

## Fiscal Year Ending March, 2021 Financial Results

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F-TECH Inc.

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#### Consolidated Financial Results Overview (Year on Year)



(Unit:Million Yen)

	FY Mar. 2020 Actual		FY Mar Actu		Difference	
Sales	218,712	100.0%	183,647	100.0%	▲35,065	<b>▲</b> 16.0%
Operating Profit	4,088	1.9%	3,072	1.7%	<b>▲</b> 1,016	▲24.9%
Ordinary Profit	2,764	1.3%	2,383	1.3%	▲381	<b>▲</b> 13.8%
Profit Attributable to Owners of Parent	328	0.2%	<b>▲</b> 1,165	▲0.6%	<b>▲</b> 1,493	<b>▲</b> 454.8%
Earnings per share (Yen)	17.58	_	<b>▲</b> 62.58	_	▲80.17	<b>▲</b> 455.9%

For the fiscal year ended March 2021, "Subsidy income" of 1.8 billion yen has been recorded under extraordinary income, and "Loss due to COVID-19" of 2.8 billion yen under extraordinary loss.

#### FX Impacts

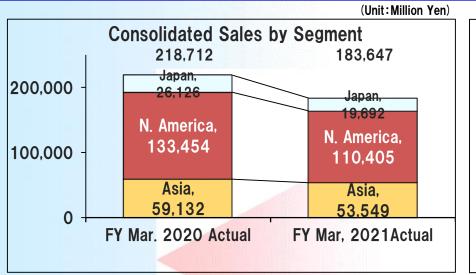
	FY Mar. 2020	FY Mar. 2021	Difference
<b>1</b> US\$	108.95yen	105.95yen	▲3.00yen
1CAN\$	81.67yen	80.31yen	▲1.36yen
1Yuan(RMB)	15.82yen	15.42yen	<b>▲</b> 0.40yen

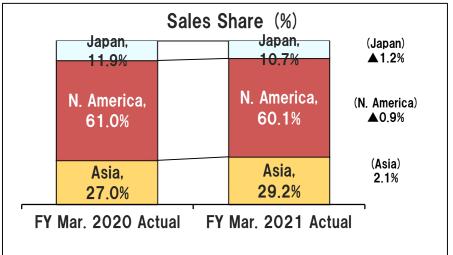
Decrease in sales and profit (Decrease in the number of orders due to COVID-19 pandemic)

#### Consolidated Sales (Year on Year)



(Unit:%





Change in Consolidated Sales

	FY	Mar. 2020	FY Mar. 2021 Difference		Difference(%)	FX Impact	Net Difference	Difference(%)
Japan		26,126	19,692	<b>▲</b> 6,433	<b>▲</b> 24.6%	1	<b>▲</b> 6,433	<b>▲</b> 24.6%
N. America		133,454	110,405	<b>▲</b> 23,049	<b>▲</b> 17.3%	<b>▲</b> 2,525	<b>▲</b> 20,524	<b>▲</b> 15.4%
Asia		59,132	53,549	<b>▲</b> 5,582	<b>▲</b> 9.4%	▲1,392	<b>▲</b> 4,191	<b>▲</b> 7.1%
Consolidated		218,712	183,647	▲35,065	<b>▲</b> 16.0%	▲3,917	▲31,149	<b>▲</b> 14.2%

89.3% of consolidated sales are from overseas plants. The sales in Asia increased due to China's quick recovery from COVID-19.

## Operating Profit by Segment (Year on Year)



(%)

(Unit:Million Yen)

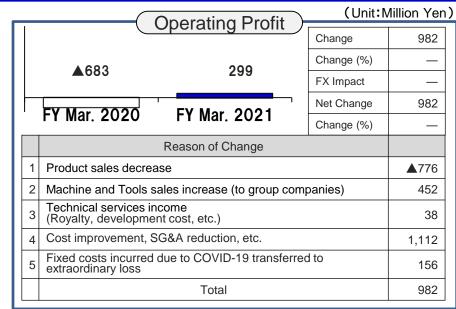
	Operating Profit					
	FY Mar. 2020	FY Mar. 2021	Difference	Difference (%)		
	Actual	Actual		(***)		
Japan	▲683	299	982	-		
N. America	367	<b>▲</b> 686	▲1,054	▲286.7%		
Asia	4,365	3,993	▲372	▲8.5%		
Total	4,050	3,606	<b>▲</b> 444	<b>▲</b> 11.0%		
Adjust	37	<b>▲</b> 534	<b>▲</b> 572	-		
Consolidated	4,088	3,072	<b>▲</b> 1,016	<b>▲</b> 24.9%		

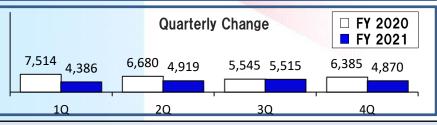
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	Share	
FY Mar. 2020	FY Mar. 2021	Difference
Actual	Actual	
<b>▲</b> 16.7%	9.8%	26.5%
9.0%	▲22.4%	▲31.4%
106.8%	130.0%	23.2%
99.1%	117.4%	18.3%
0.9%	▲17.4%	<b>▲</b> 18.3%
100.0%	100.0%	_

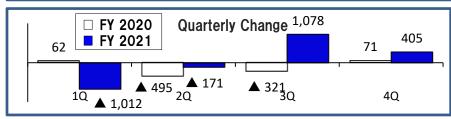
## Operating Performance by Segment (Japan)







