

# Financial Results for the Second Quarter of FY Ending March, 2018 Business Policy and Future Initiatives

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Promotion of strategies that anticipate changes in social environment

# Sumitomo Forestry Group 2018 Medium-Term Management Plan

Development of diverse revenue streams in global market

Reform of timber asset value

Development of business structure and model Management based on human resources strategy

Reform of corporate culture

### **Progress on Medium-Term Management Plan**

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				Billion yen		
(Consolidated)		FY3/17 Results	FY3/18 Forecast	FY3/19 Plan		
Net sales		1,113.4	1,220.0	1,170.0		
	Timber and Building Materials	424.4	436.0	420.0		
	Housing	466.3	459.0	485.0		
	Overseas	247.9	348.0	294.0		
	Other	23.0	37.0	39.8		
	Adjustment	-48.2	-60.0	-68.8		
Rec	urring income	<b>52.9</b> (57.8)	<b>53.5</b> (-)	55.0 (-)		
	Timber and Building Materials	4.5	5.0	4.5		
	Housing	32.3	25.5	33.0		
	Overseas	19.3	25.0	21.4		
	Other	2.2	3.0	3.6		
	Adjustment	<b>-5.5</b> (-0.5)	-5.0 (-)	-7.5 (-)		

\*FY3/17 recurring income excludes actuarial differences. Parenthesis are as reported in financial statements.

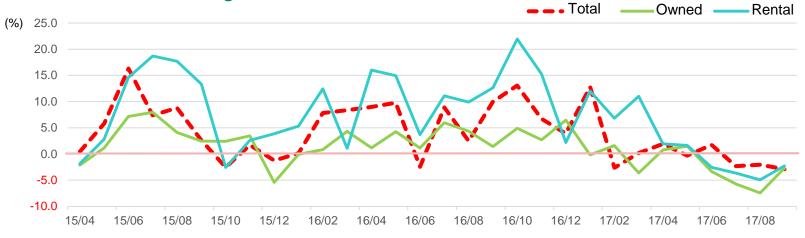


\*Ratios in pie charts calculated using recurring income by business segment (consolidated recurring income - adjustments) (without actuarial differences)

#### <Trend in Number of New Housing Starts>

(Units: Thousands of houses, %)					_							
	Total Owned			Rental	Rental Spec homes							
									Condominiums		Detached homes	
		YoY		YoY		YoY		YoY		YoY		YoY
FY2015	921	4.6	284	2.2	384	7.1	247	4.5	118	7.5	126	1.6
FY2016	974	5.8	292	2.6	427	11.4	249	1.1	112	-5.1	135	6.7
April 2017	84	1.9	24	0.8	36	1.9	24	2.9	12	1.3	12	5.2
May 2017	78	-0.3	24	1.5	33	1.6	21	-3.9	10	-12.6	11	4.5
June 2017	87	1.7	26	-3.4	36	-2.6	25	15.5	13	27.1	12	4.8
July 2017	83	-2.3	25	-5.7	36	-3.7	21	5.7	9	15.2	12	-1.3
August 2017	81	-2.0	24	-7.4	35	-4.9	21	12.0	9	33.7	11	0.8
September 2017	83	-2.9	25	-2.7	38	-2.3	20	-5.3	9	-9.2	11	-2.2
1H FY2017	497	-0.7	148	-3.0	214	-1.7	132	4.3	62	7.2	69	1.9

### <YoY Trend in New Housing Starts>



### <Japan>

### <Short-term business environment>

Mild positive growth continued against a backdrop of a weakening yen and higher stock prices, but the domestic housing market remained stagnant with three consecutive months of negative growth in the total number of new housing starts, including September.

### <Medium- to long-term business environment>

With the progression of the declining birthrate and aging society, a new market will be born for a mature society.

### <Overseas>

### <Short-term business environment>

The global economy is showing an overall recovery, but the outlook for the future remains uncertain, including political situations in each country. The housing market is strong in the United States against a backdrop of a robust economic environment and high consumer spending.

