(393)	4,086	(728)	65,634	167	14,743	418,848
Changes of items during the period								
Dividends from surplus								(9,810)
Profit attributable to owners of parent								22,407
Purchase of treasury shares								(190)
Disposal of treasury shares								397
Change of fiscal term of consolidated subsidiaries								39
Change in ownership interest of parent due to transactions with non-controlling interests								(219)
Net changes of items other than shareholders' equity	(5,699)	340	(15,775)	(430)	(21,565)	(29)	(834)	(22,429)
Total changes of items during the period	(5,699)	340	(15,775)	(430)	(21,565)	(29)	(834)	(9,806)
Balance at the end of current period	56,970	(53)	(11,689)	(1,158)	44,069	137	13,908	409,042

#### **Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements**

#### I. Basis of Presentation of Consolidated Financial Statements

- 1. Scope of consolidation
  - (1) Consolidated subsidiaries: 72 companies
    - Names of principal subsidiaries: Nisshin Flour Milling Inc., Miller Milling Company, LLC, Allied Pinnacle Pty Ltd., Champion Flour Milling Ltd., Nisshin Foods Inc., Nisshin Seifun Premix Inc., Ma•Ma-Macaroni Co., Ltd., Oriental Yeast Co., Ltd., Nisshin Pharma Inc., Tokatsu Foods Co., Ltd., Joyous Foods Co., Ltd., Initio Foods Inc., Nisshin Petfood Inc., Nisshin Engineering Inc., NBC Meshtec Inc.
    - Of the remaining subsidiaries, Nisshin Management & Technical Consulting Inc. and 3 other companies are not consolidated. The assets, net sales, profit/loss and retained earnings of each non-consolidated subsidiary are small, and the aggregate effect on the consolidated financial statements is immaterial.
  - (2) Changes in scope of consolidation
    - From the fiscal year ended March 31, 2020, PFG Topco1 Pty Ltd. and its subsidiaries (Allied Pinnacle Pty Ltd. and 19 other companies) are newly included within the scope of consolidation due to the acquisition of PFG Topco1 Pty Ltd. Additionally, Tokatsu Foods Co., Ltd., which had been an affiliate accounted for by the equity method, and its three subsidiaries are included within the scope of consolidation due to the acquisition of the additional shares of Tokatsu Foods Co., Ltd.
- 2. Scope of the equity method
  - (1) Subsidiaries and affiliates accounted for by the equity method: 10 companies (1 non-consolidated subsidiary and 9 affiliates)
    - Names of principal subsidiaries and affiliates accounted for by the equity method: Marubeni Nisshin Feed Co., Ltd., Japan Logistic Systems Corp.
    - The contributions to consolidated profit/loss, consolidated retained earnings and other consolidated financial statements of 3 non-consolidated subsidiaries and 3 affiliates not accounted for by the equity method are negligible and immaterial in the aggregate.
  - (2) The financial statements for the accounting period of the company concerned are used in the cases of those subsidiaries and affiliates accounted for by the equity method whose accounting period differs from the consolidated accounting period.
- 3. Accounting periods of consolidated subsidiaries

With regard to Shin Nisshin Seifun Foods (Qingdao) Co., Ltd. and two other companies among the consolidated subsidiaries, which have accounting periods different from the consolidated accounting period, the tentative financial statements as of the consolidated fiscal year-end are used.

- 4. Accounting principles
  - (1) Valuation standards and methodology for material assets
    - [1] Securities:

Held-to-maturity debt securities are stated at amortized cost.

Other securities

Securities with a readily determinable market value are stated at fair market value based on the quoted market price at the fiscal year-end (with any unrealized gains or losses being reported directly as a component of shareholders' equity and the cost of any securities sold being computed by the moving average method).

Securities with no readily determinable market value are stated at cost, with cost being determined by the moving average method.

[2] Derivatives:

Derivative financial instruments are stated at fair market value.

[3] Inventories

Wheat flour and bran are stated at cost, with cost being determined mainly by the retail cost method, with balance sheet values reflecting write-downs for decreased profitability; other products are stated at cost, with cost being determined mainly by the periodic average method, with balance sheet values reflecting write-downs for decreased profitability.

Raw materials are stated at cost, with cost being determined by the first-in, first-out method, and balance sheet values reflecting write-downs for decreased profitability.

- (2) Depreciation methods for material depreciable assets
  - [1] Property, plant and equipment (excluding leased assets and right-of-use assets):

The Company and domestic consolidated subsidiaries mainly apply the declining balance method. However, the straight-line method is applied for buildings (excluding building fixtures) acquired on or after April 1, 1998 and building fixtures and structures acquired on or after April 1, 2016.

Foreign consolidated subsidiaries mainly apply the straight-line method.

[2] Intangible assets (excluding leased assets):

Depreciation is computed by the straight-line method. Software used in-house is depreciated over its estimated useful life (within 5 years) based on the straight-line method.

[3] Leased assets:

Leased assets related to finance lease transactions that do not transfer ownership are depreciated using the straight-line method with estimated useful lives equal to lease terms, and zero residual values.

[4] Right-of-use assets:

Right-of-use assets are depreciated using the straight-line method with zero residual values.

(3) Basis of material allowances

[1] Allowance for doubtful accounts:

The Company and domestic consolidated subsidiaries provide for possible credit losses stemming from monetary receivables. Estimates of irrecoverable amounts are based on historical loan-loss ratios for general receivables, and on a consideration of feasibly recoverable amounts in individual cases of suspected bad debt or other specific dubious accounts. Specific receivables are generally deemed irrecoverable in the case of foreign consolidated subsidiaries.

[2]Provision for repairs:

To prepare for expenditure associated with the periodic repair of plant facilities, certain consolidated subsidiaries provide for a portion of the total projected expenditure to be incurred until the end of the fiscal year ended March 31, 2020.

(4) Accounting treatment of retirement benefits

Regarding its retirement benefit asset and liability, in order to maintain retirement benefits for employees leaving the Company and already retired pension recipients, the Company subtracts pension plan assets from its projected benefit obligation, based on estimates as of the end of the consolidated fiscal year ended March 31, 2020.

