

# Results of Operations for the Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 2018 (FY3/18)

# **Information Meeting**

JSP Corporation



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- 3. FY3/18 Supplementary Financial Information
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# <sup>2</sup> Financial Highlights

## JSP Corporation Engineered Plastic Foams

Margin Growth Return **Operating Profit / Operating Margin** Net Sales / Sales Volume **Ordinary Profit to Total Assets** 8.8% 117 115 Dubai crude oil 8.8% \$110/BL 8.0% ¥114,284 million 100 7.7% ¥9,105 million 5.7% 6.2% \$**56/**BL \$4<mark>7/B</mark>L FY3/12FY3/13FY3/14FY3/15FY3/16FY3/17FY3/18 FY3/12FY3/13FY3/14FY3/15FY3/16FY3/17FY3/18 FY3/12 FY3/13 FY3/14 FY3/15 FY3/16 FY3/17 FY3/18 Sales Volume FY3/12=100

# Summary of Business Operations

### FY3/18

JSP Corporation Engineered Plastic Foams

ltem (Million yen)	FY3/17 Results	FY3/18 Forecast (Announced Jan.31, 2018)	FY3/18 Results	YoY Comparison	vs. Forecast
Net sales	109,048	116,500	114,284	+4.8%	-1.9%
Operating profit	9,612	9,500	9,105	-5.3%	-4.2%
Ordinary profit	10,033	9,700	9,217	-8.1%	-5.0%
Profit attributable to owners of parent	7,301	6,700	6,853	-6.1%	+2.3%

• Forex: JPY112.0/USD JPY127.2/EUR JPY16.6/CNY (FY3/17: JPY109.4/USD JPY120.6/EUR JPY16.4/CNY)

- Dubai crude oil: USD56.0/BL (FY3/17: USD46.8/BL)
- Economic climate: US/Slowing auto sales, Mexico/Healthy economy, Brazil/Recovery in economy, Europe/Strong internal demand and exports, China/Stable growth continues, Other Asia/Economies continue to recover slowly, Japan/Recovery affected by higher cost of raw materials/fuel and cargo transportation
- Consolidated results of operations

Operating profit: Down 5.3% because of higher cargo transportation rates in Japan, sharp rise in cost of raw materials/fuel in 4Q, and soft demand for some products



Net sales: Up 4.8% because of higher sales volume and pct. of value-added product sales as well as product price revisions

# **Extrusion Business**

### FY3/18

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ltem (Million yen)	FY3/17 Results	FY3/18 Results	YoY Comparison
Net sales	37,929	39,024	+2.9%
Operating profit	3,045	2,640	-13.3%

Higher sales of value-added products raise sales, rising cost of raw materials and cargo transportation lowers earnings

Food packaging materials and food containers



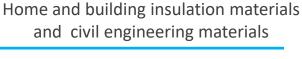
## STYRENPAPER™

- Strong sales for microwaveable containers
- Demand for food trays and instant noodle containers declined





 Strong sales worldwide of valueadded products, mainly cushioning materials for transport of FPD substrates





### **MIRAFOAM™**

 Strong sales of parts pre-cut for fabrication and high-performance thermal insulation products

# Bead Business

### FY3/18

JSP Corporation Engineered Plastic Foams

ltem (Million yen)	FY3/17 Results	FY3/18 Results	YoY Comparison
Net sales	65,354	69,483	+6.3%
Operating profit	7,376	7,219	-2.1%

# Sales higher due to sales volume growth and product price revisions, earnings lower due to the higher cost of raw materials and fuel in Japan

A cushioning material for automotive parts and home appliances, and an impact protection material for athletic fields



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- These materials were used in more auto parts
- Japan: No change in sales from FY3/17
- North America/Europe: Sales increased due to strong demand
- Brazil: Higher sales due to auto output recovery and new sources of demand
- China/ASEAN/Taiwan/South Korea: Sales volume up

Expandable polystyrene, hybrid molded products



STYRODIA® HEATPOR® CLEARPOR® FOAMCORE™

- STYRODIA<sup>®</sup> sales up as price revisions and higher sales of functional products offset lower demand for the fisheries and agriculture sectors
- No change in FOAMCORE<sup>™</sup> sales, but sales for making floats increased



### FY3/18

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ltem (Million yen)	FY3/17 Results	FY3/18 Results	YoY Comparison
Net sales	5,764	5,777	+0.2%
Operating profit	148	138	-6.6%

