

# FY2024

# **Presentation Materials**

AEON CO., LTD.

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#### Consolidated Results (Full year)



- Operating revenue surpassed ¥10 trillion for the first time
- Operating and ordinary profit near last year's record highs
- Profit attributable to owners of the parent company declined due to one-time losses related to structural reforms

Consolidated Results Full-year (12 months)					
	FY2024	FY2023	YoY %	YoY change	
Operating revenue	10,134.8	9,553.5	+6.1%	+581.3	
Operating profit	237.7	250.8	-5.2%	-13.0	
Ordinary profit	224.2	237.4	-5.6%	-13.2	
Profit attributable to owners of the parent company	28.7	44.6	-35.6%	-15.9	

The followings are notes for all slides;

<sup>1.</sup>All figures are presented in Japanese yeu unless otherwise noted. 2.FY24 or YTD in the graphs and tables refer to the cumulative total from March 2024 to February 2025, while 4Q refers to the period from December to February. 3.OGP: Operating Gross Profit, OP: Operating Profit Margin, SG&A: Selling, General and Administrative Expenses. "Ratio" means ratio to operating revenue or sales unless otherwise mentioned.

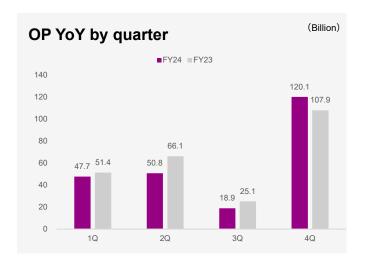
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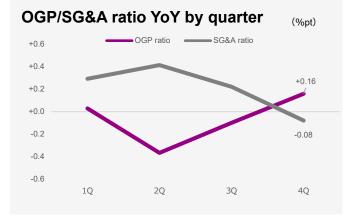
### Consolidated Results (4Q: Dec.–Feb.)



- 4Q profit margins all improved, hitting record highs
- Gross profit margin and SG&A ratio better than last year
- Pricing strategy enhancement and cost reforms are showing results, supporting steady progress toward sustainable growth

	FY2024	FY2023	YoY %	YoY change
Operating revenue	2,664.3	2,527.7	+5.4%	+136.6
Operating profit	120.1	107.9	+11.3%	+12.1
Ordinary profit	122.1	104.3	+17.1%	+17.7
Profit attributable to owners of the parent company	44.4	26.3	68.8%	+18.1

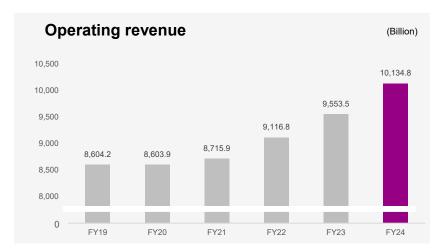




## Consolidated Results (Full year)

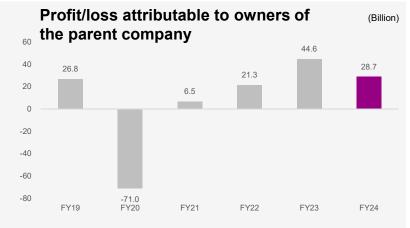


- Operating revenue hit a record high for the fourth straight year
- Operating and ordinary profit near last year's record levels
- Profit attributable to owners of the parent company down 35.6% year-on-year









## Results by Segment (Full year)



- Operating Revenue: All reporting segments experienced revenue growth.
- Operating Profit: Increased in the Financial Service, Shopping Center Development, and Services & Specialty Store