[1] Imputation method for retirement benefit estimates

In calculating projected benefit obligation, the method for imputing the applicable period until the end of the consolidated fiscal year ended March 31, 2020 for the estimated retirement benefit is determined by the benefit calculation standard.

[2] Treatment method for actuarial differences and expenses related to prior service cost
Prior service cost is amortized on a straight-line basis over a period equaling the average remaining service
period of employees (mainly 15 years) expected to receive pension benefits as of the fiscal year-end.
Actuarial differences are amortized on a straight-line basis from the following consolidated fiscal year over
a period equaling the average remaining service period of employees (mainly 15 years) expected to receive
pension benefits as of the consolidated fiscal year-end.

#### (5) Significant hedging transactions

[1] Hedging transactions are accounted for on a deferred basis. However, the contracted exchange rates are applied in the case of any monetary claims, obligations or similar items denominated in foreign currencies with assigned foreign currency forwards or other hedging instruments.

[2] Hedging methods: Derivative transactions

(including forward exchange contracts and currency purchase put/call options)

Hedged items: Any monetary receivables and payables and planned trading transactions that are denominated in foreign currencies

[3] The Company employs hedging methods only for hedged items purely to manage fluctuations in foreign currency exchange rates.

[4] Hedging evaluation

Since hedging methods and hedged items of each hedging transaction share the same conditions that apply at the start of hedging activities and throughout subsequent periods, the Company's hedging approach enables exchange rate fluctuations to be offset completely. Hence, the Company considers its hedging method to be highly effective.

(6) Goodwill amortization and amortization periods

Goodwill is amortized using the straight-line method over a period of mainly 10 years beginning with the day on which it is realized. However, when the amount of goodwill is immaterial, it is amortized in total in the fiscal year it is realized.

(7) Consumption tax

All accounting transactions are booked exclusive of any national or local consumption taxes.

#### II. Changes in Disclosure

(Application of IFRS 16 "Leases")

From the start of the fiscal year ended March 31, 2020, Group companies subject to application of IFRS have applied IFRS 16 ("Leases"), an accounting method in which borrower lease transactions are viewed either as right-of-use assets or lease obligations. Accordingly, an approach was adopted in which any cumulative impact of the application of this standard, regarded as a transitional measure, is recognized on the start date of its application.

The application of this standard has a negligible impact on the consolidated financial statements.

#### III. Notes to the Consolidated Balance Sheet

1. Assets pledged as collateral

Buildings and structures: ¥3,785 million Land: ¥3.278 million

The above assets are pledged as collateral against the short-term loans payable totaling ¥5,300 million.

2. Reduction entry of property, plant and equipment purchased with government subsidy and others

Accumulated reduction entry of property, plant and equipment: ¥351 million

3. Accumulated depreciation of property, plant and equipment: ¥320,544 million

4. Components of inventories

Merchandise and finished goods: ¥29,024 million
Work in process: ¥4,441 million
Raw materials and supplies: ¥46,387 million

#### IV. Notes to the Consolidated Statements of Income

#### 1. Impairment losses

Impairment losses were posted for the asset groups below during the fiscal year ended March 31, 2020.

Location	Application	Туре
United States	— (Flour Milling)	Goodwill
	Business assets (Flour Milling)	Buildings and structures; machinery, equipment and vehicles; others
City of Tsuru (Yamanashi Pref.), others	Business assets (Others)	Buildings and structures; machinery, equipment and vehicles
City of Kawasaki (Kanagawa Pref.)	Business assets (Others)	Buildings and structures; machinery, equipment and vehicles; others

The Group categorizes assets based on the smallest unit that largely generates cash flows independently from the cash flows of other assets and asset groups.

Regarding goodwill for the U.S. flour milling business in the Flour Milling Segment, following comprehensive consideration of factors surrounding a downturn in business performance due to intensifying sales competition, the Company conducted an impairment test based on U.S. GAAP. This resulted in a reduction in the book value of this business to its fair value, and the subsequent posting of an impairment loss of \(\frac{\pmathbf{x}}{3},003\) million under extraordinary losses. The breakdown of the impairment loss is \(\frac{\pmathbf{x}}{3},003\) million in goodwill.

A discount rate of 8.5% was used in the calculation of fair value.

Furthermore, following the decision to close the Minnesota-based New Prague Plant in the U.S. flour milling business, the Company reduced the book value of assets from this plant to their recoverable value. This resulted in the subsequent posting of an impairment loss of \forall 866 million under extraordinary losses. The breakdown of the impairment loss is \forall 358 million in buildings and structures, \forall 159 million in machinery, equipment and vehicles, and \forall 347 million in others.

The recoverable value for the above asset groups is measured based on net sale value.

Regarding manufacturing equipment for mesh cloth used in screen printing by NBC Meshtec Inc. in the Others Segment, because future cash flow anticipated from this equipment has fallen below its book value due to changes in the market environment, the Company reduced the book value of this asset to its recoverable value. This resulted in the subsequent posting of an impairment loss of ¥912 million under extraordinary losses. The

breakdown of the impairment loss is ¥636 million in buildings and structures, and ¥276 million in machinery, equipment and vehicles.

The recoverable value for the above asset groups is measured based on the usable value (discount rate of 15.1%). Additionally, regarding the pet food manufacturing equipment of Nisshin Petfood Inc., due to the decision made to exit the manufacturing business at the end of March 2021, the Company reduced the book value of this asset to the recoverable value it expects to realize by the date of exit from this business. This resulted in the posting of an impairment loss of \(\frac{\pmature{4}}{4}\)2 million under extraordinary losses. The breakdown of the impairment loss is \(\frac{\pmature{9}}{9}\)9 million in buildings and structures, \(\frac{\pmature{3}}{2}\)3 million in machinery, equipment and vehicles, and \(\frac{\pmature{1}}{1}\)9 million in others. The recoverable value for the above asset groups is measured based on the usable value (discount rate of 9.6%).

#### 2. Business restructuring expenses

Business restructuring expenses consist primarily of expenses related to the closure of the Minnesota-based New Prague Plant in the U.S. flour milling business, and expenses related to transfer of the pet food business.

