

Financial Highlights Brief Report for 3rd Quarter FY2008

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A. Financial Highlights for 3rd Quarter FY2008

A-1-1. Financial Results



(Unit:billion yen)

Canadidatad		FY2008		FY2007	YoY	YoY
Consolidated	1H Results	3Q Results	YTD	YTD	Comparison	Comparison (%)
Operating Revenues	735.5	318.1	1053.6	984.6	69.0	7%
Operating Income	74.7	14.9	89.7	100.7	▲ 11.0	-11%
Ordinary Income	75.1	6.6	81.8	101.0	▲ 19.2	-19%
Net Income	51.2	▲ 10.5	40.7	68.0	▲ 27.3	-40%
Exchange Rate	¥105.67	¥99.17	¥103.50	¥117.57	▲ ¥14.07	-12%
Bunker Price	\$601	\$483	\$562	\$382	\$181	47%

Increase 14 Yen / US\$ in exchange rate resulted in approx. – 13.2 billion yen (Y o Y)

Increase of fuel oil price \$181 per met. Ton resulted in approx. -31.2 billion yen (Y o Y)

[Loss on revaluation of investments and related company in securities 16.3 billion yen]

A-1-2. Financial Results



(Business-wise Operating Revenues/Ordinary Income)

(Unit:billion yen)

Business		FY2008			FY2007	YoY	YoY
Segment		1H Results	3Q Results	YTD	YTD	Comparison	Comparison (%)
Container	Operating Revenues	314.8	134.3	449.1	453.6	▲ 4.5	-1%
Business	Ordinary Pofit/Loss	▲ 5.9	▲ 14.4	▲ 20.3	9.5	▲ 29.9	-313%
Other	Operating Revenues	364.2	159.3	523.5	447.3	76.2	17%
Marine Business	Ordinary Pofit/Loss	77.9	19.6	97.6	86.7	10.8	12%
Others	Operating Revenues	56.5	24.4	81.0	83.7	▲ 2.8	-3%
Others	Ordinary Pofit/Loss	3.1	1.4	4.5	4.7	▲ 0.2	-4%
Total	Operating Revenues	735.5	318.1	1053.6	984.6	69.0	7%
	Ordinary Pofit/Loss	75.1	6.6	81.8	101.0	▲ 19.2	-19%

A-2. Key Points



< Y o Y Comparison >

Revenues increase (+69.0 billion yen) / Profit decrease (-19.2 billion yen)

Factor of Revenues increase

Loading Volume Increase

Factors of Profit decrease

- High Yen Appreciation (14 yen/\$ higher)
- High Bunker Price (\$181/ton higher)
- Cost Increase

07F3O YTD 101.0 Billion Yen => 08F3O YTD 81.8 Billion Yen

Variation Factors	Comparison Y on Y
Fluction in exchange rate	▲ 13.2
Bunker oil price	▲ 31.2
Market volatility	0.9
Loading volume	28.9
Cost increase/decrease	▲ 16.2
Related companies	▲ 1.5
Others	13.1
Total	▲ 19.2

A-3-1. Outline of Division-wise Results —for Container Business—



< Y o Y Comparison >

Operating Revenues 449.1 billion yen (Revenues decrease **A** 4.5 billion yen)

Ordinary Income \triangle 20.3 billion yen (Income decrease \triangle 29.9 billion yen)

• Total loaded cargo volume (2,475 thousand TEU), +1.5%(Y o Y)

Negative Factors

- High Yen (14 yen/\$ higher)
- High Bunker Price (\$181/ton higher)
- Rise of variable cost

Freight Rates:	Comparison Y on Y				
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Asia South USA Atlantic Dominant +8.3%**▲**7.2% **▲**5.1% +1.9%+5.7%+30.4%+36.2% Return +32.7%+2.8%+17.6%

*Dominant route in Trans-Atlantic services is West-bound.

Intra-

North-

A-3-2. Outline of Division-wise Results —for Dry Bulk Business—



Y o Y Comparison> Revenues Increase / Profit Decrease

• Operating Tonnage: 157.2 mil. Ton , +2.0% (Y on Y)

Negative Factors

- Market for large-size: Market fell sharply in September. Worse than same period of last year.
- Market for mid-size: Sharply fell as same as large-size vessel. Preferable rate is very limited.
- Market for small-size: Sharply fell affected by above larger vessels market.