# Sales increased in Japan but decreased in China

General packaging materials in Japan

 Demand for automotive packaging materials increased



Trays for auto parts



Cushioning materials for optical parts

General packaging materials in China

 Sales decreased due to sluggish growth in new demand





Cushioning materials for IT home appliances



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# FY3/19 Outlook

## FY3/19 Outlook

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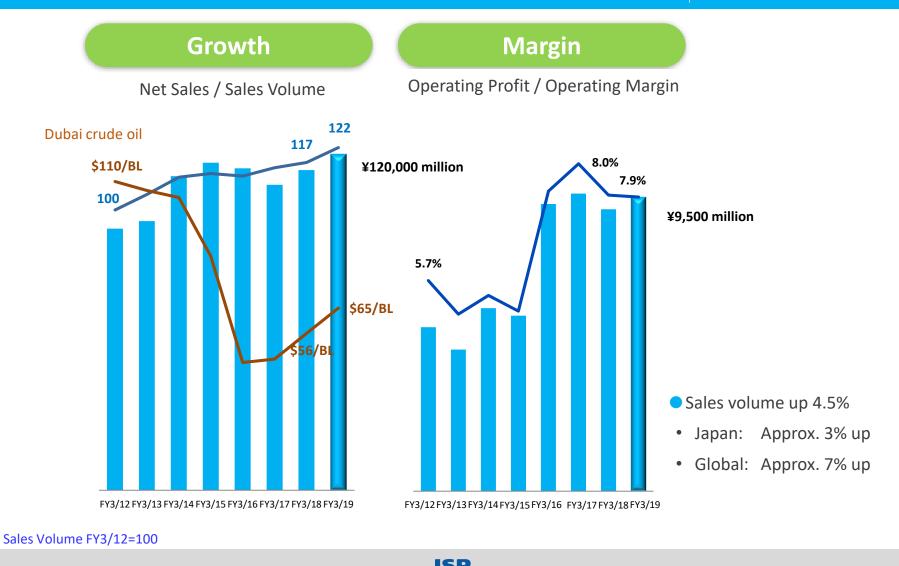
ltem (Million yen)	FY3/18 Results	FY3/19 Outlook	YoY Comparison
Net sales	114,284	120,000	+5.0%
Operating profit	9,105	9,500	+4.3%
Ordinary profit	9,217	9,800	+6.3%
Profit attributable to owners of parent	6,853	7,000	+2.1%

- Exchange rates: JPY105/USD JPY132/EUR JPY16.7/CNY (FY3/18: JPY112.0/USD JPY127.2/EUR JPY16.6/CNY)
- Dubai crude oil: USD65/BL (FY3/18: USD56.0/BL)
- Japan: Focusing on sales of differentiation products that incorporate exclusive technologies
  Expect strong demand for high-performance home and building insulation materials and FPD substrate transport cushioning materials
- Global: Sales volume up 7% YoY. New applications for auto parts in USA & Europe, outlook for higher sales of transportation returnable containers and cushioning and packaging materials in China, no change in sales in other Asian countries
- Dividend: Annual dividend (forecast) ¥50 per share (Interim dividend ¥25, Year-end dividend ¥25)

# 8-year Financial Summary

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# **Extrusion Business** 10

## FY3/19 Outlook

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FY3/19 FY3/18 YoY Item (Million yen) **Results** Outlook Comparison 39,024 42,161 +8.0%Net sales Operating profit 2,640 2,935 +11.2%

Priorities: Focusing on sales of high value-added products and more product differentiation

Food packaging materials and food containers



Heat-resistant polystyrene paper



Wood grain polystyrene paper

- Increasing sales of heat-resistant food containers
- Increasing sales to end users





- Use differentiated products to target new markets
  - Working on new applications
- Goal is 20% growth in sales to global customers

Home and building insulation materials and civil engineering materials





**MIRAFOAM™** 

J Wall Block

- Increasing sales of MIRAFOAM<sup>™</sup> Λ, a highperformance insulation material
- Increasing sales of J Wall Block
- Increasing market share in the civil engineering
- Upgrade high-performance thermal insulation technology

# 11 Bead Business

## FY3/19 Outlook

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**Engineered Plastic Foams** 

ltem (Million yen)	FY3/18 Results	FY3/19 Outlook	YoY Comparison
Net sales	69,483	71,934	+3.5%
Operating profit	7,219	7,359	+1.9%

Priorities: Differentiate EPP by using new applications/technologies/materials; for EPS, increase sales of functional products

A cushioning material for automotive parts and home appliances, and sports shoes



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#### **ELEMPOR™NEO**

- Increase use of materials in auto
- Increasing sales of cushioning materials for transportation of FPD substrates
- Start of sales of flexible foamed materials

Expandable polystyrene, hybrid molded product

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- Expandable polystyrene slope stabilization
- Eco-cute thermal insulation material
- Automotive parts
- Used for evaporative pattern casting