#### V. Notes to the Consolidated Statement of Change in Net Assets

1. Class and number of issued shares at the end of the consolidated fiscal year ended March 31, 2020

Common stock: 304,357,891 shares

2. Dividends

(1) Dividends paid

The following resolution was made at the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held on June 26, 2019.

- Dividends on common stock

(Note) Total dividends to be paid include \( \frac{40}{20} \) million of the dividends to the Company shares held by The Master Trust Bank of Japan, Ltd. as trust assets for the stock-based remuneration plan.

The following resolution was made at the meeting of the Board of Directors held on October 29, 2019.

- Dividends on common stock

[1] Total dividends to be paid: \quad \text{\tint{\text{\te}\text{\texi{\texi{\text{\texi{\text{\texi{\texi{\texi{\texi{\texi{\texi{\texi{\texi{\texi{\texi{\texi{\texi{\texi{\texi{\texi{\texi{\texi{\texi{\texi{

(Note) Total dividends to be paid include ¥1 million of the dividends to the Company shares held by The Master Trust Bank of Japan, Ltd. as trust assets for the stock-based remuneration plan.

(2) Dividends for which the record date came during the consolidated fiscal year ended March 31, 2020, but for which the effective date will come during the following consolidated fiscal year

The following resolution was made at the meeting of the Board of Directors held on May 14, 2020.

- Dividends on common stock

(Note) Total dividends to be paid include ¥0 million of the dividends to the Company shares held by The Master Trust Bank of Japan, Ltd. as trust assets for the stock-based remuneration plan.

3. Class and number of shares to be issued or transferred upon exercise of the subscription rights to shares as of the consolidated fiscal year-end

11-1st subscription rights to shares (Granted on August 20, 2013)	Common stock	3,630 shares
11-2nd subscription rights to shares (Granted on August 20, 2013)	Common stock	8,470 shares
12-1st subscription rights to shares (Granted on August 19, 2014)	Common stock	37,400 shares
12-2nd subscription rights to shares (Granted on August 19, 2014)	Common stock	70,400 shares
13-1st subscription rights to shares (Granted on August 19, 2015)	Common stock	72,000 shares
13-2nd subscription rights to shares (Granted on August 19, 2015)	Common stock	145,000 shares
14-1st subscription rights to shares (Granted on August 15, 2016)	Common stock	96,000 shares
14-2nd subscription rights to shares (Granted on August 15, 2016)	Common stock	202,000 shares

#### VI. Notes to Financial Instruments

- 1. Status of financial instruments
  - (1) Policy regarding financial instruments

The Group policy concerning cash holdings and temporary surplus funds for strategic investment and the like going forward dictates that such funds be used for marketable securities and time deposits with specific rates of yield and not for the purpose of securing gains from sales or speculative transactions. Furthermore, the said policy also requires that funds be secured by the most suitable method given prevailing market conditions, with loans from banks utilized for short-term financing requirements, and loans from banks, the issuance of bonds, capital increase and the like utilized for long-term financing needs.

In terms of investment securities, the Group has a policy for retaining stocks when such retaining contributes to medium- to long-term improvement in corporate value and is reasonable in terms of facilitating and strengthening business tie-ups and joint businesses or building and strengthening long-term and stable business relationships.

The Group utilizes derivatives only as a hedge against the forms of risk detailed hereinafter but not for the purpose of securing gains from sales and speculative transactions.

(2) Details of financial instrument, associated risk, and risk management systems

Cash and deposits are principally used for time deposits while marketable securities generally take the form of bonds, and in both cases, therefore, the Group is exposed to the credit risk of the issuer and deposit holder and the risk of market price fluctuation. With the aim of minimizing and diversifying this risk, the internal rules of each Group company place limits on investment assets, issuers and deposit holders, investment periods, issuer and holder-specific investment amounts, and the like.

In terms of operating receivables in the form of notes and accounts receivable – trade, the Group is exposed to the credit risk of the corresponding customers. As a countermeasure, the internal rules of each Group company establish systems for managing due dates and balances on an individual business partner basis and for regularly reassessing the financial standing of major business partners, thus ensuring that settlement concerns stemming from a worsening of the financial position of any such business partner or customer can be rapidly identified and addressed.

Investment securities are stocks related to business or capital tie-ups and the like with business partners, which are exposed to the risk of market price fluctuation. Thus, systems have been established to regularly determine actual market value, and with respect to each of the cross-shareholding stocks retained, to verify yearly at the Board of Directors the validity of retaining stocks after examining the rationality of reasons for cross-shareholding, their trading situations, revenue and financial conditions, shareholder returns, creditworthiness, and other factors, and making comparisons between benefits/risks and capital costs associated with cross-shareholding.

In terms of operating liabilities in the form of notes and accounts payable – trade, most of those payment periods are no longer than one year. Short-term loans payable are principally used to procure working capital. They are exposed to liquidity risk but each Group company deploys a number of different measures, such as the preparation of cash flow management plans and the like, in order to manage this risk.

Long-term loans payable and bonds are principally used to procure funds necessary for business investments and the like, and have fixed interest rates.

Turning to derivative transactions, the Group utilizes forward exchange contracts, currency option transactions and the like for specific assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies, where this includes notes and accounts receivable – trade and notes and accounts payable – trade, with the aim of hedging the risk of future foreign-exchange fluctuation. Meanwhile, certain overseas consolidated subsidiaries manage the future risk of fluctuation in wheat prices, etc., using wheat futures, etc. Transactions such as these expose the Group to risk associated with general market fluctuation. As a means of minimizing such risk, each Group company acts in line with internal rules that prohibit the scale of any such dealings from exceeding actual demand, and furthermore, place limits on derivative transactions in the form of a fixed ratio of the total value thereof. It should also be noted that currency option transactions are restricted

to the purchases of options only by said internal rules. Furthermore, such transactions are executed by the Finance and Accounting Division of the Company principally in line with the instructions of the responsible divisions of operating companies with which foreign-exchange fluctuation risk is associated. At certain consolidated subsidiaries, however, the corresponding finance department executes transactions based principally on the instructions of various internal responsible divisions. In order to effectively monitor and control derivative transactions of this nature, the Group has implemented systems that require the Finance and Accounting Division of the Company or the finance departments of individual subsidiaries to obtain a derivative-transaction balance statement from banks and other similar institutions on a monthly basis, to cross-check this statement with actual balances, and among other measures, to submit a report to the Division Executive of the Finance and Accounting Division of the Company or the director in charge of the finance department and the director in charge of the administration department of each subsidiary. Furthermore, as the Group only conducts derivative transactions with financial institutions with high credit ratings, the risk of defaulting on contracts on the part of the counterparty is considered to be close to non-existent.