### <Medium- to long-term business environment>

The middle class will rise, particularly in emerging countries, and changes unique to a growth market will be brought about.

### **Business Policy for Second Half Custom-built detached housing business (1)**



### 邸 宅 設 計 Quality housing full of luxury

住友林業の共働き家族の家

ドゥーエ・クラッソ

dual income households

DUE CLASS





Selection of ceiling heights and open entryways/large spaces





- Strengths such as proposal and design capabilities
- Land measures (strengthen relationships with partner real estate companies, etc.)

1H orders increased YoY in terms of number of houses as a result of strengthening approach toward first-time buyers, etc.

### **Business Policy for Second Half Custom-built detached housing business (2)**



### **"Forest Selection BF"**

- Abundant plans cultivated through unrestricted design
- Popular specs and furnishings

Introducing "Forest Selection BF" product proposals fully equipped with high quality.





### Business Policy for Second Half Custom-built detached housing business (3)



### **"Forest Selection BF"**

- 1,000 original plans available utilizing our experience with design up to now
- Can provide proposals to busy customers with limited time

Work to expand orders using new proposal methods.





### **Business Policy for Second Half MOCCA (timber solution) business**



Senri Rehabilitation Hospital Annex [Image Rehabilitation facility fully utilizing the healing power of wood

Enhance design/construction/ supervision system and continue to develop it as a new profit-making business.

[Images provided by Kai Kanno, Nacasa & Partners]



Kokubunji Flavor Life Head Office Building seven-story building with a steel frame coated in fire-proofed timber

### **Business Policy for Second Half Overseas housing and real estate business**



in Bangkok



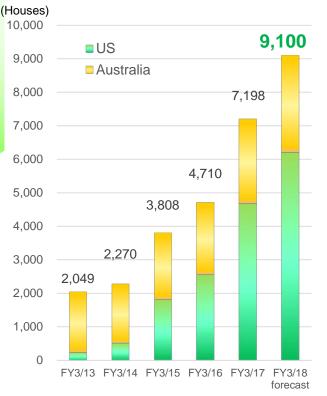
Spec homes in Jakarta suburb



Apartment development in North Carolina

Launch apartment and real estate businesses in United States and Thailand and detached housing business in Indonesia. Accelerate expansion of overseas housing and real estate business.