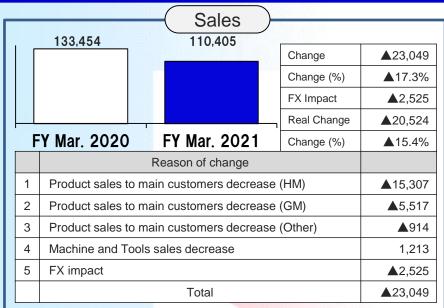


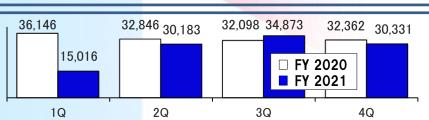


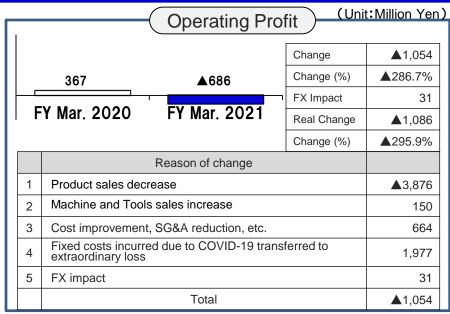
Decrease in sales and increase in profit (Decreased sales: decrease in orders from main customers, Increased profit: effect of expense reduction and increased machine and tool sales)

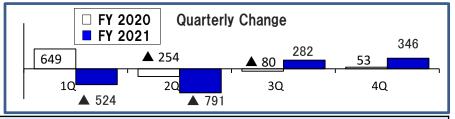
## Operating Performance by Segment (N. America)









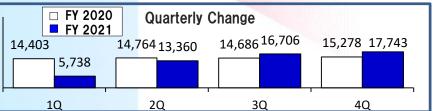


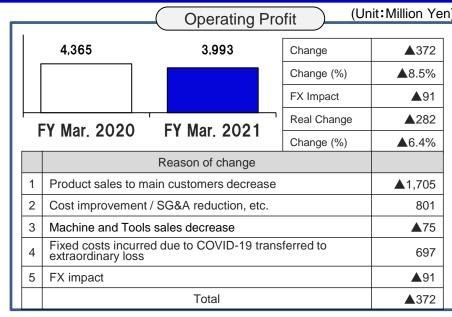
Decrease in sales and profit (Decreased sales: sales increased to new customer despite overall declining, Decreased profit: turned into profitable in the second half when the sales increased despite the impact of sales decrease)

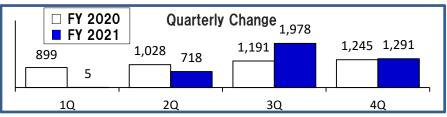
## Operating Performance by Segment (Asia)







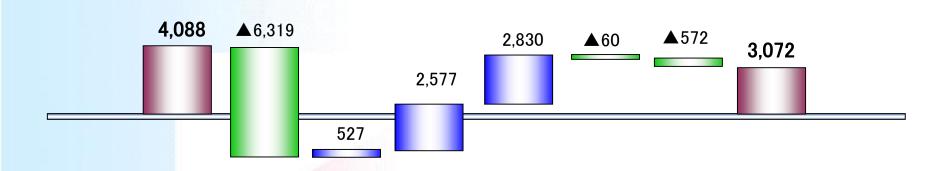




Decrease in sales and profit (Decreased sales: decrease in orders from main customers, Decreased profit: Impact of sales decrease)

## Changes in Operating Profit by Segments (FY Mar. 2021 Actual)





(Unit: Million Yen)

	FY Mar. 2020	Product Sales Impact	Machine and Tools Sales Impact	Expense reduction Rationalization	Transfer to Extraordinary Due to COVID- 19	FX Impact	Consolidated adjustment	FY Mar. 2021	Difference
Japan	▲683	<b>▲</b> 738	452	1,112	156			299	982
N. America	367	▲3,876	150	664	1,977	31		▲686	<b>▲</b> 1,054
Asia	4,365	<b>▲</b> 1,705	<b>▲</b> 75	801	697	<b>▲</b> 91		3,993	▲372
Adjustment	37						<b>▲</b> 572	<b>▲</b> 534	<b>▲</b> 572
Consolidated	4,088	▲6,319	527	2,577	2,830	▲60	<b>▲</b> 572	3,072	▲1,016





## Consolidated Financial Results Overview (Difference to the last forecast)



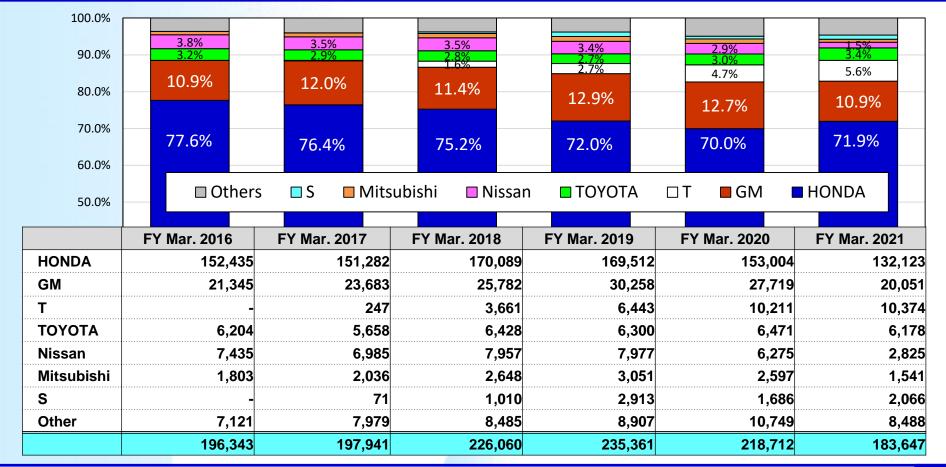
(Unit: Million Yen)

