## **Business Report 2010**

March 1, 2009-February 28, 2010







## "youme," evolving and expanding

Committed to being a vital part of the community, and the number one store in the region.

# A whole new community within a community, built for freedom and fluidity of movement.

To revolutionize people's lifestyles, making them more enjoyable and active—this is the aim of Izumi, a company that works to build both communities and dreams. We develop shopping malls, which are large-scale, multi-purpose commercial complexes that offer easy access to and work synergistically with pre-existing shopping districts, and act as a driving force behind regional revitalization. These shopping malls blend harmoniously with surrounding natural and urban environments and community facilities, and feature an array of restaurants, amusements, cultural and community offerings and other facilities. They are entire new communities built for user-friendliness, comfort and a feeling of liberation, where people can enjoy shopping and leisure and make their dreams come true. We work to build commercial facilities and human environments that fit in closely with communities, meet the local needs, and make community residents glad that they chose to live there.

#### Creating a Community Full of Fun

We provide spaces for relaxation and enjoyment.
There's something to make everyone's life a little richer,
no matter what their age may be.

## More than just collections of stores, our facilities provide experiences that add something extra to the value of the stores themselves.

Supplying as much satisfaction, security and enjoyment as possible to people of all ages. This is the idea behind Izumi's "One-Stop Service." This idea is given shape in facilities that act as a new kind of town square, providing everything from fashion to furniture, interior goods, sporting goods, pet supplies, and a restaurant zone offering a wide variety of tempting fare. Not only in the quality of the products and services, but also in terms of sheer scale, Izumi's selection of specialty shops is one of the best nationwide, offering customers a higher standard of living and a more colorful lifestyle.





#### Satisfying your appetite for amusement

You Me Town boasts music stores with a stunning selection of CDs and DVDs, as well as video arcades, kids' areas, and much more to appeal to the playful spirit in all of us. Our goal is to provide places and opportunities for dreams to come true.

#### New ways for the whole family to have fun

Cinema complexes with cutting-edge sound systems, gourmet restaurants and cafes that are sure to satisfy, and center courts where you can relax and feel at ease. You Me Town shopping malls offer customers of any age new ways to enjoy their free time.

#### Communities full of comfort and convenience

Everything customers want, all under one roof.

The happiness and satisfaction we bring customers makes them want to come back time and again.

## We provide the ease and user-friendliness that only multi-purpose complexes can offer.

The latest merchandise and new ways to spend leisure time are all here under one roof. The convenience of getting everything done in one trip, without needing to change locations, frees up people's time and makes their lives easier. We at Izumi never stop thinking of ways to provide You Me Town shoppers with greater convenience and satisfaction. With this goal in mind, we continue listening to people's suggestions even after our facilities have been established, and act on this feedback to improve customer service and boost customer satisfaction.





#### Always trying to make customers' dreams come true

We offer a whole range of hobbies, culture and education to satisfy our customers' intellectual curiosity. For example, You Me Town shopping malls offer attractions such as large bookstores, "culture schools" providing lessons in skills like personal computing, photography studios, and more.

## Everything from public facilities and financial services to health care

A You Me Town shopping mall features everything that is necessary for daily life, including financial services (in-store branches and ATMs) and medical facilities (clinics and full-service pharmacies). In addition, You Me Town shopping malls are designed to offer easy access to public services and facilities such as aquariums, playing the role community centers providing total support to those living in the region.

# The Izumi Group is steadily making preparations for the next phase of our growth strategy.

It is with great pleasure that I extend my warmest greetings to our stockholders and investors.

In the fiscal year under review, the Japanese economy showed signs of hope related to exports, but consumer confidence remained low, and profit structures were buffeted by severe conditions exacerbated by unstable weather conditions and increasingly fierce price wars.

The Izumi Group is responding to the situation by closely tracking consumer behavior patterns and market trends, and continuing to face new challenges and pursue new innovations aimed at future growth.