# (3) Supplementary explanation concerning the market value of financial instruments

The market value of financial instruments includes value based on market price or value calculated in a reasonable manner when there is no market price. As fluctuation is factored into this calculated value, the selection of differing preconditions and the like may cause the fair value to change.

#### 2. Market value of financial instruments

The book value, market value and difference between each for major balance sheet items as of March 31, 2020 (the balance sheet date) are presented as follows. Details of those balance sheet items whose market values are deemed highly difficult to determine are not included. (Please refer to Note 2).

(Millions of yen)

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	Book value (*1)	Market value (*1)	Difference
(1) Cash and deposits	49,710	49,710	_
(2) Notes and accounts receivable – trade	92,236	92,236	_
(3) Securities and investment securities			
Other securities	118,304	118,304	_
(4) Notes and accounts payable – trade	(53,730)	(53,730)	_
(5) Short-term loans payable	(13,490)	(13,490)	_
(6) Bonds	(20,000)	(19,690)	(309)
(7) Long-term loans payable (*2)	(19,814)	(19,669)	(144)
(8) Derivative transactions (*3)	35	35	_

<sup>(\*1)</sup> Liabilities are shown in parentheses.

- (\*2) Includes the current portion of long-term loans payable.
- (\*3) Net claims and debts resulting from derivative transactions are indicated as net amounts. Figures of total net debt are indicated in parentheses.

Note 1: Calculation method for the market values of financial instruments, securities and derivative transactions

- (1) Cash and deposits, and (2) Notes and accounts receivable trade
  Given the short settlement period of the above items, the market value and book value are almost the same, and therefore, the corresponding book values are used.
- (3) Securities and investment securities

Shares are recorded at the stock-exchange price, and bonds are recorded at either the stock-exchange price or the price indicated by the transacting financial institution in question.

- (4) Notes and accounts payable trade, and (5) Short-term loans payable Given the short settlement period of the above items, the market value and book value are almost the same, and therefore, the corresponding book values are used.
- (6) Bonds and (7) Long-term loans payable

The market values of bonds and long-term loans payable are measured at the present value of future cash flows discounted by a rate that is set by using appropriate indices, such as JGB yields, and adding a credit spread.

#### (8) Derivative transactions

The market values of derivatives are recorded as the closing price for the corresponding futures or the price indicated by the transacting financial institution in question. It should be noted that forward exchange contracts and other foreign exchange contracts in which contracted exchange rates are applied and grouped together with hedged accounts receivable and accounts payable, and the market value of the hedged accounts receivable and accounts payable includes the values of the corresponding accounts receivable and accounts payable.

Note 2: Financial instruments whose market values are deemed to be highly difficult to determine Unlisted securities (book value \frac{\pmathbf{2}}{22,086} million) are deemed extremely difficult to value given the lack of a market value and the considerable cost that would be involved in estimating future cash flow. For this reason, these shares are not included in (3) Securities and investment securities.

#### VII. Notes to Per Share Information

1. Net assets per share \quad\{\frac{\pmathbf{1}}{328.71}\) (Note 1) \quad
2. Earnings per share \quad\{\pmathbf{7}5.40\) (Note 2)

Note 1: When calculating net assets per share, the Company shares held by The Master Trust Bank of Japan, Ltd. as trust assets for the stock-based remuneration plan are included in the treasury shares excluded from the number of shares of common stock issued and outstanding at the end of the consolidated fiscal year. As of March 31, 2020, 38,400 Company shares were held in the aforementioned trust.

Note 2: When calculating earnings per share, the Company shares held by The Master Trust Bank of Japan, Ltd. as trust assets for the stock-based remuneration plan are included in the treasury shares excluded when calculating the average number of shares of common stock during the fiscal year. For the consolidated fiscal year ended March 31, 2020, the average number of shares of common stock for the Company shares held in the aforementioned trust was 46,962 shares.

#### **VIII. Additional Information**

(Stock-based Remuneration Plan)

The Company has introduced a stock-based remuneration plan (the "Plan") for the Directors (excluding Directors who are members of the Audit & Supervisory Committee) and the Executive Officers of the Company and the Directors of the major subsidiaries of the Company (the "Eligible Directors, etc.").

For the Company shares vested in the Eligible Directors, etc. under the Plan, transfer and other disposal are prohibited for 3 years from the time of vesting based on the share vesting rules. The Plan is intended to improve motivation of the Eligible Directors, etc. to contribute to enhanced medium- to long-term corporate value and the awareness of management with an emphasis on the shareholders through the interests of the Eligible Directors, etc. aligned with those of shareholders.

Accounting treatments concerning the Plan are in compliance with the "Practical Solution on Transactions of Delivering the Company's Own Stock to Employees etc. through Trusts" (PITF No. 30, revised on March 26, 2015).

(1) Outline of transactions

Under the Plan, the Company shares vested in the Eligible Directors, etc. are acquired by a trust established by the Company (the "Trust") using the money that the Company and the major subsidiaries contribute, and are vested in the Eligible Directors, etc. through the Trust. The Company shares calculated by a specific calculation method and cash for tax propose, which are determined based on the stock remuneration base amount set out according to the positions and other factors of the Eligible Directors, etc., are vested in and granted to the Eligible Directors, etc. each year.