#### <Overseas housing business – Trend in number of houses sold by country>

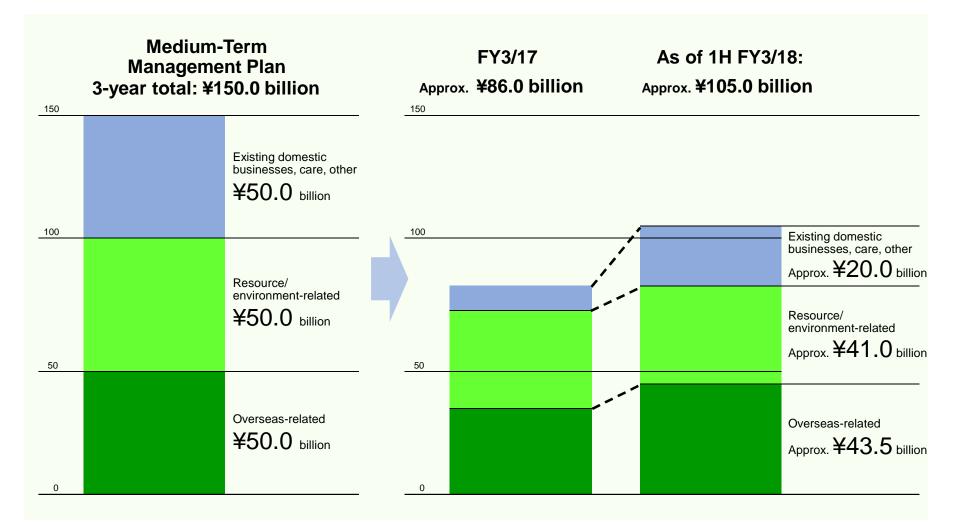


### Governance



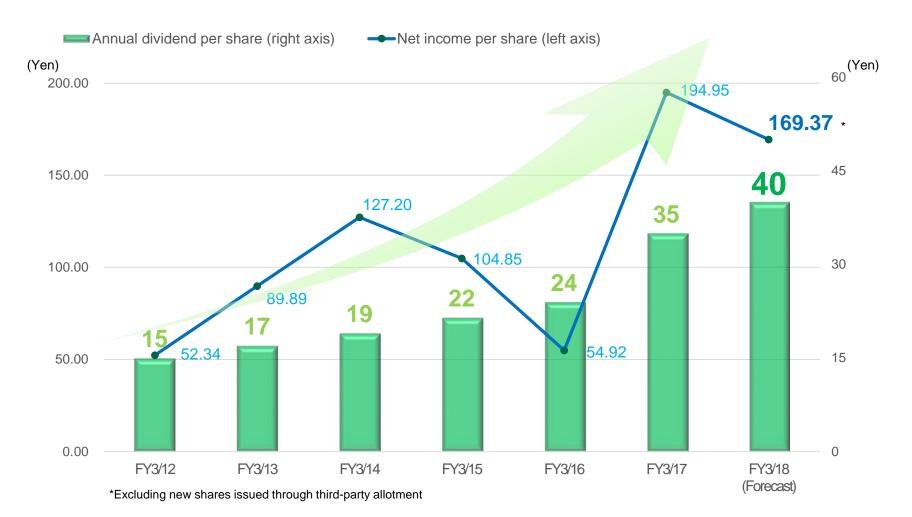
Management supervision function 11

### Investment



Continue investment to develop structure for sustainable growth. Steadily tie investments made into improving future profitability.

### **Return to Shareholders**



## Basic policy is for constant and stable dividends. Annual dividend for this year to be 40 yen as initially planned, which will be <u>6 consecutive terms of increased dividends</u>



Aim to establish a unique industry position that goes beyond existing industry frameworks, create new markets and increase earnings opportunities.





(1) MOCCA (timber solutions)/greeningrelated construction business

 Establish position in new market of large and medium-sized wooden buildings through collaboration.

### (2) Renewable energy business

• Leverage strengths of both companies to proceed with multiple power generation projects in stages.



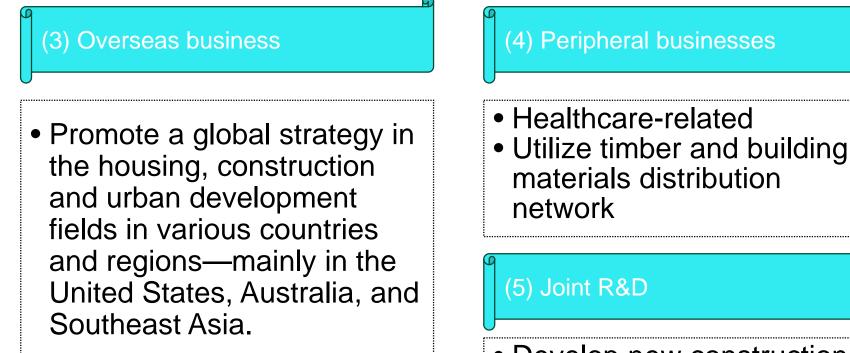
Gymnasium at Miyanomori Elementary School in Higashimatsushima



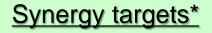
Exterior greening at Mitsui Sumitomo Insurance Surugadai Building



Mombetsu biomass power generation



 Develop new construction methods and materials



Net sales basis: Operating income basis: Approx. ¥10.0 billion

Approx. ¥150.0 billion

\*Simple totals of effect at each company in medium to long term

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Thank you for listening.