Yasuaki Yamanishi President

In the apparel segment of our retail business, we implemented a thorough overhaul including introduction of high-performance items with price impact, enhanced appeal to customers through lower prices, and a new approach to customers of child-rearing age (our new You Me Kids shop), aiming to stimulate demand and develop a new customer base.

In the home goods category, we reconstructed sales floors for daily necessities, stationery items, gifts and kitchen products, and also worked to strengthen high-growth areas such as environmental and health-conscious products.

In the grocery section, we strove to offer unbeatable low prices, and updated the product lineup on a weekly basis to provide variety and excitement. In addition, we renewed our emphasis on freshness with a focus on locally produced foods and regional specialties shipped directly from the source.

In the store space rental segment of our business, we introduced tenants with competitive power in the marketplace, cooperated in joint sales promotion campaigns with our directly managed stores, engaged in the training of employees of tenant businesses, and otherwise worked to maximize the sales potential of tenants.

In terms of new store openings, 2009 saw the opening of two major new malls: the November opening of You Me Town Miyuki in Hiroshima, and the December opening of You Me Town City in Shimonoseki, Yamaguchi Prefecture. Both malls are tailored to the specific needs of their regions, offering one-stop shopping for all generations, and have been rewarded with a steady flow of satisfied customers.

To address smaller commercial regions that cannot be covered by the large You Me Town mall format, we have launched a new supercenter business category. It saw its start with the April 2010 renovation of You Me Town Tosu, and continues with Supercenter Izumi Ukiha in southeastern Fukuoka Prefecture, scheduled to open in late 2010. This new type of store is more compact in scale and has a smaller number of products and tenants, enabling us to maintain a community-based approach and achieve efficient business performance in smaller commercial districts.

These initiatives illustrate the Izumi Group's unflagging commitment to the product, sales and store-oriented innovations and new perspectives essential for the next phase of growth.



## The History of Izumi Co., Ltd.

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1946	Yoshimasa Yamanishi (the current chairperson) opens a stall outside the Hiroshima train station.
1950	Apparel wholesaler Yamanishi Shoten Co., Ltd., is established.
1961	Izumi Co., Ltd., is established and the first Izumi supermarket is opened.
1967	Second store is opened next to the Hiroshima train station.
1968	Hiring of large numbers of new college graduates begins.
1969	Okayama store is opened.
1970	Kure store is opened.
1972	Sun Mall outlet is opened.
1973	Gion store, the first suburban store is opened.
1974	Nihon Ryutsu Sangyo Co., Ltd. (Nichiryu), a cooperative buying organization, is established.
1977	Izumi joins the Japan Chain Stores Association.
1978	Stock is listed on the Osaka Securities Exchange, second section, and the Hiroshima Securities Exchange.
1980	Izumi changes the Japanese spelling of its company name ("Izumi" changes from hiragana to katakana).
1983	Total Quality Control (TQC) is introduced, and efforts are made to vitalize the entire organization.
1985	Point of sale (POS) system is introduced, and progress is made on integration of company information.
	Fashion boutique building Wiz Wonderland is opened.
1986	Stock is listed on the Tokyo Stock Exchange, second section, and the Osaka Securities Exchange, first section.
1987	Stock is listed on the Tokyo Stock Exchange, first section.
	ai Card is introduced.
1990	The You Me Town shopping center format is launched.
1000	X-sell Inc. is established as part of the Company's import business.
1991	Yoshimasa Yamanishi (the current chairperson) is awarded the Japanese Medal of Honor with blue ribbon for excellence in public
1001	service.
	The Company is awarded the Chugoku Regional Quality Control Award.
1993	Yasuaki Yamanishi is appointed as president and representative director.
1000	Yoshimasa Yamanishi is appointed as chairperson and representative director.
1994	The Izumi women's handball team is launched.
1334	Izumi becomes an official sponsor of the 14th Asian Handball Championships in Hiroshima.
1995	Izumi begins pursuing a growth strategy based on opening shopping malls in Kyushu.
1995	The first to open is the You Me Town Onga mall in Fukuoka.
1996	Eight new shopping malls are opened, including the Kyushu flagship mall You Me Town Chikushino.
1330	Izumi Food Service Co., Ltd., is established.
1997	The Izumi Museum of Art is founded.
1337	Youme Card Co., Ltd., is established.
1998	You Me Town Takamatsu, one of the largest retail facilities in west Japan, is opened.
1999	The Company receives two awards, the Hiroshima Josei Shonen Shitsu-cho Award for businesses that promote equal opportunities
1555	for men and women, and the Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare Award for businesses that provide employment opportunities
	for the disabled.
	The Izumi women's handball team becomes a "triple crown" winner for the first time in its history.
2000	Yumesaito, You Me Town Hakata, and You Me Town Yame malls are opened.
2000	You Me Town Omuta is opened.
2001	The Izumi women's handball team becomes the Hiroshima Maple Reds, representing the entire prefecture of Hiroshima.
2002	You Me Town Gakuen is opened.
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2002	Four large-scale stores are acquired from now-defunct retailer Nikonikodo Co., Ltd.
2003	City Park Hamada and You Me Town Kurume are opened.
2004	You Me Town Hikari no Mori is opened.
	The Company receives an Award for Excellence from the Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare for its promotion of active roles for
	women in the workplace.
	You Me Town Kure is opened.
000	City Park Kure (formerly Izumi Kure) is opened.
2005	You Me Town Yatsushiro is opened.
2006	You Me Town Saga is opened.
	The Company is awarded the Hiroshima Labour Bureau Chief's Award for family-friendly businesses.
2007	You Me Town Beppu is opened.
	You Me Town Hiroshima is opened.
2008	You Me Town Izumo is opened.
	You Me Town Mitoyo is opened.
	You Me Town Marugame is opened.