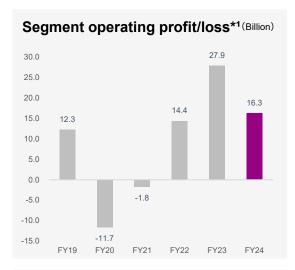
Result	s by Segment				(Billio
			FY2024 (12 r	months)	
		Operating	revenue	Operating	g profit
		Amount	YoY %	Amount	YoY change
	General Merchandising Store (GMS)	3,559.4	+2.6%	16.3	-11.5
	Supermarket (SM)	3,060.0	+10.0%	32.9	-8.9
S e	Discount Store (DS)	411.4	+2.8%	7.9	-0.4
g	Health & Wellness	1,322.8	+7.1%	36.0	-6.5
m e	Financial Services	530.4	+9.7%	61.1	+9.9
n t	Shopping Center Development	496.1	+5.9%	53.0	+5.6
•	Services & Specialty Store	729.1	+1.6%	23.1	+5.3
	International	548.8	+7.9%	9.4	-0.8
	Others	68.1	+16.3%	-10.0	+1.4
	Adjustment amount	-591.8	-	7.7	-7.0
	Consolidated total	10,134.8	+6.1%	237.7	-13.0

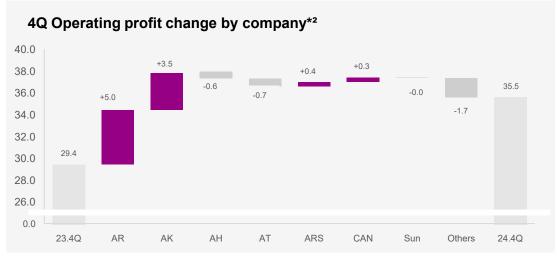


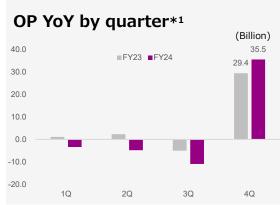
#### General Merchandising Store (GMS) Business

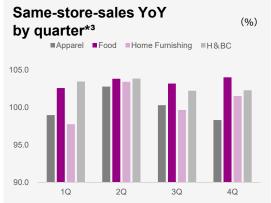


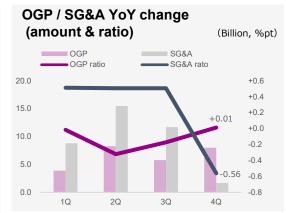
- Despite full-year profit decline from margin pressure, strength as GMS showed in demand for premium seasonal foods
- 4Q operating profit improved through sales floor reforms, optimized procurement, and cost control
- AEON Retail returned to profit growth in 4Q; AEON KYUSHU posted full-year profit growth











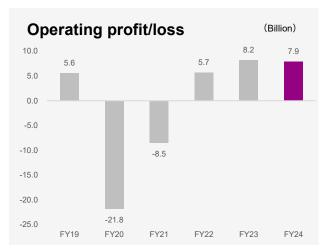
<sup>\*1</sup> Prior year results were adjusted for reportable segment transfers \*2 AR:AEON Retail (separate), AK:AEON KYUSHU (cons.), AH:AEON Hokkaido (separate), AT:AEON Tohoku (separate), ARS: AEON Retail Store (ex. Daiei), CAN:CANDO (cons., segment changed), Sun: SUNDAY (separate)

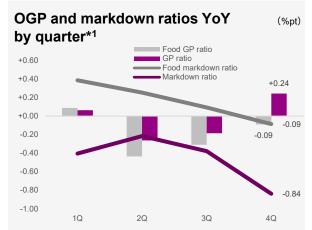
<sup>\*3</sup> Managerial accounting figures from 14 major GMS companies \*4 Managerial accounting

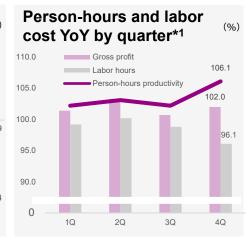
#### GMS Business, AEON Retail

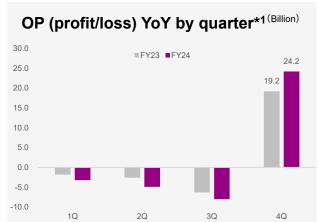


- Full-year operating profit flat, but 4Q rose ¥5.0 billion YoY to ¥24.2 billion
- Gross margin improvement from revitalized stores and markdown reduction, with progress in cost structure reform
- DX and other initiatives delivering results—continuing to optimize staffing and efficiency to sustain strong earnings