		FY2008	Y on Y Comparison		
Dry Bulk Market		1Q-3Q	Preconditions		
(Pacific Round)	3Q	Results	for 2H as of	Amount	Ratio
	Results	(Average)	Oct'08		
Cape (170 type)	\$8,000	\$96,000	\$20,000	-\$31,000	-24.4%
Panamax (74 type)	\$6,500	\$40,500	\$11,500	-\$21,500	-34.7%
Handy (53 type)	\$7,000	\$35,000	\$10,250	-\$15,000	-30.0%

FY2007
1Q-3Q
Results
(Average)
\$127,000
\$62,000
\$50,000

A-3-3. Outline of Division-wise Results

—for Car Carrier Business—



< Y o Y Comparison >

Operating Revenues increase/Ordinary Income almost flat

- Total units carried (inc. intra-Europe) :2,585 thousand units (+2.7%(Y o Y))
- Loaded volume growth with reinforcement in transport capacity
 - Loading volume increased compared with 3Q of 2007, but cargo situation has decreased sharply after middle of 3Q by effect of inventory adjustment due to economic slowdown in the world.
- Cargo movement from Japan/Far East to Latin America and Caribbean area, and also to Middle East and Africa, and cross transport are remain relatively firm.
- Minimize transportation cost by effective ship operation.

A-3-4. Outline of Division-wise Results

—for Energy Transportation —



<Y o Y Comparison> Revenues increase / Profits increase

LNG carrier : 12 ships for the projects we got engaged delivered by 3Q of FY2008.

Stable operation of 45 vessels in each existing project.

Tanker : Market of Aframax and Clean tanker much stronger than same period of last year.

Business expansion (1 LPG and 1 Aframax delivered by 3Q of FY 2008)

Operating tonnage: expanded to 33,882 thousand tons(+9.3%,Y on Y)

	FY2	2008	FY2007	Y on Y Comparison	
Tanker Market (WS)		1Q-3Q	1Q-3Q		
Tanker Warker (WS)	3Q	Results	Results	Amount	Ratio
	Results	(Average)	(Average)		
VLCC (M.East/Jpn)	80	129	70	59	84.3%
Aframax (S.Asia/Jpn)	165	198	120	78	65.0%
Clean 70,000type(M.East/Jpn)	210	243	135	108	80.0%

FY2008
Preconditions
for 2H as of
Oct'08
110
210
230

A-3-5. Outline of Division-wise Results

—for Other Business—



(Heavy Lifter)

- <Consolidated from the end of FY2007>
- Keeping high utilization ratio due to strong demand for large cargo such as wind power generator, transformer for electric power plant ,ship's engine and demand for construction of oil refinery.

(Short sea / Coastal Shipping)

- <Y o Y Comparison> Revenues increase Profits increase
 - Steady cargo volume for limestone carrier.
 - Increased trucks on ferry between Hachinohe and Tomakomai.

(Logistics)

- < Y o Y Comparison > Revenues decrease Profits decrease
 - —Handling volume of air and ocean shipments from China/Asia to USA decreased.



B. Prospects for FY 2008

B-1. Prospects for Yearly FY2008



(Unit: Billion Yen)							(Unit	: Billion Yen)	
			FY20	800				FY2007	
Consolidated Revised Forecasts	1Q-3Q Results	4Q Prospects	Yearly Prospects (a)	Prospects as of Oct. '08 (b)	Balance (a)–(b)	Balance (%)	Yearly Results (c)	Balance (a)–(c)	Balance (%)
Operating Revenues	1,053.6	226.4	1,280.0	1,380.0	▲ 100.0	-7%	1,331.0	▲ 51.0	-4%
Operating Income	89.7	▲ 12.7	77.0	108.0	▲ 31.0	-29%	129.6	▲ 52.6	-41%
Ordinary Income	81.8	▲ 14.8	67.0	105.0	▲ 38.0	-36%	125.9	▲ 58.9	-47%
Net Income	40.7	▲ 10.7	30.0	71.0	▲ 41.0	-58%	83.0	▲ 53.0	-64%
Dividend	¥13.5	-	¥13.5	¥25	▲ ¥11.50	-46%	¥26	▲ ¥12.50	-48%
Exchange Rate (Average)	¥103.50	¥90.34	¥100.21	¥102.83	▲¥2.62	-3%	¥115.29	▲ ¥15.08	-13%
Fuel Oil Price (Average)	\$562	\$275	\$490	\$550	▲ \$60	-11%	\$407	\$84	21%