	FY Mar. (Foreca	_		r. 2021 tual)	Difference		
Sales	193,000	100.0%	183,647	100.0%	▲9,353	<b>▲</b> 4.8%	Due to incomplete elimination of intercompany transaction, and timing difference when to record intercompany sales
Operating Profit	3,600	1.9%	3,072	1.7%	<b>▲</b> 527	<b>▲</b> 14.7%	Due to timing difference when to record sales
Ordinary Profit	2,600	1.4%	2,383	1.3%	▲216	▲8.3%	FX impact (weaker yen) FX loss 552(Q3)→264(end of term)
Profit Attributable to Owners of Parent	▲900	▲0.5%	<b>▲</b> 1,165	▲0.6%	▲265	-	
Earnings per share (Yen)	<b>▲</b> 48.28	ı	<b>▲</b> 62.58	-	<b>▲</b> 14.30	-	(Unit:Yen)
	FY Mar. 2021(Forecast)		FY Mar. 2021(Actual)		ual)	Difference	
1US\$	105.58 yen			105.95 yen			0.37 yen

Decrease in sales and profit (Incomplete elimination of intercompany transaction and timing difference when to record intercompany sales)

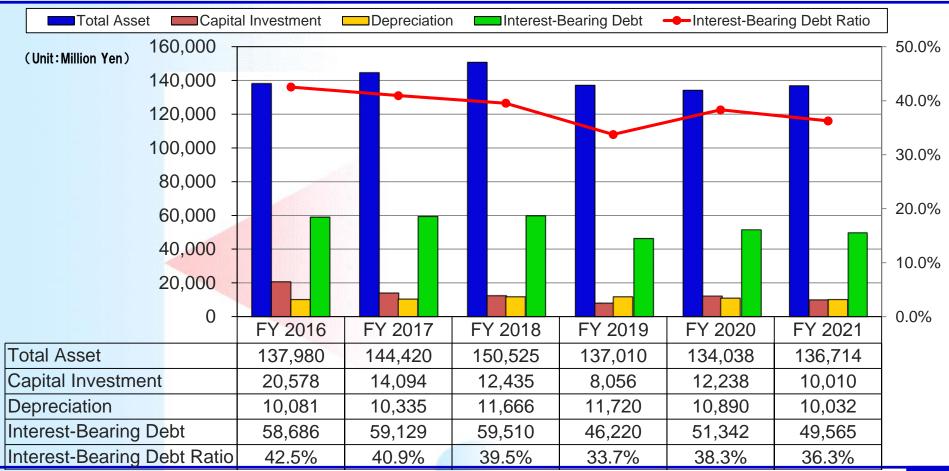
## Sales Changes by Customer





#### **Financial Position**





#### Status of Dividend



(Unit: Yen)

							(Unit: Yen)
		End of Q1	End of Q2	End of Q3	End of the Term	Total	Payout Ratio
FY Mar. 2020 (Last term)	Actual	1	10 yen	-	10 yen	20 yen	113.7%
FY Mar. 2021 Plan (Current term)		1	0 yen	-	8 yen	8 yen	-
	Difference	-	▲ 10 yen	-	▲ 2 yen	▲ 12 yen	-
FY Mar. 2022 (Next term)	! Forecast	-	TBD	-	TBD	TBD	-
Dividend Policy	Difference	-	-		-	-	-

Dividend Policy

F.tech's basic policy regarding the profit distribution is based on the business performance. Along with reinforcing our financial characteristics, we will review profit situation and future business opportunities from a long-term perspective, and distribute profit back to shareholders. Our payout ratio target is 10% or greater of the "Net profit attributable to parent company shareholders", and it is paid out twice a year – middle and end of the year. (Year-end dividend is resolved at the shareholders meeting.)

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## 14th Midterm Business Plan ~Basic Policy~



#### 14th Midterm Business Plan

Company Policy: Let's exceed out limits! We will, without compromise, produce the "Best One" for all our customers.

66th term (FY2021)

67th term (FY2022)

68th term (FY2023)

#### Back to Basics

→Master what you suppose to do →

at all facilities simulation

♦ Achieve profit ♦ Evolution of the ♦ Revival of

domestic facilities

#### **Challenge for New** ♦ Acquire new ♦ Challenge in

~Challenge to create new value ~

customers

new regions

♦ Create new business opportunities Maximize group efficiency

Target

[Productivity]

- Improving manpower efficiency
- [Efficiency] Automated
- inspection device [ Profitability ]
- Reducing scrap cost
- Turning FCF in the

black

Our Vision: Aim to become the world's leading supplier specializing in the area of underbody functions

#### 14th Midterm Business Plan ~Our Vision~



# Aim to become the world's leading supplier specializing in the area of underbody functions

Area of underbody functions ....."3 core areas of Subframe, Suspension, and Pedal"
World's leading....."Pursue the essential nature of manufacturing"