Progress in MTMP and structural reforms, Impact of cost increase YoY (Full-ye					
	No. of customers of Food	101.5%/101.6 %	TOPVALU sales	103.7%/105.3%	
	Inventory*2 Change from previous FY-End	+121.9bn -0.9bn	Person-hour productivity	103.3%/106.1%	
	Tenant rent revenue	-0.1bn/-0.7bn	Impact of wage increases on personnel expenses after cost-cutting measures*4	+7.7bn/-0.2bn	
	Tenant rent revenue	108.0%/108.2%	Utility cost increase	+1.1bn/+1.3bn	
	Regi Go (Full self-checkout)	254 stores	Al work Malboard*⁵	364 stores 328 stores	
	Al order*3	351 stores	Al <i>Kakaku</i> (Al price)	Delica, Seafood, and Meat: 350 stores ally foods: 323stores	

Among 369 stores in AEON Retails at the end of February 2025

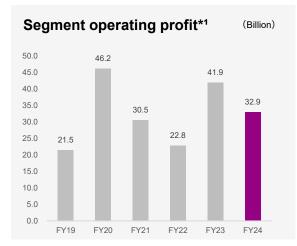
<sup>\*1</sup> Managerial accounting \*2 Including the impact of transferring to the TOPVALU Collection

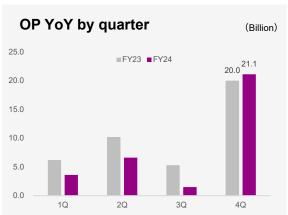
<sup>\*3</sup> Daily 11 categories, Delicatessen 2 categories \*4 Including the impact of the minimum wage revision \*5 AI tool for sharing information via digital signage

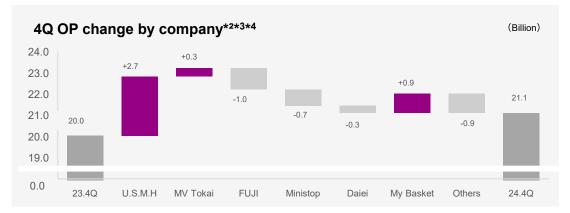
### Supermarket (SM) Business

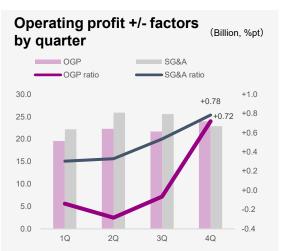


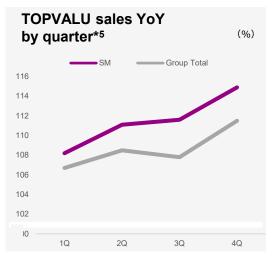
- Supermarket Business: Profits fell ¥8.9 billion in 1H due to weak gross profit from sluggish seasonal sales, intense heat, and delayed price response
- 2H recovery driven by stronger TOPVALU sales and improved efficiency, with 4Q profit growth
- U.S.M.H saw 4Q profit increase; Maxvalu Tokai and My Basket posted full-year profit gains









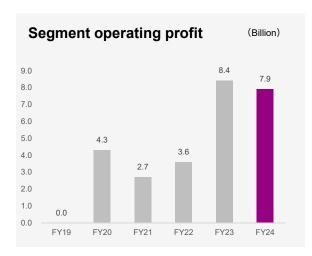


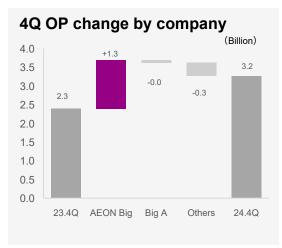
<sup>\*1</sup> FY2019 and FY2020 results were adjusted for transfers between reportable segments \*2 Results of FUJI, U.S.M.H, Maxvalu Tokai, and MINISTOP are consolidated results in each group. Data of Inageya, Daiei, and My Basket are non-consolidated results. \*3 Figures of Inageya indicate the consolidated amount to AEON from Jul. to Sep. 2024 \*4 13 major SM companies included \*5 Managerial accounting