[Annual dividend for FY2008: 13.5 yen per share, Year-end dividend 0 yen , Payout ratio 29%]

-Fall/Rise 1yen/US\$ in exchange rate affects Ordinary Income by approx.+/-0.15 billion yen, for the 4Q FY2008

-Decrease/Increase of fuel oil prices at \$10 per met. tons does by approx. +/-0.4 billion yen, for the 4Q FY 2008

B-2. Yearly Prospects (Business-wise Operating Revenues/Ordinary Income)



(Unit: Billion Yen)

Business		FY 2008			Prospects as	Balanace	FY2007	
Segment		1-3Q Results	4Q	Yearly (a)	of Oct.'08 (b)	(a)-(b)	Yearly (c)	Balnace (a)-(c)
Container	Operating Revenues	449.1	87.9	537.0	600.0	▲ 63.0	599.8	▲ 62.8
Business*	Ordinary Profit/Loss	▲ 20.3	▲ 13.5	▲ 33.8	▲ 18.9	▲ 14.9	4.7	▲ 38.6
Other Marine	Operating Revenues	523.5	107.9	631.4	673.0	▲ 41.6	615.8	15.6
Business	Ordinary Profit/Loss	97.6	▲ 0.3	97.3	119.5	▲ 22.2	115.3	▲ 18.0
Othona	Operating Revenues	81.0	30.6	111.6	107.0	4.6	115.5	▲ 3.9
Others	Ordinary Profit/Loss	4.5	▲ 1.0	3.5	4.4	▲ 0.9	5.9	▲ 2.4
Total	Operating Revenues	1,053.6	226.4	1,280.0	1,380.0	▲ 100.0	1,331.0	▲ 51.0
	Ordinary Profit/Loss	81.8	▲ 14.8	67.0	105.0	▲ 38.0	125.9	▲ 58.9

^{*}Container Business includes agency and terminal business

B-3. Key Points for Yearly FY2008 Prospects



<Comparison with prospects as of October '08> :

Operating Revenues Decrease ▲100.0 billion yen

Ordinary Income Decrease **A** 38.0 billion yen

<YoY comparison>: Operating Revenues Decrease ▲51.0 billion yen

Ordinary Income Decrease

58.9 billion yen

(Comparison with the prospects) Premises for 2H: Fuel price \$500=>\$379/MT, Exchange rate \\$100=>\\$95/US\\$

(YoY comparison) Yearly Premises: Fuel price \$407=>\$490/MT, Exchange rate \\ \frac{115}{115} = \\ \frac{1}{100} \text{US} \\ \]

(07F results 125.9 bln yen, 08F prospects as of Oct. '08 121.0 bln yen

⇒ revised prospects for 08F 67.2 bln yen)

Variation Factors	Comparison with F08 Prospects as of October '08	Comparison with F07 Results		
Fluctuation in exchange rate	▲ 1.5	▲ 14.0		
Buker oil price	9.7	▲ 26.5		
Market volatility	▲ 23.6	▲ 25.9		
Business expansion	▲ 16.9	17.5		
Cost increase/decrease	▲ 1.7	▲ 20.1		
Related companies	▲ 1.4	0.3		
Others	▲ 2.6	9.8		
Total	▲ 38.0	▲ 58.9		

-Fall/Rise 1yen/US\$ in exchange rate affects Ordinary Income by approx.+/-0.3billion yen, for the 2H FY2008

-Decrease/Increase of fuel oil prices at \$10 per met. tons does by approx. +/-0.8billion yen, for the 2H FY 2008

B-4-1. Division-wise Trends for Yearly FY2008 Prospects (Container Business)



<Container Business>

Operating Revenues : 537.0 billion yen, Ordinary Income: ▲33.8 billion yen

<Comparison with prospects as of October '08>: Revenues decrease ($\triangle 63.0$ bln.yen),

Operating Income decrease (\$\triangle\$14.9 bln yen)

<YoY Comparison> : Revenues decrease (▲62.8 bln.yen),

Operating Income decrease (\$\lambda\$38.6 bln. yen)