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#### Consolidated Financial Highlights

#### Revenue

¥492,140 million

(Year-to-year comparison) 98.4%

(Millions of yen)

#### Operating income

¥19,730 million

(Year-to-year comparison) 100.5%

(Millions of yen)

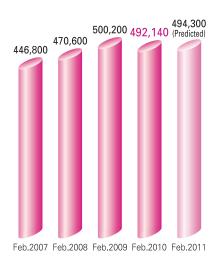
#### Net income for the period

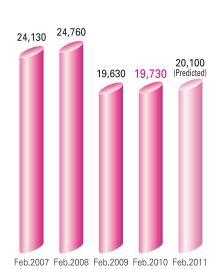
¥8,752 million

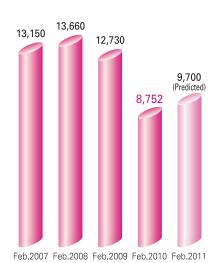
(Year-to-year comparison)

68.7%

(Millions of yen)









#### Cash dividends are set at ¥8 per share (for an annual dividend of ¥16 including the midterm dividend). In the future, we intend to maintain a strong business structure to ensure stable and substantial returns to our shareholders.

Cash dividend per share



## New You Me Town shopping malls are opening all over, each one reflecting the unique character of its region!

In accordance with our mid-range business outlook and strategy, Izumi Co., Ltd., is steadily moving forward with new store openings. Two major new malls were opened in 2009: November saw opening of You Me Town Miyuki in a rapidly growing part of Hiroshima City, and December saw the opening of You Me Town City in Shimonoseki, Yamaguchi Prefecture as part of a larger local development plan. In addition, we are preparing for the opening later this year of stores in our new supermarket category, the Ukiha store, and new additions to You Me Town Izumo. We will continue planning and building together with people and communities, and making every effort to meet the needs of people and communities.

## You Me Town Miyuki The key words are "unbeatable savings!"

Newly opened on November 6, 2009

Overview of facility Site area: 22,000 m² / Total floor area: 50,000 m² / Retail floor area: 17,250 m<sup>2</sup> / Parking capacity: 1,000 vehicles

## Casual, fun and affordable shopping keeps customers coming back again and again!

You Me Town Miyuki was developed with the theme of "unbeatable savings, unbeatable fun." With a customer base consisting of young families as well as single shoppers and senior citizens, this You Me Town is characterized by casual and affordable shopping.