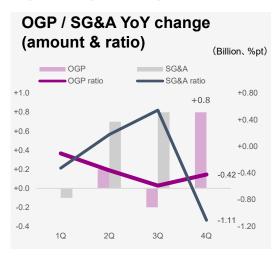
#### **Discount Store Business**

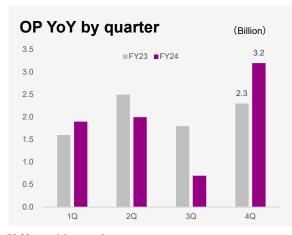


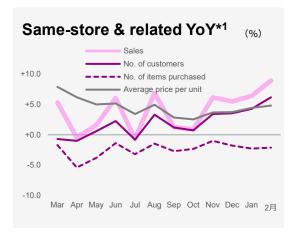
- Full-year profit down ¥400 million due to competition, but 4Q saw strong recovery from pricing and productivity efforts
- AEON BIG: Profit growth driven by exclusive PB products and direct fresh sourcing, despite higher costs
- Process center improved supply stability and cut in-store labor, strengthening earnings structure











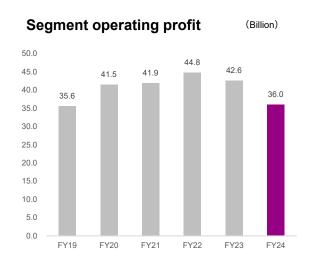


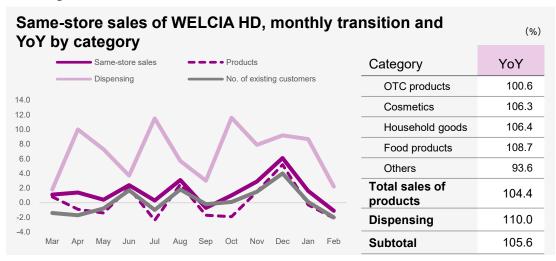
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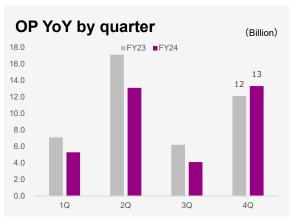
#### Health & Wellness Business

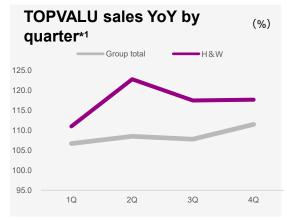


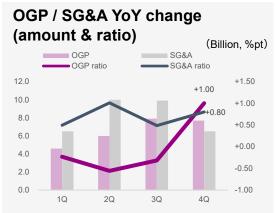
- Welcia: Q4 marks first sales and profit growth in six quarters
- Gross margin improved with strong original PB and TOPVALU sales
- Ended tobacco sales early to reinforce "Health Station" positioning at Welcia Yakkyoku
- The number of stores offering dispensing services increased to 2,282, leading to a 5.6% rise in prescription volume and driving sales growth









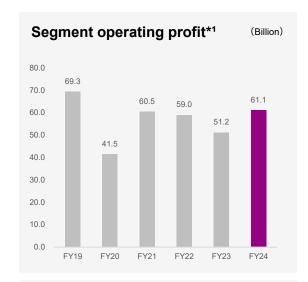


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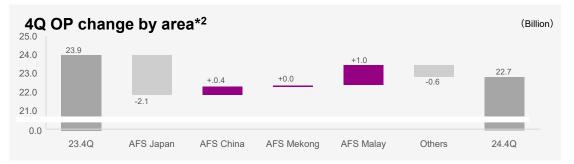
#### **Financial Services Business**



- Japan: Full-year profit up from higher settlement/banking revenue and cost efficiency
- Overseas: 4Q profit growth continued, with loan expansion offsetting bad debt costs
- Strengthened fraud prevention through internal controls and external partnerships







AEON Financial Service Co., Ltd.: YTD results by area *2 (Bi									(Billion, %)
		Japan	YoY	China	YoY	Mekong	YoY	Malay	YoY
Operating profit	4Q YTD	22.2	191%	9.3	106%	16.0	101%	13.4	99%
Bad debt related expenses	4Q YTD	28.8	146%	8.7	128%	31.6	105%	28.6	141%