## We pursue the following 5 items to become world' leading supplier

1. Garner high acclaim from customers

In all areas of Quality, Cost, Delivery, and Management

- 2. Provide new value
  - Provide one and only value
- 3. Development of new technologies
  Roll out unique technologies born from new ideas and new
  approach

#### 4. Establish a network

Share knowledge with other expert suppliers, and put new proposals into practice

#### 5. Strengthen profitability

Make existing business robust, and invest in new growth opportunities

## 14th Midterm Business Plan ~Strategy target~



## 

- Achieve profit at all facilities
- Evolution of the simulation
- Revival of domestic facilities

## Challenge for New ~Challenge to create new value~>

- ♦ Acquire new customers
- ♦ Challenge in new regions
- Create new business opportunities

#### Achieving profits at all facilities ~Back to Basics~



## FY 2021 Operating profit by segment

	Operating profit	Current status
Japan	299	•Turned into black  →Machine and tool sales to overseas facilities have been expanded,  Expenses have been reduced
North America	<b>▲</b> 686	<ul> <li>Polarized performance         →Promoting support improvement         activities at the facilities facing         challenges</li> </ul>
Asia	3,993	•China maintains strong performance →Focusing to other Asian facilities

In FY2021, we promoted business activities with the primary goal of surviving in COVID-19 disaster

#### **Activities in FY2022**

		Situation/Activities
Japa	an	•Sales continue to decline in Japan  →Machine and tool sales to overseas facilities and expense reduction continue  →Review the structure in Japan
Nort Ame		Complete improvement activities     Start projects for new business     opportunities
Asia		Address particular issues in each facility

In FY2022, COVID-19 and semiconductor supply shortage impact remain, however, we will achieve profitability at all facilities regardless of changes we are facing

#### **Evolution of the Simulation**





Achieve the Non Prototype Development (Design, Analysis only) ⇒ Save Time and Cost



Improve the accuracy of product analysis performance evaluation

Making a prototype → Improve the accuracy of results in the test implementation process



Achieve the optimal design by simulation using the latest CAE analysis

#### Design

#### **Optimal Design**

- Weight reduction proposals with optimal specifications
- Achieve overwhelming competitiveness

#### Analysis

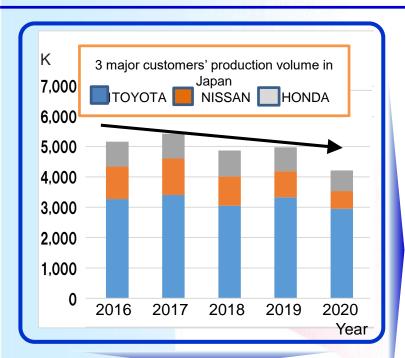
#### ADAMS (CAE Analysis)

- Figure out the impact of each component on the product
- Best balanced product development



#### Revival of domestic facilities ~Back to Basics~





- Downward in production volume
- Export decreasing ⇒ Potential further volume reduction

Establish a domestic structure capable of withstanding decrease in production



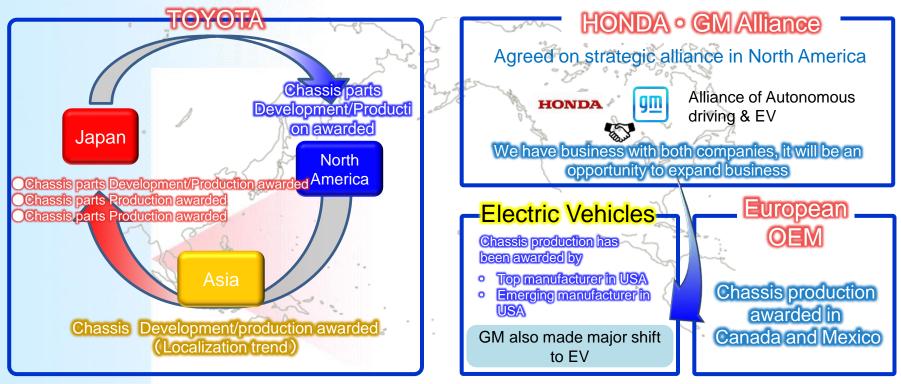
⇒ Overseas, New business areas

through business reformation activities, and reassign to

reform

#### Acquiring new core customers ~Challenge for New~





We have successfully expanded customers and have more business with diversified customers We will aim at further expansion by ensuring stable mass production and providing reliable quality

## Challenging in new regions ~Challenge for New~



Company name	VEE GEE	Auto Components Private	e Limited	Challenge for the potential		
Investment	342,940,0	00 INR(Indian Rupee) (Approxir	mately 488 million yen*)	growth in India		
Investment ratio	VEE GEE Ftech Inc	INDUSTRIAL ENTERPR	ISES PVT.LTD. 74% 26%			
Main customer	Suzuki Mo	tor Gujarat Pvt. Ltd (SMG	3)		Achieve "Integrated solution proposals"	
2 expe dispatched 202	in April	Produce high quality	Complete capacity expansion Expand supply to SMG	Reinforce sales activity and Establish R&D capabilities	from R&D through mass production Develop new market from India	
<b>X</b>		chassis products with high efficiency	Develop new customers		2030	
JV Corporation established in		⇒ supply to SMG		2028		
Supply of product to SMG began		(400,000pcs/year)	2025	•		
		2023		Creating Stea	dy Progress	
2020	- 2021					
2020 - 2021		SMG: Suzuki Motor	Guiarat	Step by	Step	

We will begin business with a new partner in India where bigger growth is expected

#### Challenging in new regions ~Challenge for New~



#### Automobile production/Export/Sales in Mexico



As a neighboring country of the U.S., production and exports are steadily increasing.