Prices are kept to a minimum and value to a maximum. The lineup of daily necessities and other items has been thoroughly revised for quality, value and variety, and a new You Me Kids zone appeals to the mall's primary target customers, families with young children. You Me Kids has an extensive selection of products for expecting parents, newborns, weaning-stage infants, preschoolers and elementary school children, all at unbeatable low prices.



Natural materials and earth colors give the mall interior a warm and friendly feeling



You Me Kids is a big hit among families with children!



In the grocery section, price is not all that matters—freshness and appropriate portion sizes are priorities as well

## You Me City

An exciting addition to the urban center of Shimonoseki City!

Newly opened on December 3, 2009



The white-and-beige color scheme of the exterior creates a lively, clean impression

Overview of facility
(approximate figures)

Site area:  $61,000 \text{ m}^2$  / Total floor area:  $88,700 \text{ m}^2$  / Retail floor area:  $30,500 \text{ m}^2$  / Parking capacity: 2,200 vehicles

# You Me City was named by the residents of the community, and is rapidly growing into a new urban center where the dreams of residents come to life!

You Me City is located near the historic center of the city of Shimonoseki, in the midst of a rapidly developing area. The surrounding area is packed with roadside restaurants and specialty shops attracting large numbers of customers, and with its large-scale, distinctive exterior, the new You Me City has made a tremendous impact and attracted large numbers of customers since its opening.

You Me City owes its popularity in part to the way it was developed in collaboration with the community. Since the early planning stages, You Me City was positioned as a central facility in a Shimonoseki urban development project, and we are proud of the mall's key role in the future vision for the area. The name You Me City itself was chosen by members of the community through a public competition.

In accordance with the Shimonoseki vision of "a new city with eyes on the future," You Me City is helping to promote the economic vitalization of the entire region.



It's a blast to browse through the specialty shop section, with 140 retailers, 62 of which are making their first appearance in Yamaguchi Prefecture



"Unbeatable savings," "unbeatable freshness" and "unbeatable in Yamaguchi"—these are the three slogans of the grocery section

## You Me Town Izumo

More convenient than ever with a newly added tenant-occupied building!

Scheduled to reopen after expansion in summer 2010



Overview of facility

Site area: 3,500 m² / Total floor area: 4,800 m² / Retail floor area: 2,100 m² / Parking capacity: 90 vehicles

#### Super Sports Xebio will open its first outlet in the San'in region!

Since it first opened in June 2008, You Me Town Izumo has enjoyed great popularity among citizens of the region, and will now offer more shopping choices than ever after being expanded with an entire new building.

Super Sports Xebio will meet the needs of community residents, who specified a large-scale sporting goods store as the most urgent of their shopping needs. Super Sports Xebio will help all to lead a healthy lifestyle, from students to families to senior citizens.

## Supercenter Izumi Ukiha (tentative name)

Everything you need for daily life can be found on a single floor!

Scheduled for opening autumn 2010



Overview of facility (approximate figures)

Site area: 27,000 m² / Total floor area: 9,900 m² / Retail floor area: 7,300 m² / Parking capacity: 480 vehicles

The Company's new store category is focused on "unbeatable savings" and "unbeatable fun." While the You Me Town mall format has been successful in dominating large regions, there are gaps, which can be effectively filled by the smaller supercenter format. The first of these is Supercenter Izumi Ukiha in Ukiha City, in Fukuoka Prefecture.

The new format is geared toward frequent, even daily shopping, offering everything necessary for day-to-day life on a single floor. Maintaining the focus on "unbeatable savings" and "unbeatable fun," Izumi intends to move forward with opening convenient, affordable supercenter stores.