(2) The Company shares remaining in the Trust

The Company shares remaining in the Trust are recorded at book value in the Trust (excluding the amount of incidental expenses) as treasury shares under net assets. At the end of the consolidated fiscal year ended March 31, 20120, the book value of the corresponding treasury shares was \mathbb{\xi}87 million and the number thereof was 38,400 shares.

#### IX. Other Notes

- 1. All amounts have been rounded down to the nearest million yen.
- 2. Notes to M&A activity

(Acquisition-based merger)

At a meeting of the Board of Directors held February 27, 2019, the Company resolved that the Company and its subsidiary Nisshin Flour Milling Inc. (Nisshin Flour Milling) would acquire PFG Topco1 Pty Ltd. (PFG), the parent company of Australian flour milling company Allied Pinnacle Pty Ltd. (Allied Pinnacle). For this acquisition, the Company and its subsidiary concluded a share purchasing agreement to acquire 100% of PFG shares from Pacific Equity Partners, an Australian private equity fund, etc. The acquisition took place on April 1, 2019.

- (1) Outline of the merger
  - [1] Name and business lines of acquired company

Name: PFG Topco1 Pty Ltd. (holding company owning all shares of Allied Pinnacle)

Business lines: Production and sales of wheat flour, prepared mix, and bakery related ingredients, etc.

[2] Rationale for the merger

In May 2018, the Group formulated a long-term vision entitled "NNI 'Compass for the Future'." As part of this vision, the Group is working to further raise its profile as "a globally operating company that assists 'healthy lifestyles' and plays a critical role in building 'the food infrastructure' of the future." To this end, the Group has positioned the overseas flour milling business as one of its operations for driving growth.

In recent years, Nisshin Flour Milling has moved aggressively to expand its overseas business, purchasing U.S.-based Miller Milling Company, LLC in 2012, establishing Champion Flour Milling Ltd. in New Zealand in 2013 following the acquisition of a flour milling operation there, and conducting the acquisition of production assets of Thailand-based Pacific Flour Milling Co., Ltd. in 2018, among other actions. The Group's latest acquisition will further accelerate measures of this kind to expand its overseas business.

Australia's market for wheat flour used in breads, cakes, noodles and other products is supported by the high population growth rate in the developed world (approximately 1.6% annually), coupled with a strong economy continuing positive growth, and rising demand for high-value-added products (organic products, etc.) in step with growing health consciousness among consumers. For these reasons, sustained market growth is anticipated going forward.

Allied Pinnacle is a leading company with a top share of Australia's wheat flour market (excluding flour used in starch production and other industrial applications), and also controls a significant share of the market for prepared mix and bakery related ingredients. Allied Pinnacle has business dealings with a number of major names in bread, confection and bakery production, and has built a solid position in the wheat flour-related market.

Following the acquisition, the combination of expertise possessed by both Allied Pinnacle and the Group will enhance competitiveness as we seek to drive further business expansion forward. Similarly, we hope to create synergies between Allied Pinnacle and New Zealand-based Champion Flour Milling Ltd. that promote sales expansion and improved operational efficiency, taking advantage of the sales and distribution networks of both companies.

Additionally, the opportunity to develop business in Australia, a major wheat producer, as well as gather wheat-related information and create relationships with wheat producers and grain companies, is also extremely meaningful from the perspective of strengthening the Group's raw material procurement capabilities.

Furthermore, the overlapping of Allied Pinnacle's sales network with the Group's own sales channels will also enable the capture of demand not only in Oceania but in the Asia market, where the shift to a more western diet is occurring rapidly and demand for wheat flour is robust. For its part, the Group is reinforcing its foundations as a company responsible for "food infrastructure" in the promising Oceania and Asia markets, aiming to achieve both "the maximization of corporate value" and "sustainable, cyclical growth."

[3] Date of merger

April 1, 2019

[4] Legal form of merger

Share acquisition at cash value

- [5] Post-merger name
  - PFG Topco1 Pty Ltd.
- [6] Percentage of voting rights acquired 100%
- [7] Principal evidence supporting acquisition decision
  Following share acquisition at cash value, the Company and Nisshin Flour Milling acquired 100% of voting rights.
- (2) Period of business results for the acquired company included within the consolidated financial statements April 1, 2019 to March 31, 2020
- (3) Breakdown of acquisition cost and type of compensation

Compensation for acquisition	Cash and deposits	AUD 589 million	[¥46,810 million]
Acquisition cost	_	AUD 589 million	[¥46,810 million]

(4) Name and amount of principal acquisition-related expenses

Advisory costs, etc. ¥1,040 million

(5) Method for procuring funds for payment

Acquisition funds supplied entirely from funds on hand.

- (6) Amount of subsequent goodwill, reasons for occurrence, depreciation method and depreciation period
  - [1] Amount of subsequent goodwill

¥41,101 million

[2] Reasons for occurrence

Occurrence stems from rationale estimate of future surplus earning capacity anticipated from business development going forward

[3] Depreciation method and depreciation period

Depreciated uniformly over 10 years

(7) Amount and principal breakdown of assets and liabilities assumed on date of merger

Current assets	¥34,243 million
Non-current assets	¥59,275 million
Total assets	¥93,518 million
Current liabilities	¥15,483 million
Non-current liabilities	¥72,326 million
Total liabilities	¥87,809 million

(Note) (1) "Amount of subsequent goodwill" in 6. above not included in assets and liabilities.

- (8) Distribution amount, description of type and weighted average depreciation period for intangible assets outside of goodwill
  - [1] Amount allocated to intangible assets

¥21,733 million

[2] Description of type

Client-related assets ¥21,733 million

- [3] Weighted average depreciation period 13.5 years
- (9) Estimation and method of calculation of effect on Consolidated Statements of Income for fiscal 2020 if merger assumed completed on the first day of the fiscal year

No effect reported since the merger date occurred on the first day of the fiscal year.

#### (Acquisition-based merger)

At a meeting of the Board of Directors held March 26, 2019, the Company resolved to acquire from other external shareholders 51% of the existing shares of common stock of the Company's affiliate Tokatsu Foods Co., Ltd. (Tokatsu Foods), a comprehensive prepared dishes supplier. After the conclusion of the share transfer agreement, the Company conducted the acquisition on July 4, 2019, and Tokatsu Foods became a consolidated subsidiary of the Company.