#### F&P MFG DE MEXICO, S.A. DE C.V.

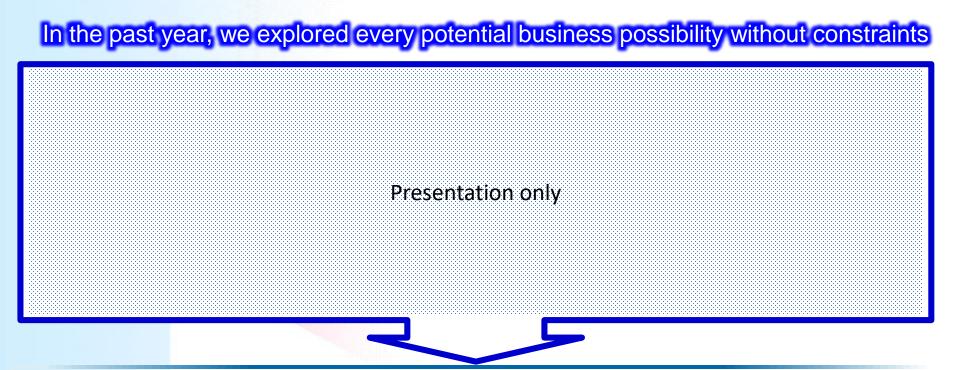


Investment objective	Expansion of the production capacity
Time of investment	In 2019
Investment amount	US\$ 20 million
Construction period	Construction started in Oct. 2019 and completed in Nov.2020

We are in the preparation for the further production capacity in Mexico, where the sales to other customers are making more profit.

## Creating new business opportunities ~Challenge for New~





We narrow down the promising project, taking advantage of the experience and information network we acquired through these activities

## **Objectives**



The 14<sup>th</sup> Mid-term Three-Year Plan

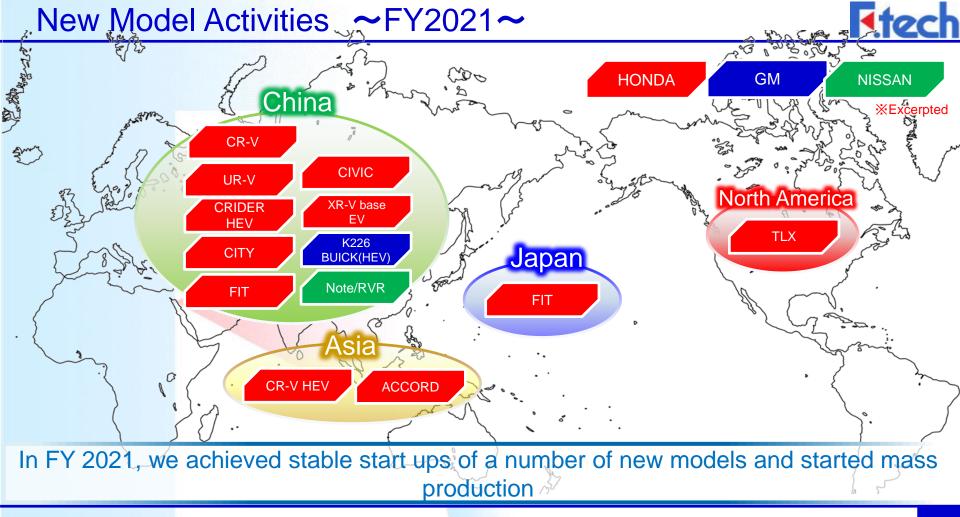
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	FY Mar.2021 Actual	FY Mar.2022 Forecast	FY Mar.2023 Plan				
Sales	183.6	Not disclosed due	215.0				
Operating Profit	3.07	to the impact of COVID-19 and semi-conductor	7.5				
Operating Profit ratio	1.7%	shortage	3.5%				

The targets for FY 2021 and FY2022 were not able to be established due to the impact of COVID-19 and semi-conductor shortage

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#### Initiatives for Sustainable Growth ~CSR/ESG Overview~



# Environmental

## Social



#### **Topics and Concerns**

- Reduction of CO2 emissions
- •Environmental conservation of air, water, soil, etc.
- Saving resources and reduction of water and waste
- Management of chemical substances

Creating comfortable work environment

Relations with shareholders, investors

Evolution of corporate governance

Global expansion of risk management

Global expansion of CSR activity

- Development of products with environmental consideration
- Preservation of biodiversity

Quality initiatives

and society

#### Our Approach

#### New global environmental target for 2030

- •CO2 emission: ▲ 18% improvement
- •Water consumption: ▲ 14% improvement
- •Waste discharge: ▲ 13% improvement

(Base year: FY2018, Indicator: Sales)

#### Initiatives on Diversity and Work-Life Balance

- Implementation of comprehensive evaluation regarding quality on each product
- Development of IR and disclosure appropriately and in a timely manner
- Reinforce CG preparation and execution corresponding to CG codes
- Make CSR action guidelines well known globally and facilitate PDCA
- Continue to improve BCP, increase IT security

#### Goal





































We are proactively addressing the issues related to environment, society, and corporate governance