# A discount grocery store that combines "unbeatable savings" with uncompromising quality!

While the trend of thrift and focus on affordability continues, customers have recently placed increasing emphasis on quality and brand value.

Izumi and You Me Town have been quick to focus on these consumer trends and address them by developing a "high-sensitivity, low-price business model." Not only low prices, but also freshness and quality are emphasized, and the Izumi "discount grocery store" is not only affordable, but also a cheerful and comfortable shopping environment.

The first discount grocery store is found in the new You Me Town Miyuki mall, and the plan for this business year is to select four or five more appropriate locations and transform their grocery sections to fit the new business model.







## CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S.dollars
Izumi Co.,Ltd.and its subsidiaries As of Feb 28,2009 and Feb 28,2010	2009	2010	2010
(Assets)			
Current assets			
Cash and deposits	¥ 9,751	¥ 15,490	\$ 173,219
Notes and accounts receivable-trade	15,365	17,531	196,041
Inventories	25,425	_	_
Merchandise and finished goods	_	23,181	259,218
Work in process	_	69	774
Raw materials and supplies	_	288	3,221
Deferred tax assets	2,045	2,208	24,691
Other	18,335	16,871	188,658
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(983)	(930)	(10,408)
Total current assets	69,940	74,711	835,416
Noncurrent assets			
Property, plant and equipment			
Buildings and structures	260,612	273,071	3,053,470
Accumulated depreciation	(120,023)	(129,833)	(1,451,794)
Buildings and structures, net	140,589	143,237	1,601,676
Machinery, equipment and vehicles	5,635	5,713	63,892
Accumulated depreciation	(3,968)	(4,035)	(45,127)
Machinery, equipment and vehicles, net	1,666	1,678	18,765
Land	119,659	119,265	1,333,613
Lease assets	_	556	6,218
Accumulated depreciation	_	(28)	(316)
Lease assets, net	_	527	5,902
Construction in progress	828	617	6,901
Other	30,030	29,644	331,483
Accumulated depreciation	(21,034)	(21,529)	(240,738)
Other, net	8,996	8,115	90,744
Total property, plant and equipment	271,740	273,441	3,057,602
Intangible assets	8,125	7,654	85,590
Investments and other assets			
Investment securities	6,229	5,376	60,115
Long-term loans receivable	1,956	2,359	26,383
Deferred tax assets	5,933	4,116	46,034
Lease and guarantee deposits	18,322	18,351	205,201
Other	4,139	3,089	34,543
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(1,228)	(822)	(9,201)
Total investments and other assets	35,352	32,470	363,079
Total noncurrent assets	315,218	313,565	3,506,272
Total assets	385,159	388,277	4,341,689

	Millions	Millions of yen	
	2009	2010	2010
(Liabilities)			
Current liabilities			
Notes and accounts payable-trade	¥ 29,778	¥ 30,328	\$ 339,131
Short-term loans payable	22,543	21,080	235,715
Current portion of convertible bonds	19,075	_	_
Current portion of long-term loans payable	12,012	20,724	231,744
Accounts payable-other	19,440	16,163	180,735
Income taxes payable	781	6,100	68,216
Deferred tax liabilities	22	_	_
Provision for bonuses	1,540	1,588	17,763
Provision for directors' bonuses	10	12	134
Provision for point card certificates	953	1,067	11,938
Provision for loss on recollection of gift certificates	56	53	593
Provision for loss on demolition building	518	_	_
Other	6,085	7,453	83,344
Total current liabilities	112,818	104,572	1,169,317
Noncurrent liabilities			
Long-term loans payable	119,024	124,253	1,389,395
Lease obligations	_	524	5,859
Long-term lease and guarantee deposited	25,794	25,390	283,911
Provision for retirement benefits	5,259	5,487	61,363
Provision for directors' retirement benefits	1,262	1,163	13,005
Provision for loss on guarantees	1,100	_	_
Deferred tax liabilities	997	994	11,121
Provision for loss on interest repayment	342	692	7,741
Other	1,892	1,454	16,261
Total noncurrent liabilities	155,673	159,959	1,788,660
Total liabilities	268,491	264,531	2,957,977
(Net assets)			
Shareholders' equity			
Capital stock	19,613	19,613	219,320
Capital surplus	22,377	22,419	250,697
Retained earnings	100,061	107,288	1,199,695
Treasury stock	(32,708)	(32,705)	(365,715)
Total shareholders' equity	109,343	116,616	1,303,998
Valuation and translation adjustments	, -	,	
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	791	694	7,771
Foreign currency translation adjustment	(126)	(251)	(2,814)
Total valuation and translation adjustments	665	443	4,957
Minority interests	6,659	6,685	74,755
Total net assets	116,667	123,745	1,383,711
Total liabilities and net assets	385,159	388,277	4,341,689
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## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME

	Million	s of yen	Thousands of U.S.dollars
Izumi Co.,Ltd.and its subsidiaries For the years ended Feb 28, 2009 and Feb 28,2010	2009	2010	2010
Net sales	¥ 477,159	¥ 468,742	\$ 5,241,440
Cost of sales	372,259	367,868	4,113,474
Gross profit	104,899	100,873	
Operating revenue	23,134	23,398	261,643
Operating gross profit	128,034	124,272	1,389,608
Selling, general and administrative expenses	,	,	, ,
Advertising and promotion expenses	7,037	7,962	89,035
Distribution expenses	5,790	5,387	60,239
Provision of allowance for doubtful accounts	784	373	376,523
Employees' salaries and bonuses	34,583	33,672	17,735
Provision for bonuses	1,652	1,586	6,636
Welfare expenses	6,097	5,651	63,195
Retirement benefit expenses	651	593	63,555
Rent expenses	9,922	9,539	106,666
Utilities expenses	6,897	5,683	4,172
Depreciation	13,780	14,785	165,332
Provision for loss on interest repayment	_	893	9,996
Other	20,423	17,733	198,292
Total selling, general and administrative expenses	107,621	103,862	1,161,382
Operating income	20,412	20,410	228,226
Non-operating income			
Interest income	157	175	1,965
Dividends income	146	76	858
Purchase discounts	539	437	4,890
Gain on adjustment of account payable	141	136	1,523
Penalty income	258	228	2,551
Other	845	1,179	13,187
Total non-operating income	2,088	2,233	24,977
Non-operating expenses			
Interest expenses	2,015	2,290	25,611
Compensation expenses	296	124	1,388
Other	551	498	5,579
Total non-operating expenses	2,863	2,913	32,578
Ordinary income	19,638	19,730	220,625
Extraordinary income			
Gain on prior period adjustment	55	145	1,630
Gain on sales of noncurrent assets	88	10	122
Gain on sales of investment securities	83	_	_
Gain on sales of subsidiaries and affiliates' stocks	_	757	8,472
Reversal of allowance for doubtful accounts	184	_	_
Gain on forgiveness of debts	104	_	_
Reversal of provision for directors' retirement benefits	_	127	1,422
Reversal of provision for loss on guarantees	_	536	6,001
Other	3	42	472
Total extraordinary income	520	1,620	18,121
Extraordinary loss			
Loss on sales of noncurrent assets	6	64	716
Loss on retirement of noncurrent assets	1,532	783	8,757
Impairment loss	343	1,190	13,306
Provision for directors' retirement benefits	276	_	_
Provision for loss on recollection of gift certificates	57	_	_
Provision for loss on demolition builiding	518	_	_
Provision for loss on interest repayment	342	_	_
Loss on cancellation of store opening	115	_	_
Other	798	292	3,269
Total extraordinary losses	3,991	2,329	26,050
Income before income taxes and minority interests	16,167	19,021	212,696
Income taxes-current	3,823	8,018	89,663
Income taxes-deferred	(383)	1,683	18,822
Total income taxes	3,439	9,701	108,485
Minority interests in income (loss)	(7)	567	6,345
Net income	¥ 12,734	¥ 8,752	\$ 97,865