#### (1) Outline of the merger

[1] Name and business lines of acquired company

Name: Tokatsu Foods Co., Ltd.

Business lines: Freshly prepared foods business (production and sales of bento boxes, seasoned rice balls, sandwiches, prepared foods, noodles, salads and other prepared foods), frozen prepared foods business (production and sales of commercial-use frozen bento boxes, frozen prepared foods, frozen noodles)

#### [2] Rationale for the merger

The Company has positioned the prepared dishes and other prepared foods business as a growth field, and is taking steps to groom it as one of the Group's core operations. In December 2012, the Company entered a capital tie-up with Tokatsu Foods, followed in January 2016 with the consolidation of Joyous Foods Co., Ltd., a supplier of prepared noodles, as a subsidiary. The Company conducted the current acquisition after determining that doing so would contribute to further expansion of its prepared dishes and other prepared foods and frozen foods businesses.

Established in 1968, Tokatsu Foods has a leading presence in Japan as a comprehensive supplier of prepared dishes, and has developed a deli prepared foods business targeting convenience stores along with a delivery route-focused frozen prepared foods business. Prior to the merger, the Group had, over many years, developed a collaborative relationship with Tokatsu Foods, both through outsourcing the production of deli prepared foods and frozen foods to Tokatsu Foods, and through a capital tie-up. The current acquisition will further enhance these relations, with hopes to leverage the Group's basic research expertise and product development capabilities to stimulate expansion of the Group's prepared dishes and other prepared foods business and its frozen foods business.

[3] Date of merger July 4, 2019

[4] Legal form of merger Share acquisition at cash value

[5] Post-merger name

Tokatsu Foods Co., Ltd.

[6] Percentage of voting rights acquired

	55,725 shares
1. Shareholding prior to transfer	(No. of voting rights: 55,725)
	(Percentage of voting rights: 49%)
2. Shares for acquisition	58,000 shares
2. Shares for acquisition	(No. of voting rights: 58,000)
	113,725 shares
3. Shareholding following transfer	(No. of voting rights: 113,725)
	(Percentage of voting rights: 100%)

[7] Principal evidence supporting acquisition decision

Following share acquisition at cash value, the Company acquired 100% of voting rights.

- (2) Period of business results for the acquired company included within the consolidated financial statements July 1, 2019 to March 31, 2020
- (3) Breakdown of acquisition cost and type of compensation

Market value of shares held prior to acquisition as of the merger date

Cash and deposits used in additional acquisition of shares

415,080 million

Acquisition cost

¥29,568 million

(4) Name and amount of principal acquisition-related expenses

Advisory costs, etc. ¥190 million

- (5) Acquisition cost and difference from total cost of individual transactions required for the acquisition Gain on step acquisitions ¥7,272 million
- (6) Method for procuring funds for payment

Acquisition funds supplied entirely from funds on hand.

- (7) Amount of subsequent goodwill, reasons for occurrence, depreciation method and depreciation period
  - [1] Amount of subsequent goodwill

¥11,808 million

[2] Reasons for occurrence

Occurrence stems from rationale estimate of future surplus earning capacity anticipated from business development going forward

[3] Depreciation method and depreciation period

Depreciated uniformly over 10 years

(8) Amount and principal breakdown of assets and liabilities assumed on date of merger

Current assets	¥26,066 million
Non-current assets	¥29,197 million
Total assets	¥55,264 million
Current liabilities	¥26,328 million
Non-current liabilities	¥11,176 million
Total liabilities	¥37.504 million

(Note) (1) "Amount of subsequent goodwill" in 7. above not included in assets and liabilities.

- (9) Distribution amount, description of type and depreciation period for intangible assets outside of goodwill
  - [1] Amount allocated to intangible assets

¥4,655 million

[2] Description of type

Client-related assets ¥4,655 million

[3] Depreciation period

12 years

(10)Estimation and method of calculation of effect on Consolidated Statements of Income for fiscal 2020 if merger assumed completed on the first day of the fiscal year

Net sales ¥27,283 million

Operating profit ¥406 million

Ordinary profit ¥285 million

Profit attributable to owners of parent ¥22 million

# (Calculation method for estimation)

The calculated estimation reflects the comparative difference between net sales and profit/loss data reported in the Company's Consolidated Statements of Income and net sales and profit/loss data if the merger is assumed to have completed on the first day of the fiscal year. Furthermore, the estimated effect of goodwill and other intangible assets recognized at the date of merger is calculated as if such assets occurred at the beginning of the fiscal year. This note has not been audit certified.

# Non-consolidated Statement of Changes in Net Assets (For the Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 2020)

	Shareholders' equity						
		(	Capital surplus	Retained earnings			
	Capital stock	Legal capital surplus	Other capital surplus	Total capital surplus	Legal retained earnings	Other retained earnings Reserve for dividends	
Balance at the beginning of current period	17,117	9,500	226	9,726	4,379	2,000	
Changes of items during the period							
Reversal of reserve for advanced depreciation of non-current assets							
Dividends from surplus							
Profit							
Purchase of treasury shares							
Disposal of treasury shares			(24)	(24)			
Net changes of items other than shareholders' equity							
Total changes of items during the period	_	_	(24)	(24)	_	_	
Balance at the end of current period	17,117	9,500	202	9,702	4,379	2,000	

	Shareholders' equity Retained earnings						
	Otl	Other retained earnings					
	Reserve for advanced depreciation of non-current assets	General reserve	Retained earnings brought forward	Total retained earnings			
Balance at the beginning of current period	2,632	170,770	58,965	238,747			
Changes of items during the period							
Reversal of reserve for advanced depreciation of non-current assets	(34)		34				
Dividends from surplus			(9,810)	(9,810)			
Profit			8,460	8,460			
Purchase of treasury shares							
Disposal of treasury shares							
Net changes of items other than shareholders' equity							
Total changes of items during the period	(34)	_	(1,315)	(1,349)			
Balance at the end of current period	2,598	170,770	57,649	237,397			