#### Initiatives for Sustainable Growth ~Corporate Governance~



#### Revision of the corporate governance code

Principle	78 Principles → 83 items		Principle	12 items revised
Newly established 5 principles	Supplementary 2-4-1 Supplementary 3-1-3	Ensure the diversity of core human resources  Disclose the initiative of sustainability (P)	7	•The exercise of voting right platform (P) •Addressing issues relating to sustainability (P) •Disclosure of the necessary information in English (P)
	Supplementary 4-2-2	Establish basic sustainability policies Effective supervision by Board of Directors	Major r	<ul> <li>Supervision on the risk management system of the entire group</li> <li>Independent outside directors: one-third or more, or more than half (P)</li> </ul>
	Supplementary 4-11-1	Independent outside directors: including those who have management experience	revision	Establishment of the advisory board     (Outside director: more than half) (P)     Skill matrix of directors
	Supplementary 5-2-1	Formulation and disclosure of management strategy should include business portfolio policies	5	"Diversity" including work experience and age     Change of relationship with internal auditing department     Meeting with outside directors and shareholders

\*Text in blue indicates requirements for the prime market

### F-tech is preparing for the transition to the prime market



## Initiatives for quality and delivery

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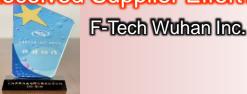
# Deliver

#### Received Quality Excellence Award



◆ Awarded by General Motors de Mexico S. de R.L. de C.V

#### Received Supplier Effort Award



◆Awarded by SAIC General Motors Corp. Ltd.

#### Received Quality Partnership Award



◆Awarded by GAC Toyota Motor Co., Ltd.

#### Received Excellence Supplier Award



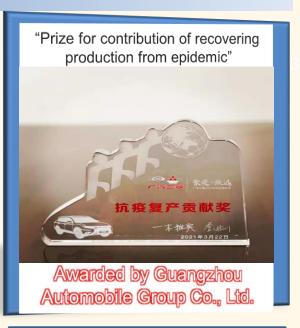
Awarded by Guangqi Honda Automobile Co., Ltd.



## Initiatives for manufacturing technologies and efficiencies







Kameyama plant

F-Tech Wuhan Inc.

#### Initiatives for Sustainable Growth~Initiatives for social contribution~ Initiatives for Social contribution



#### Social contribution

#### F-tech made mask donation activity



From Mie prefecture and Kameyama city

From HONDA

#### Social contribution





We will continue to actively engage in activities for social contribution

#### Initiatives for Sustainable Growth ~Work Style Reform~



## Work Style Reform

#### General issues

Reduce long working hours

Put diverse and flexible work style into practice

Ensure fair compensation package for all types of employment

#### Our initiatives

Adopt flexible work style

- Reduce overtime
- Balance work and life

5% reduction of SGA expenses

Suddenly became widely used due to COVID-19

#### Flextime

Set working hours flexibly with the exception of core working hours

#### Remote work



#### WEB meeting

No business trip



#### (Various awards)

Received "Work-life balance promotion award" from Kameyama city

[ Evaluation items ] \*Excerpted

- How many paid time offs were used (use rate) How many associates used child care leaves / nursing leave(use rate)
- Activities to reduce long working hours
- Activities to create work environment where both men and women can comfortably work, etc.

Received "Good practice award" as a company





We will continue to proactively promote work style reform.

## Shareholder benefit Program



#### QUO cards distribution rules have been revised

#### Before

Reference date: March 31st

Number of shares held: 100 or more

Gift for shareholders: Uniform amount of 1,000 yen

Benefit for shareholders changed depending on the number of share held and holding period

#### After

Effective for shareholders as of March 31st, 2021

		Less than 1 year	1 year or more and less than 3 years	3 years or more and less than 5 years	5 years or more			
	100 or more and less than 300 shares	0	1,000 yen	1,000 yen	1,000 yen			
	300 or more and less than 500 shares	0	1,000 yen	2,000 yen	2,000 yen			
	500 or more	0	1,000 yen	2,000 yen	3,000 yen			



## Thank you for your attention!



The future outlook and earnings forecasts in this document are made based on the information available at the moment, and they include potential risks and uncertainties.

As a result, please bear in mind that actual business performance may substantially differ from the stated future forecasts due to changes in various factors.

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# Appendix

#### Appendix ~Consolidated Balance Sheet (FY Mar 2021 results)~



(Unit: Million Yen)

		FY Mar 2020	FY Mar 2021	Changes
		Actual	Actual	
	Cash and Deposits	8,879	3,708	▲ 5,171
	Notes and AR	27,955	31,578	3,623
	Inventories	19,093	19,642	549
	Others	3,027	2,744	▲ 283
Current Assets		58,956	57,673	▲ 1,283
	Property,plant and equipmen	66,714	70,012	3,298
	Intangible assets	363	320	▲ 43
	Investment and others	8,004	8,708	704
Non-current Assets		75,081	79,041	3,960
Total Assets		134,038	136,714	2,676

Interst-bearing debt	51,342	49,565	▲ 1,777
Interest-bearing debt ratio	38.3%	36.3%	-2.0%