#### Transaction volumes and balance of operating receivables YTD\*3 (Billion, %)

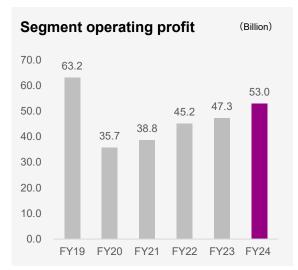
		Transaction volumes	YoY	Balance of operating receivables	+/- in YTD
	Shopping	7,492.5	106%	1,432.5	+128.4
Japan	Cash advance transaction	371.0	100%	427.9	+15.5
Olahai	Shopping	500.7	117%	156.0	+4.8
Global	Cash advance transaction	189.9	127%	144.9	+0.3

<sup>\*1</sup> Prior year results were adjusted for reportable segment transfers. \*2 AFS stands for AEON Financial Service Co., Ltd. China: China, Hong Kong, Mekong: Thailand, Vietnam, Cambodia, Laos, Myanmar, Malay: Malaysia, Indonesia, Philippines, India

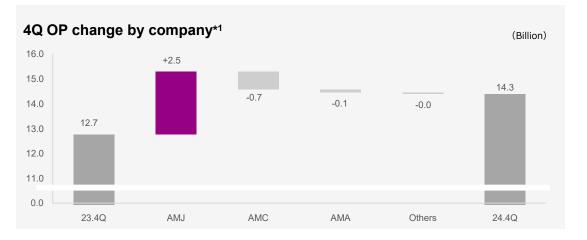
### **Shopping Center Development Business**



- All quarters saw profit growth
- Japan: Mall profitability recovered through revitalization efforts
- Vietnam: Specialty store sales boosted profit
- China: Profit decreased due to new mall openings and lower profits from malls closed in the previous term
- Strengthening earnings base through revitalization and tenant strategy in Japan and abroad







Specialty store sales YoY						
Existing malls by area (%)	4Q	YTD				
Japan	104.0	105.4				
China	103.0	101.7				
Vietnam	107.0	107.4				
Cambodia	104.3	101.4				
Indonesia*2	103.7	107.4				

Existing malls in Japan by business category (%)	4Q	YTD
Large-scale	107.3	107.5
Apparel	102.5	102.6
Accessories	103.4	106.3
Miscellaneous goods	103.0	105.8
Dining	104.6	107.3
Amusement	102.5	101.8
Services	100.9	104.4
SMID-scale	103.6	105.1
Specialty stores total	104.0	105.4

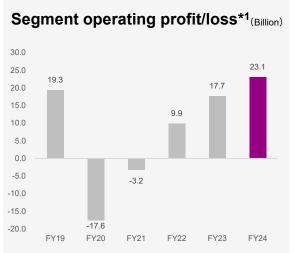
<sup>\*1</sup> AMJ refers to AEON Malls' operating segment in Japan, while AMC represents the same segment in China. Similarly, AMA denotes the equivalent segment in ASEAN.

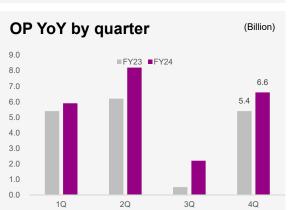
\*2 Number of visitors to existing malls Copyright 2025 AEON CO., LTD. All Rights Reserved.

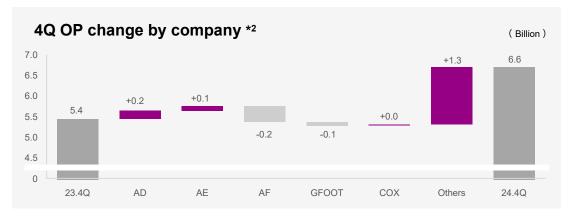
### Services & Specialty Store Business



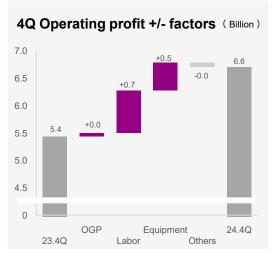
- AEON DELIGHT: Expansion in renovation order and cost control driving full-year profit growth
- AEON Fantasy: Q4 profit declined, but strong performance from existing stores in Japan and new businesses led to full-year operating profit growth
- Mega Sports, MIRAIYA SHOTEN: Closed unprofitable locations, shifting to new formats and models