# Business Segment Outlook, Capital Expenditures, Depreciation

# FY3/19 Outlook

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Segment	FY3/18 F	FY3/18 Results FY3/19 Outlook		Outlook	utlook YoY Comparison	
(Million yen)	Net sales	Operating profit	Net sales	Operating profit	Net sales	Operating profit
Extrusion Business	39,024	2,640	42,161	2,935	+3,137	+295
Bead Business	69,483	7,219	71,934	7,359	+2,451	+140
Other	5,777	138	5,905	132	+128	(6)
Corporate and eliminations	-	(892)	-	(926)	-	(34)
Total	114,284	9,105	120,000	9,500	+5,716	+395

Capital expenditures: Approx. ¥12 billion

(¥6.7 billion to increase output and become more competitive and ¥5.3 billion for maintenance projects)

- Depreciation: Approx. ¥5.4 billion
  - (vs. FY3/18: up approx. ¥330 million)



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(Percentages represent year-on-year changes)

(Million yen)	Net sales	Operating profit	Ordinary profit	Profit attributable to owners of parent
FV2/10	114,284	9,105	9,217	6,853
FY3/18	(+4.8%)	(-5.3%)	(-8.1%)	(-6.1%)
	109,048	9,612	10,033	7,301
FY3/17	(-5.1%)	(+3.6%)	(+10.2%)	(+23.5%)

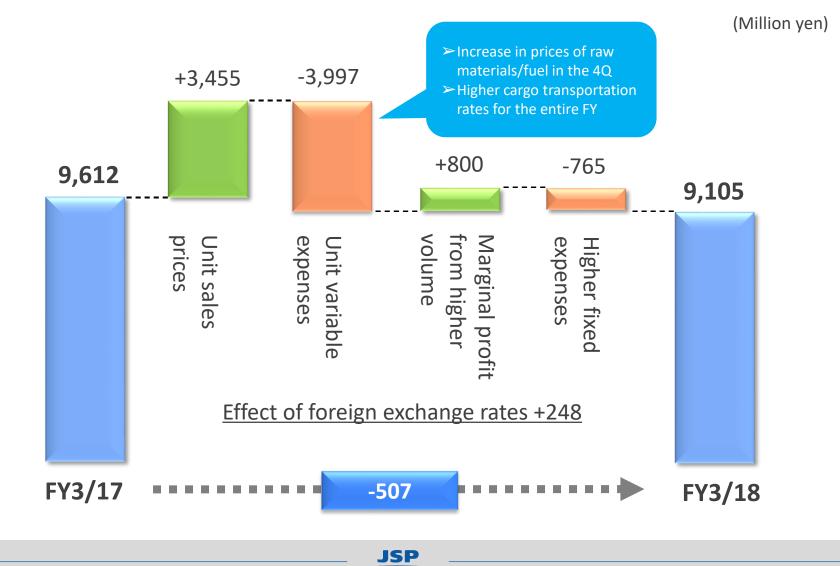
Comprehensive income: FY3/18: ¥9,171 million FY3/17: ¥5,748 million

	Net income per share (Yen)	Return on equity	Ordinary profit to total assets	Operating profit to net sales
FY3/18	229.91	9.0%	7.7%	8.0%
FY3/17	244.94	10.4%	8.8%	8.8%

# Components of Change in Operating Profit

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# Non-operating Income/Expenses Extraordinary Income/Loss

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## Non-operating Income/Expenses

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Account (Million yen)	FY3/17	FY3/18
Interest income	170	183
Foreign exchange income	41	-
Other	431	394
Total non-operating income	642	577
Interest expenses	111	119
Foreign exchange losses	-	200
Other	110	146
Total non-operating expenses	221	466

## Extraordinary Income/Loss

Account (Million yen)	FY3/17	FY3/18
Gain on sales of non- current assets	32	403
Gain on sales of investment securities	20	-
Total extraordinary income	53	403
Loss on sales of non- current assets	4	13
Loss on retirement of non-current assets	69	119
Total extraordinary losses	73	132

# <sup>17</sup> Financial Position

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(Million yen)	Total assets	Net assets	Shareholders' equity ratio	Net assets per share (Yen)
As of Mar. 31, 2018	125,728	84,105	63.3%	2,667.72
As of Mar. 31, 2017	113,151	76,778	64.1%	2,433.10

Reference: Shareholders' equity: As of Mar. 31, 2018: ¥79,524 million As of Mar. 31, 2017: ¥72,532 million

(Million yen)	Cash and deposits	Short-term loans payable*	Long-term loans payable	Total loans payable
As of Mar. 31, 2018	16,963	10,311	5,712	16,023
As of Mar. 31, 2017	13,436	9,850	4,756	14,606