(Unit:Willion Yen			viiiioii Terij		
			FY Mar 2020	FY Mar 2021	Changes
			Actual	Actual	
		Notes and AP	17,427	19,772	2,345
		Short-term loans	20,395	20,872	477
		Current portion of Long-ter	9,740	9,884	144
		Others	7,849	8,872	1,023
	Current Liabilities		55,412	59,401	3,989
		Long-term loan	19,146	16,943	▲ 2,203
		Others	5,186	5,337	151
	No	n-current Liabilities	24,333	22,280	▲ 2,053
Total Liabilities		Liabilities	79,745	81,682	1,937
	To	tal Shareholders' Equity	41,914	40,019	▲ 1,895
	Aco	cumulated Other Comprehe	▲ 1,778	286	2,064
	No	n-controlling Interests	14,156	14,726	570
То	Total Net Assets		54,292	55,032	740
Total Liabilities and Net Assets		Liabilities and Net Assets	134,038	136,714	2,676

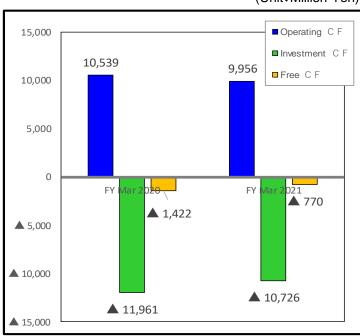
#### Appendix

# ~Consolidated cash flow statement (FY Mar 2021 Results)~ ☐ 12ch



#### (Unit: Million Yen)

	FY Mar 2020	FY Mar 2021	Changes
	Actual	Actual	
Cash flow from operating activities	10,539	9,956	▲ 583
Cash flow from investment activities	▲ 11,961	▲ 10,726	1,235
Cash flow from financial activities	3,345	▲ 4,363	▲ 7,708
Translation adjustments associated with Cash and cash equivalents	▲ 236	▲ 37	199
Net change of Cash and cash equivqlents	1,688	▲ 5,170	<b>▲</b> 6,858
Beginning balance of Cash and cash equivalents	7,191	8,879	1,688
Ending balance of Cash and cash equivalents	8,879	3,708	▲ 5,171



#### Appendix ~Corporate Overview~



Company Name	F-TECH INC.	
Market Segment	The first section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange (7212)	
Capital	6.79 Billion JPY	
President and CEO	Yuichi Fukuda	
Consolidated Sales	183.6 Billion JPY (March 2021)	
Nicosala a n. a.f.		

Number of **Employees** 

Established July 1st, 1947

Address 19, Showanuma, Shobucho, Kuki, Saitama 346-0194 JAPAN

Main Customers Honda, General Motors, Nissan, Toyota, etc.

Group total 9,400 (F-tech only: 962)

Main Products

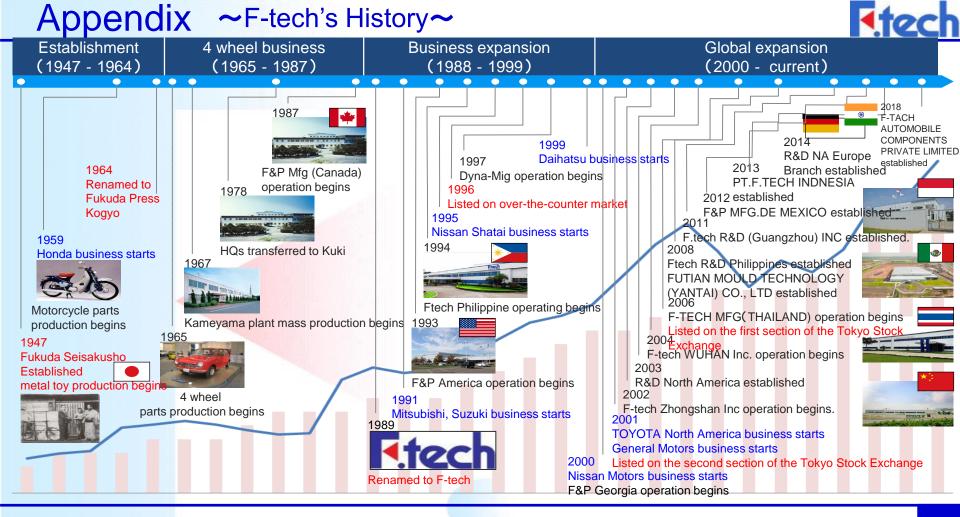
Underbody for automobile - suspension arm, subframe, axle beam, pedal

control, etc.

As of March 31, 2021

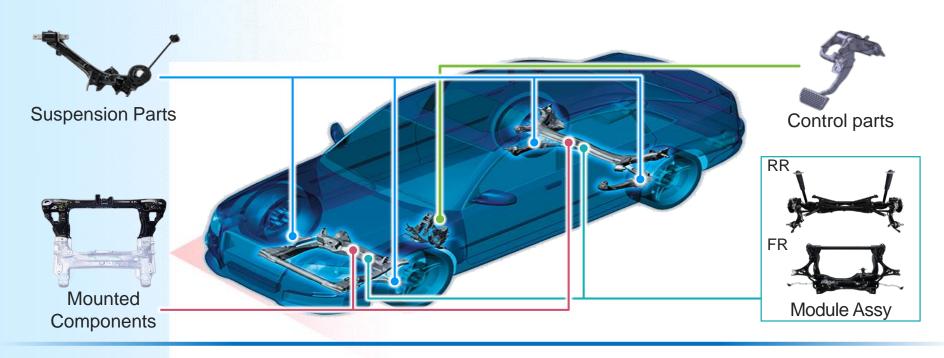
overseas facilities

\*F-tech only does not include subsidiaries and expats at



### Appendix ~Vehicle Components~

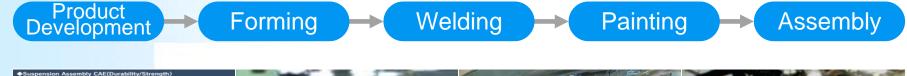




Our products are critical safety auto parts which perform fundamental functions, "Drive", "Turn" and "Stop". We aim at the optimal specifications considering the higher operation stability, riding comfort, and safety at the time of the collision.