	Shareho	lders' equity	Valuation and translation adjustments				
	Treasury shares	Total shareholders' equity	Valuation difference on available- for-sale securities	Deferred gains or losses on hedges	Total valuation and translation adjustments	Subscription rights to shares	Total net assets
Balance at the beginning of current period	(11,395)	254,196	45,741	(86)	45,655	167	300,019
Changes of items during the period							
Reversal of reserve for advanced depreciation of non-current assets		_					_
Dividends from surplus		(9,810)					(9,810)
Profit		8,460					8,460
Purchase of treasury shares	(190)	(190)					(190)
Disposal of treasury shares	421	397					397
Net changes of items other than shareholders' equity			(5,853)	86	(5,767)	(29)	(5,797)
Total changes of items during the period	231	(1,143)	(5,853)	86	(5,767)	(29)	(6,940)
Balance at the end of current period	(11,164)	253,053	39,888	_	39,888	137	293,079

# **Notes to the Non-consolidated Financial Statements**

#### I. Significant Accounting Policies

1. Valuation standards and methodology for securities

Held-to-maturity debt securities are stated at amortized cost.

Shares of subsidiaries and affiliated companies: Stated at cost determined by the moving average method. Other securities:

Securities with a readily determinable market value are stated at fair market value based on the quoted market price at the fiscal year-end (with any unrealized gains or losses being reported directly as a component of shareholders' equity and the cost of any securities sold being computed by the moving average method).

Securities with no readily determinable market value are stated at cost, with cost being determined by the moving average method.

2. Valuation standards and methodology for derivatives

Derivative financial instruments are stated at fair market value.

3. Depreciation methods for non-current assets

Property, plant and equipment (excluding leased assets):

Depreciation on property, plant and equipment (excluding leased assets) is computed by the declining balance method. However, the straight-line method is applied for buildings (excluding building fixtures) acquired on or after April 1, 1998 and building fixtures and structures acquired on or after April 1, 2016. Intangible assets (excluding leased assets):

Depreciation on intangible assets (excluding leased assets) is computed by the straight-line method. Software used in-house is depreciated over its estimated useful life (5 years) based on the straight-line method.

Leased assets:

Leased assets related to finance lease transactions that do not transfer ownership are depreciated using the straight-line method with estimated useful lives equal to lease terms, and zero residual values.

#### 4. Basis of material allowances

Allowance for doubtful accounts:

The Company provides for possible credit losses stemming from monetary receivables. Estimates of irrecoverable amounts are based on historical loan-loss ratios for general receivables, and on a consideration of feasibly recoverable amounts in individual cases of suspected bad debt or other specific dubious accounts. Provision for directors' bonuses:

Provision is made for directors' bonuses based on the estimated amounts during the fiscal year ended March 31, 2020.

Provision for retirement benefits:

Provision is made for employees' and already retired pension recipients' retirement benefits based on the estimated amounts of projected benefit obligation and the fair value of the pension plan assets at the fiscal year-end.

- [1] Imputation method for retirement benefit estimates
  - In calculating projected benefit obligation, the method for imputing the applicable period until the end of the fiscal year ended March 31, 2020 for the estimated retirement benefit is determined by the benefit calculation standard.
- [2] Treatment method for actuarial differences and expenses related to prior service cost
  Prior service cost is amortized on a straight-line basis over a period equaling the average remaining
  service period of employees (15 years) expected to receive pension benefits as of the fiscal year-end.
  Actuarial differences are amortized on a straight-line basis from the following fiscal year over a period
  equaling the average remaining service period of employees (15 years) expected to receive pension
  benefits as of the fiscal year-end.

If the pension plan assets at the end of the fiscal year ended March 31, 2020 exceeded the projected benefit obligation less actuarial differences and others, the amount in excess was recognized as prepaid pension cost and included in "Other" under "Investments and other assets."

#### 5. Hedging transactions

- (1) Hedging transactions are accounted for on a deferred basis. However, the contracted exchange rates are applied in the case of any monetary claims, obligations or similar items denominated in foreign currencies with assigned foreign currency forwards or other hedging instruments.
- (2) Hedging methods: Derivative transactions

(including forward exchange contracts and currency purchase put/call options)

Hedged items: Any monetary receivables and payables and planned trading transactions that are

denominated in foreign currencies.

- (3) The Company employs hedging methods only for hedged items purely to manage fluctuations in foreign currency exchange rates.
- (4) Hedging evaluation

Since hedging methods and hedged items of each hedging transaction share the same conditions that apply at the start of hedging activities and throughout subsequent periods, the Company's hedging approach enables exchange rate fluctuations to be offset completely. Hence, the Company considers its hedging method to be highly effective.

- 6. Other significant matters regarding basis of presentation of non-consolidated financial statements
  - (1) Accounting treatment of retirement benefits

Unsettled amounts of unrecognized actuarial differences and unrecognized prior service cost relating to retirement benefits are accounted for in a different method from that applied to account for those in the consolidated financial statements.

(2) Consumption tax

All accounting transactions are booked exclusive of any national or local consumption taxes.

#### II. Notes to Changes in the Presentation Method

(Non-consolidated Balance Sheet)

"Long-term loans payable" which was included in "Other" under "Non-current liabilities" in the previous fiscal year is presented separately for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2020 because it became significant in terms of amount.

(Non-consolidated Statement of Income)

"Commitment fee" under "Non-operating expenses" which was presented separately in the previous fiscal year is included in "Other" under "Non-operating expenses" for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2020 because they became insignificant in terms of amount.

#### III. Notes to the Non-consolidated Balance Sheet

1 Accumulated	depreciation of pro-	perty, plant and equipment	¥18.415 million

2. Monetary claims and liabilities to affiliated companies

Short-term monetary claims ¥887 million Short-term monetary liabilities ¥38,242 million

#### IV. Notes to the Non-consolidated Statement of Income

Transactions with affiliated companies

Operating transactions

 $\begin{array}{ll} \text{Operating revenues} & \quad & \$19,958 \text{ million} \\ \text{Operating expenses} & \quad & \$785 \text{ million} \\ \text{Transactions other than operating transactions} & \quad & \$1,210 \text{ million} \end{array}$ 

# V. Notes to the Non-consolidated Statement of Changes in Net Assets

Class and number of treasury shares as at the fiscal year-end

Common stock 6,998,302 shares

(Note) The number of treasury shares of common stock at the end of the fiscal year ended March 31, 2020 includes 38,400 shares held by The Master Trust Bank of Japan, Ltd. as trust assets for the stock-based remuneration plan.