\*Including current portion of long-term loans payable



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Account (Million yen)		As of Mar. 31, 2017	As of Mar. 31, 2018	Change
Assets	Current assets	60,208	67,909	7,701
	Non-current assets	52,943	57,818	4,875
	Total assets	113,151	125,728	12,576
	Current liabilities	29,667	33,145	3,477
Liabilities	Non-current liabilities	6,705	8,477	1,771
	Total liabilities	36,373	41,622	5,249
	Shareholders' equity	73,488	78,700	5,211
Net assets	Total accumulated other comprehensive income	(955)	824	1,780
	Non-controlling interests	4,245	4,581	335
	Total net assets	76,778	84,105	7,327
Total liabilities and net assets		113,151	125,728	12,576





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Account (Million yen)		As of Mar. 31, 2017	As of Mar. 31, 2018	Change
Shareholders' equity	Capital stock	10,128	10,128	-
	Capital surplus	13,405	13,405	-
	Retained earnings	51,336	56,551	5,214
	Treasury shares	(1,382)	(1,385)	(2)
	Total	73,488	78,700	5,211
	Valuation difference on available- for-sale securities	239	244	5
Accumulated other comprehensive income	Foreign currency translation adjustment	(1,694)	(483)	1,211
	Remeasurements of defined benefit plans	499	1,062	563
	Total	(955)	824	1,780
Non-controlling interests		4,245	4,581	335
Total net assets		76,778	84,105	7,327



# **Cash Flows**

(Million yen)	Cash flows from operating activities	Cash flows from investing activities	Cash flows from financing activities	Cash and cash equivalents
FY3/18	10,849	(7,661)	(506)	10,807
FY3/17	10,688	(6,188)	(6,497)	7,965

# Capital Expenditures, Depreciation, R&D Expenses

(Million yen)	Capital expenditures	Depreciation	R&D expenses
FY3/18	8,153	5,072	2,123
FY3/17	6,236	4,952	2,178

Note: Capital expenditures are on a cash basis.



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# <sup>22</sup> Increase in Output Capacity 1

# Wuhan Plant in China JSP Corporation Engineered Plastic Foams

## New plant in Wuhan (China) to produce expanded polypropylene beads (ARPRO<sup>®</sup>/P-BLOCK<sup>™</sup>)



Annual output capacity in China: 30,000 tons (Wuxi, Dongguan, Wuhan, Chongqing, Changchun)

### Background

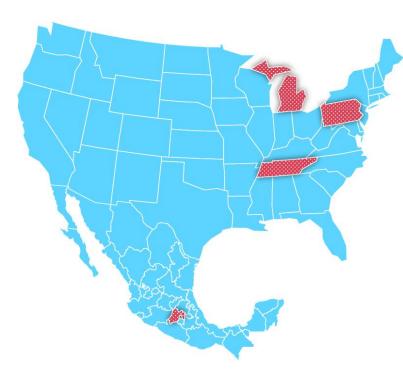
- Demand increased for automotive due to an increase in the number of affluent consumers in inland China
- Greater need for lighter vehicles due to serious pollution problem

Overview of new plant (started operation)		
(1) Company name	JSP Plastics (Wuhan) Co., Ltd.	
(2) Location	Wuhan Economic & Technological Development Zone, China	
(3) Activities	Manufacturing and sales of expanded polypropylene beads	



# Increase in Output Capacity 2

North America plants producing **ARPRO**<sup>®</sup>**/P-BLOCK**<sup>™</sup> expanded polypropylene beads



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### Background

- Consistently strong automobile sales
- High volume of orders for automobile seat cores and start of the use of these parts in Japanese vehicles
- Also growth in demand for use as an impact protection material for athletic fields

Plan for increasing output capacity		
(1) Company name	JSP International Group Ltd.	
(2) Location	U.S.: Michigan, Pennsylvania, Tennessee Mexico: Estado de México	
(3) Activities	Manufacturing and sales of expanded polypropylene beads and molded products	
(4) Output capacity	25% increase	
(5) Investments	Approx. ¥1.0 billion (FY3/18-FY3/19)	



Acryace<sup>®</sup> DS JSP Corporation Engineered Plastic Foams

## Acryace<sup>®</sup> DS – A New Acrylic Resin



#### **Features**

- Outstanding strength (4 to 5 times more than glass)
- Does not shatter when broken
- Light weight (half the weight of glass)
- Easy to process
- Excellent weather resistance
  - Checker-pattern acrylic resin panels that can replace checkered glass
- Suitable for doors, furniture, store display cases and many other applications

# Cautionary statement with respect to forecasts

Forecasts are based on all the information currently available, and the actual results may differ due to various factors.

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