#### Appendix ~Our Business Outline(Chassis Parts Development and Production)~



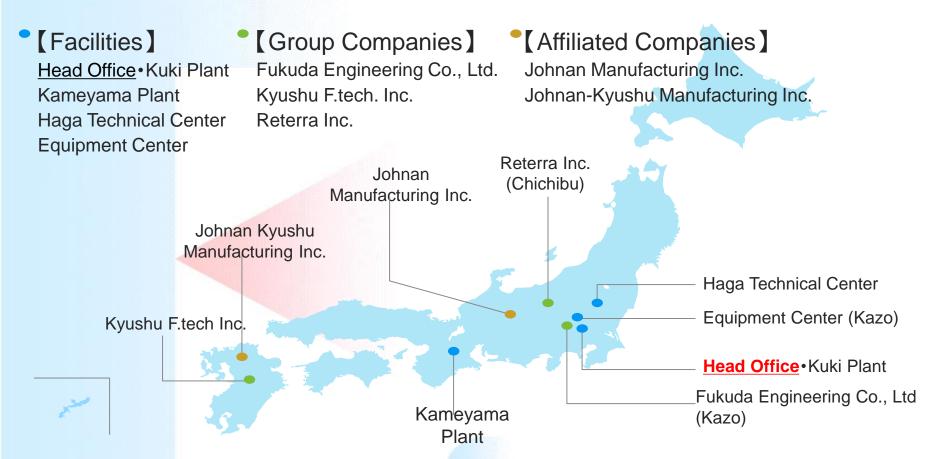




All processes, from product planning and development to mass-production, are carried out through F-tech's proprietary integrated processing system, which enables F-tech to supply products that own competitiveness, even in short time frame.

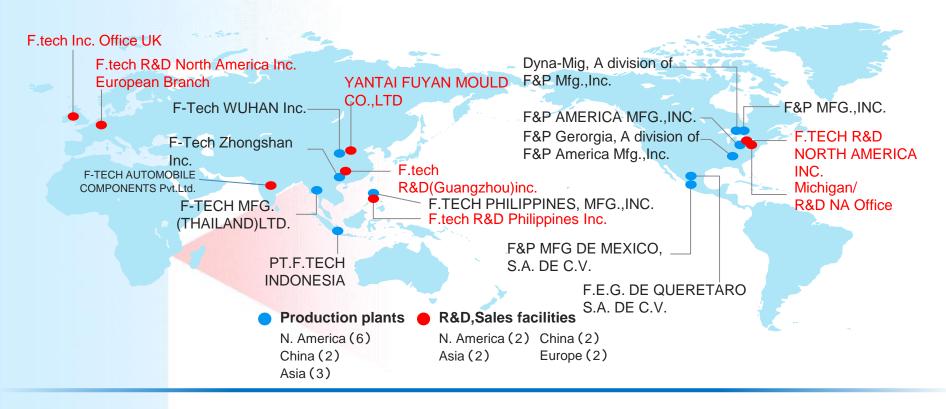
### Appendix ~F-tech Group Companies in Japan~





#### Appendix ~F-tech Group Overseas Companies~

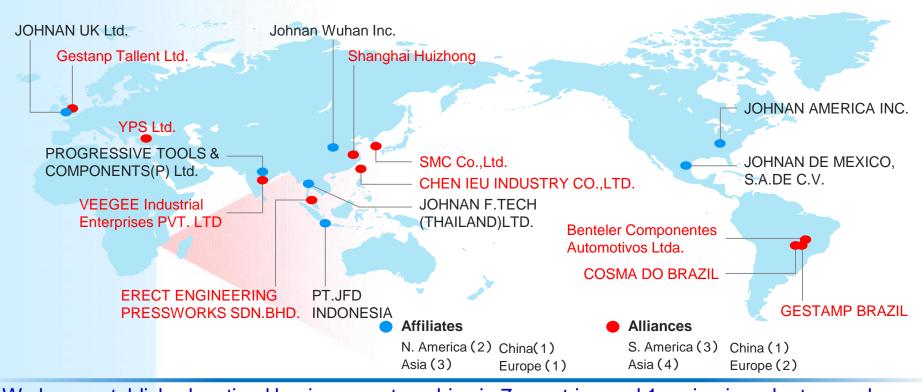




F-tech has 11 production plants and 8 R&D, Sales facilities in 10 countries.

#### Appendix ~Affiliates and Alliances~





We have established optimal business partnerships in 7 countries and 1 region in order to supply our products globally

#### Appendix Technological Alliance in India





Company name VEEGEE INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISES Pvt. Ltd.	
Established	In 1990
Number of employees Approx. 1,400	
Main products Stamping, Sub-assembly, Tube/Pipe Welding, etc	
Main customers Honda, Suzuki, General Motors, Tata Motors, Autoliv, Schneider, etc	
Business lineup	Manufacture and Sales of Auto Parts (Body parts, Pedal parts, Chassis parts)