

Return to Shareholders

Returning profits to shareholders is considered one of the most important issues in our corporate agenda

FY ending Mar. 31, 2007 (Planned)

- Dividend per share: 4,000 yen

(Maintain the same dividend level as FY ended Mar. 31, 2006, when it was doubled from the previous fiscal year)

- Repurchase of own shares:

Study to repurchase up to 1.4 million shares for up to 250 billion yen

(Treasury shares kept in excess of 5% of total issued shares are planned for cancellation once a year)

《Repurchase of own shares》

	Budget (Billions of yen)		No. of shares repurchased (million shares)	
	Max. authorized	Actual amount spent	Max. authorized	Actual no. of shares repurchased
Repurchase authorized at 13th ordinary general shareholder meeting	600	433.7 (72.3%)	2.5	2.38 (95.3%)
Repurchase authorized at 14th ordinary general shareholder meeting	400	333.2 (83.3%)	2.2	1.98 (90.0%)
Ref) Repurchase authorized at ordinary 15th general shareholder meeting	250	—	1.4	—