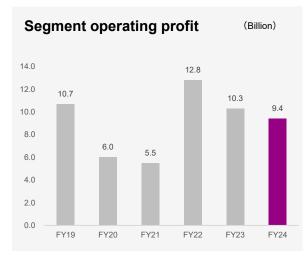


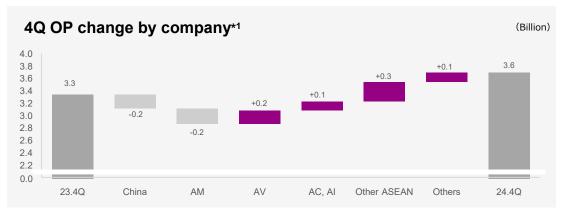


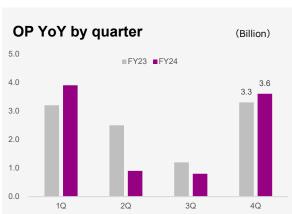
#### **International Business**



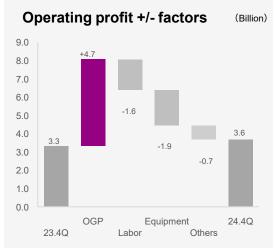
- Growth driven by multi-format strategy in Malaysia and Vietnam
- In China, regional disparities persist—Hong Kong struggles, while Hubei returns to profit
- Focusing investments on high-growth markets to expand revenue and profits