Freight rate and loading volume decrease

- Service rationalization, Cost reduction such as fuel oil consumption decrease, etc.
- Overview: In almost all of our major trades, Asia-North America, Asia-Europe, Between East and West Coast of South America, or Intra-Asia, etc., cargo volume decreasing, and service rationalization and cost reduction is being promoted.
- Total loading cargo volume: 3.12 million TEU ($\triangle 10\%$ from the plan, $\triangle 3\%$ YoY)
- Freight Rate:

		Asia-	Asia-	Trans-	Intro-Agic	North-
Yearly Prospects (YoY)		N.America	Europe	Atrantic*	Intra-Asia	South
	Dominant	+4.3%	▲ 16.7%	▲ 6.1%	▲ 3.5%	▲ 2.2%
	Return	+31.4%	+16.0%	+33.8%	+2.6%	+12.3%

B-4-2. Division-wise Trends for Yearly FY2008 Prospects (Dry Bulk Business/Car Carrier Business)



<Dry Bulk Business>

Revenues & Profit fall, YoY comparison/compared to forecasts as of October '08

Profit decrease factors: Market level down, Cargo volume decrease caused by economic slowdown and credit squeeze

Dry Bulk Market (Pacific Round)	1Q - 3Q Results (Average)	4Q Prospects	2H Prospects	08FY Prospects	Prospects for 4Q as of Oct. '08	07FY Results
Cape (170type)	US\$96,000	US\$10,000	US\$9,000	US\$74,500	US\$20,000	US\$122,250
Panamax (74type)	US\$40,500	US\$5,000	US\$5,750	US\$31,625	US\$11,500	US\$59,500
Handy (53type)	US\$35,000	US\$2,500	US\$4,750	US\$26,875	US\$10,250	US\$49,500

<Car Carriers>

Revenues & Profit fall, YoY comparison/compared to forecasts as of October '08

Profit decrease factors: Cargo volume down affected by inventory adjustment due to economic slowdown

B-4-3. Division-wise Trends for Yearly FY2008 Prospects (Energy Transportation/Heavy Lifters)



<Energy Transportation>

<Comparison with prospects as of October '08> : Revenues & Profit decline

<YoY Comparison> : Revenues & Profit increase

Revenue increase factors: Fleet expansion (14 LNG carriers & 5 tankers to be delivered within FY '08)

Profit/Loss: Market for Aframax and Clean tankers staying in higher level than FY'07 => improvement, YoY however, slightly lower than our assumptions as of Oct.'08=> worse than forecasts

Tanker Market (WS)	1Q - 3Q Results (Average)	4Q Prospects	2H Prospects	08FY Prospects	4Q Prospects as of Oct. '08	07FY Results
VLCC (M.East / Jpn)	WS 129	WS 80	WS 80	WS 117	WS 110	WS 94
Aframax (S. Asia / Australia)	WS 198	WS 85	WS125	WS170	WS 210	WS151
Clean 70,000 type (M. East / Jpn)	WS 243	WS 85	WS 148	WS 204	WS 230	WS 148

< Heavy Lifter > As prospected

Fleet expansion with delivery of 3 newbuildings within FY '08 Supply and demand for heavy cargo transportation is continuously tight

B-5. Financial Indices



	'07F Yearly Results	'08F 3Q Results	'08F Yearly Prospects (revised)	'08F Yearly Prospects (original plan)	'08F Yearly Prospects (as of Oct. '08)
Operating Revenues	1,331.0	1,053.6	1,280.0	1,340.0	1,380.0
Ordinary Income	125.9	81.8	67.0	121.0	105.0
Net Income	83.0	40.7	30.0	78.0	71.0
Operating C/F	141.2	75.4	62.0	-	95.0
(Depreciation)	34.8	29.8	41.8	-	41.8
Investment C/F	Δ145.5	Δ134.8	Δ146.0	-	Δ155.0
FCF	Δ4.3	Δ54.7	Δ84.0	-	60.0
Shareholders' Equity	355.8	331.3	320.6	426.0	408.4
Interest-bearing Liabilities	329.7	426.3	431.3	-	406.9
Equity Ratio	37%	33%	32%	37%	37%
ROE	24%	16%	9%	-	19%
ROA	13%	11%	7%	12%	10%
NET DER	78%	112%	117%	-	86%
Interest-bearing Liabilities/Operating C/F	2.3	4.2	7.0	-	4.3

DER : Result at the end of 3Q 129%, Prospects at the end of FY2008 135%