# VI. Notes to Tax Effect Accounting

The Principal components of deferred tax assets and deferred tax	(Millions of yen)
liabilities are as follows.	
Deferred tax assets	
Provision for retirement benefits	930
Investment securities	509
Provision for bonuses	182
Other	466
Gross deferred tax assets	2,089
Valuation allowance	(619)
Total deferred tax assets	1,469
Deferred tax liabilities	
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	17,234
Reserve for advanced depreciation of non-current assets	1,145
Retirement benefit trust repayment securities	964
Total deferred tax liabilities	19,344
Deferred tax liabilities, net	17,875

# **VII. Notes to Related Party Transactions**

Subsidiaries, Affiliated Companies, etc.

Category	Name of Company, etc.	Percentage of Voting Rights, etc.	Transactions with Related Party	Nature of Transactions	Transaction Value (Note 1)	Item	Year- end Balance
Subsidiaries	Nisshin	Direct holding	Licensing of	Receipt of	4,675	_	_
	Flour	100.0	trademark, etc.,	license fee for			
	Milling		Lending and	trademark, etc.			
	Inc.		receipt of funds,	(Note 2)			
			Leasing of	Receipt of funds	3,683	Deposits	6,008
			commercial land,	(Note 3)		received	
			etc.,	Payment of	0	Accrued	0
			Concurrent	interests		expenses	
			serving of officers	(Note 3)			
				Lending of	63,223	Long-term	74,973
				investment		loans	
				funds		receivable	
				(Note 4)		from	
				Repayment of	11,005	subsidiaries	
				investment		and	
				funds		associates	
				(Note 4)			
				Receipt of	665	Other	61
				interests		under	
				(Note 4)		Current	
						assets	

Category	Name of Company, etc.	Percentage of Voting Rights, etc.	Transactions with Related Party	Nature of Transactions	Transaction Value (Note 1)	Item	Year- end Balance
Subsidiaries	Nisshin Foods Inc.	Direct holding 100.0	Licensing of trademark, etc., Lending and receipt of funds, Leasing of commercial land, etc., Concurrent serving of officers	Receipt of funds (Note 3) Payment of interests (Note 3)	5,939	Deposits received Accrued expenses	4,043
	Oriental Yeast Co., Ltd.	Direct holding 100.0	Licensing of trademark, etc., Lending and receipt of funds, Concurrent serving of officers	Lending of investment funds (Note 4) Repayment of investment funds (Note 4) Receipt of		Long-term loans receivable from subsidiaries and associates Other	6,941
				interests (Note 4)		under Current assets	
	Nissin Pharma Inc.	Direct holding 100.0	Concurrent	Receipt of funds (Note 3) Payment of interests (Note 3)		Deposits received Accrued expenses	4,717
	Nisshin Engineering Inc.	Direct holding 100.0	serving of officers Licensing of trademark, etc., Receipt of funds, Leasing of offices, Concurrent serving of officers	Receipt of funds (Note 3) Payment of interests (Note 3)		Deposits received Accrued expenses	14,797
	NBC Meshtec Inc.	Direct holding 100.0	Licensing of trademark, etc., Lending and receipt of funds, Concurrent serving of officers	Lending of working capital (Note 5)		Long-term loans receivable from subsidiaries and associates Other under	4,488
	PFG	Direct holding	Lending of funds	(Note 5) Lending of	35,590	Current assets	
	Topco1 Pty Ltd.	20.0 Indirect holding 80.0	Concurrent serving of officers	working capital (Note 6) Repayment of working capital	35,590	_	_
				(Note 6) Receipt of interests (Note 6)	264		_
			d to determine con	Underwriting of capital increase (Note 7)	6,805	_	_

Transaction conditions and methods used to determine conditions

Note 1: No consumption tax amounts are included in the transaction value.

- Note 2: License fee for trademark, etc. is determined by multiplying the net sales, etc. of Nisshin Flour Milling Inc. by a certain rate.
- Note 3: Receipt of funds is transactions through cash management system (CMS), and the transaction value presented is the average balance during the fiscal year. The interest rates are reasonably determined taking market interest rates into consideration.
- Note 4: The lending rates on investment funds are reasonably determined taking market interest rates into consideration.
- Note 5: Lending of working capital is transactions through cash management system (CMS), and the transaction value presented is the average balance during the fiscal year. The interest rate is reasonably determined taking market interest rates into consideration.
- Note 6: The lending rate on working capital is reasonably determined taking market interest rates into consideration.
- Note 7: The Company underwrote a rights issue made by PFG Topco1 Pty Ltd.

#### **VIII. Notes to Per Share Information**

- Net asset per share
   Earnings per share
   Y985.14 (Note 1)
   (Note 2)
- Note 1: When calculating net assets per share, the Company shares held by The Master Trust Bank of Japan, Ltd. as trust assets for the stock-based remuneration plan are included in the treasury shares excluded from the number of shares of common stock issued and outstanding at the end of the fiscal year.
  - As of March 31, 2020, 38,400 Company shares were held in the aforementioned trust.
- Note 2: When calculating earnings per share, the Company shares held by The Master Trust Bank of Japan, Ltd. as trust assets for the stock-based remuneration plan are included in the treasury shares excluded when calculating the average number of shares of common stock during the fiscal year.

For the fiscal year ended March 31, 2020, the average number of shares of common stock for the Company shares held in the aforementioned trust was 46,962 shares.

#### IX. Additional Information

(Stock-based Remuneration Plan)

The note is omitted because the same information is provided in the Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements (Additional Information).

#### X. Other Notes

All amounts have been rounded down to the nearest million yen.