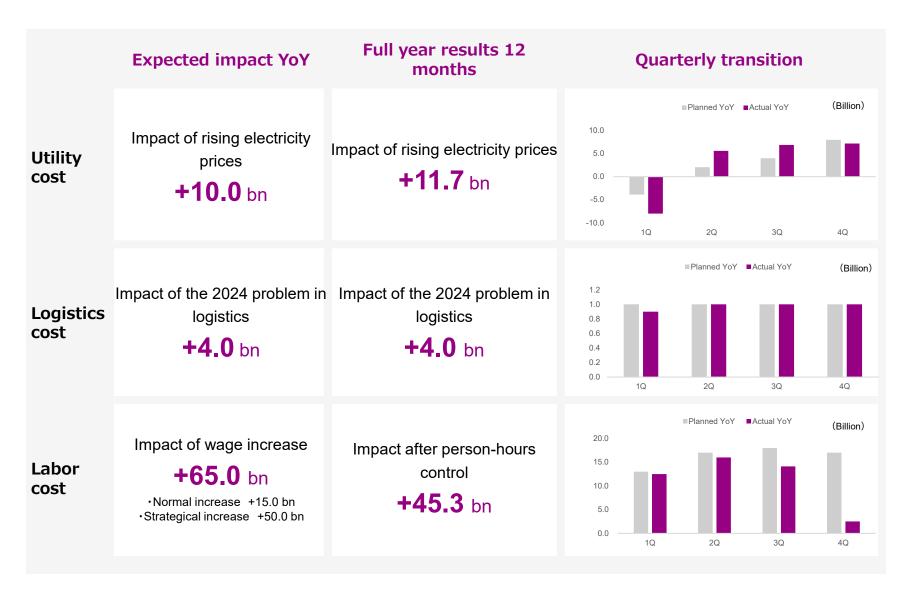




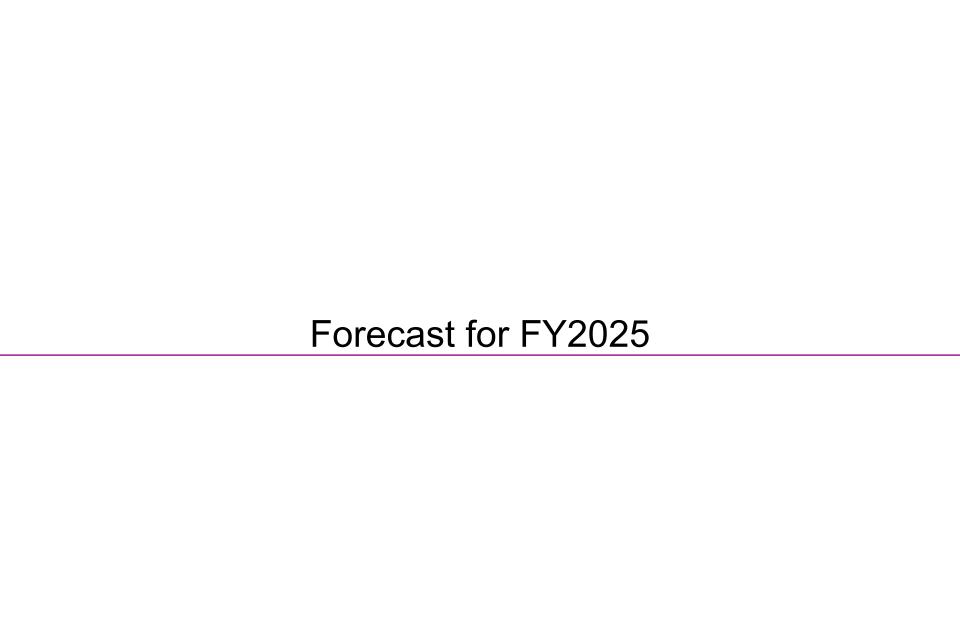
<sup>\*1</sup> China: Business in China, AM: AEON CO.(M), AV: AEON VIETNAM, AC: AEON (CAMBODIA), AI: AEON INDONESIA, Other ASEAN: Other 4 companies in ASEAN \*2 ASEAN: AEON CO.(M), AEON BIG (M), AEON (Thailand), AEON VIETNAM; China: AEON STORES (HONG KONG), AEON EAST CHINA (SUZHOU), 青島永旺東泰商業, GUANGDONG AEON TEEM, 永旺商業, AEON SOUTH CHINA, AEON (HUBEI)

### Impact of each cost increase on consolidated results





The forecast included the estimated impact amounts and the anticipated effects of the measures taken.



#### FY2025 Forecast



- Several segments exceeded their profit targets in the second half of FY2024, thanks to our cost controls and productivity gains.
- Aiming for double-digit profit growth in FY2025 through solid pricing and cost control

				(Billion, %
	FY2025 forecast	YoY	Change	FY2024 result
Operating revenue	10,500.0	+3.6%	+365.1	10,134.8
Operating profit	270.0	+13.6%	+32.2	237.7
Ordinary profit	250.0	+11.5%	+25.7	224.2
Profit attributable to owners of the parent	40.0	+39.0%	+11.2	28.7

#### Investment Plan



- FY2025 investment plan: ¥600 billion
- Proactive investments to drive growth and boost operating profit

					(Billion)
		Average during previous MTMP	FY2024 result	FY2025 plan	Average during ongoing MTMP
Investr	ment total	450.8	465.9	600.0	400.0~450.0
<b>6</b>	Stores (Japan)	71%	52%	50%	40%
Breakdown	Stores (Overseas)	13%	17%	25%	25%
<b>3</b>	Digital/Logistics	16%	31%	25%	35%

## Dividends



Ordinary dividend of 40 yen per year

	FY2024	FY2025 (Forecast)
End of the second quarter	Ordinary dividend 18 yen Commemorative dividend 2 yen	Ordinary dividend 20 yen
Fiscal year-end	Ordinary dividend 18 yen Commemorative dividend 2 yen	Ordinary dividend 20 yen
Total	Ordinary dividend 36 yen Commemorative dividend 4 yen	Ordinary dividend 20 yen

#### Review of the Medium-Term Management Plan

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- Operating profit was hit by over ¥100 billion due to external headwinds unforeseen at the time of the formulation of the MTMP
- Accelerating DX and upstream supply chain reforms to boost competitiveness and profitability
- Aiming for swift recovery through portfolio restructuring, including announced M&A and integrations

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	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024	FY2025 Earnings Forecast	FY2025 (Initial Plan)
Operating Revenue	8,715.9	9,116.8	9,553.5	10,134.8	10,500.0	110.0
Operating Profit	174.3	209.7	2,508	237.7	270.0	3,800
Operating Profit Margin	2.0%	2.3%	2.6%	2.3%	2.6%	3.5%
ROE	0.7%	2.2%	4.4%	2.7%	-	7% or more
Debt/EBITDA		0.7	0.5			2.5x

3.5x

3.9x



Financial KDIs

(excl. financial

subsidiaries)



3.7x



or less



# Consolidated Balance Sheet at the End of February 2025



Assets (main items only)		(Billion)	Liabilities and net assets (main items only)			(Billion)	
	Feb. 2024	Feb. 2025	Change		Feb. 2024	Feb. 2025	Change
Cash & deposits	1,165.5	1,258.3	+92.8	Notes and accounts payable	1,073.1	1,082.5	+9.3
Notes and accounts receivable–trade (incl. installment	1,957.4	1,856.3	-101.0	Interest-bearing debt (excl. financial subsidiaries)	2,402.7	2,535.5	+132.7
receivables)	625.2	649.9	+24.6	Interest-bearing debt (finance subsidiaries)	1,312.9	1,308.8	-4.0
Operating loans and	023.2		r24.0	Deposits for banking business	4,533.2	5,196.9	+663.
loans & bills discounted for banking business	3,222.8	3,618.3	+395.5	Total liabilities [excl. financial subsidiaries]	10,853.5 [4,779.0]	11,712.0 [4,920.2]	+858.4 [+141.1
Property, Plant and equipment	3,414.9	3,599.6	+184.6	Shareholders' equity	913.3	927.7	+14.
Investments and other assets	1,105.7	1,124.0	+18.3	Total net assets [excl. financial subsidiaries]	2,087.2 [1,621.5]	2,121.2 [1,649.9]	+34.( [+28.4
Total assets [excl. financial subsidiaries]	12,940.8 [6,400.6]	13,833.3 [6,570.2]	+892.4 [+169.5]	Total net assets and liabilities [excl. financial subsidiaries]	12,940.8 [6,400.6]	13,833.3 [6,570.2]	+892.4 [+169.5

## FY2024 Consolidated Cash Flow Statement



			(Bill	
	FY2023	FY2024	YoY change	
Cash Flow from Operating Activities [Except for increase (decrease) in financial loan and time deposits, loans, and bills discounted for banking business]	368.4 [455.1]	<b>566.2</b> [260.3]	+197.7 [-194.7]	
Income before income taxes	181.4	163.6	-17.7	
Depreciation	328.4	345.2	+16.8	
Increase (decrease) in working capital	-58.4	-89.4	-31.0	
Increase (decrease) in financial loan and time deposits, loans, and bills discounted for banking business	-86.6	305.8	+392.5	
Payment for corporate taxes	-84.7	-91.9	-7.2	
Other-net	88.4	-67.2	-155.6	
Cash Flow from Investing Activities	-508.8	-478.8	+30.0	
CAPEX	-396.2	-465.9	-69.7	
Sales of tangible fixed assets	28.7	11.9	-16.7	
Other-net	-141.3	-24.8	+116.5	
Cash Flow from Financing Activities	-15.8	0.8	+16.7	
Increase in cash and cash equivalents	-150.3	108.0	+258.3	

## Investment by Business Segment in FY2024



			(Bil
	FY2023	FY2024	YoY change
Consolidated total	396.2	465.9	+69.7
General Merchandising Store (GMS)	76.3	119.4	+43.1
Supermarket (SM)	64.7	73.1	+8.4
Discount Store (DS)	5.1	8.1	+2.9
Health & Wellness	19.0	16.1	-2.9
Financial Services	48.9	53.6	+4.7
Shopping Center Development	113.7	99.7	-14.0
Services & Specialty Store	23.3	21.8	-1.5
International	23.1	33.9	+10.7
Others	15.5	20.4	+4.9
Adjustment amount	6.2	19.4	+13.2

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