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

	Million	s of yen	Thousands of U.S.dollars
Izumi Co.,Ltd.and its subsidiaries For the years ended Feb 28, 2009 and Feb 28, 2010	2009	2010	2010
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities			
Income before income taxes and minority interests	¥ 16,167	¥ 19,021	\$ 212,696
Depreciation and amortization	14,094	15,115	169,024
Impairment loss	343	1,190	13,306
Amortization of goodwill	169		
Amortization of negative goodwill	_	(142)	(1,589)
Increase (decrease) in allowance for doubtful accounts	(285)	(47)	(535)
Interest and dividends income	(304)	(252)	(2,824)
Loss (gain) on sales of investment securities	42	_	_
Loss (gain) on sales of stocks of subsidiaries and affiliates	_	(757)	(8,472)
Interest expenses	2,015	2,290	25,611
Equity in (earnings) losses of affiliates	(187)	(159)	(1,786)
Loss (gain) on sales of noncurrent assets	(76)	53	593
Loss on retirement of property, plant and equipment	1,530	_	_
Loss on retirement of noncurrent assets	_	783	8,757
Decrease (increase) in notes and accounts receivable-trade	(3,099)	(2,163)	(24,192)
Decrease (increase) in inventories	856	1,881	21,034
Increase (decrease) in notes and accounts payable-trade	9,885	545	6,098
Other, net	4,473	1,778	19,887
Subtotal	45,627	39,135	437,607
Interest and dividends income received	353	335	3,749
Interest expenses paid	(1,798)	(2,267)	(25,357)
Income taxes paid	(8,081)	(2,775)	(31,033)
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	36,100	34,427	384,965
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	22,122		55.755
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(39,885)	(21,382)	(239,094)
Proceeds from sales of property, plant and equipment	1,907	162	1,811
Purchase of intangible assets	(3,125)	(483)	(5,402)
Purchase of investment securities	(50)	(12)	(135)
Proceeds from sales of investment securities	270	608	6,804
Purchase of investments in subsidiaries resulting in change in scope of consolidation	(29)	_	
Proceeds from purchase of investments in subsidiaries resulting in change in scope of consolidation	_	7	84
Proceeds from sales of investments in subsidiaries resulting in change in scope of consolidation	_	12	139
Other, net	1,461	833	9,317
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	(39,451)	(20,253)	(226,475)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	, , ,		. , ,
Net increase (decrease) in short-term loans payable	(19,176)	(1,464)	(16,370)
Proceeds from long-term loans payable	44,600	27,900	311,975
Repayment of long-term loans payable	(17,976)	(13,957)	(156,075)
Redemption of convertible bonds	_	(19,070)	(213,239)
Purchase of treasury stock	(7)	(1)	(20)
Cash dividends paid	(1,514)	(1,524)	(17,045)
Cash dividends paid to minority shareholders	(20)	(20)	(224)
Other, net	(2,222)	(255)	(2,851)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	3,683	(8,393)	(93,851)
Effect of exchange rate change on cash and cash equivalents	(11)	(11)	(123)
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	321	5,769	64,514
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	9,429	9,751	109,036
Decrease in cash and cash equivalents resulting from exclusion of subsidiaries from consolidation	_	(29)	(331)
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	9,751	15,490	173,219

### Corporate Data Izumi Co., Ltd. (As of February 28, 2010)

#### Izumi Corporate Profile

Date of establishment: October 27, 1961

Head office: 2-22 Kyobashi-cho, Minami-ku, Hiroshima 732-0828, Japan

Tel: +81-82-264-3211

Paid-in capital: ¥19,613 million

Employees: 2,664 full-time, 4,802 part-time (working eight-hour shifts)

Number of malls/stores: 85

Chugoku Region	55	Kyushu Region	20	Other Regions	10
Hiroshima Pref.	30	Fukuoka Pref.	9	Kagawa Pref.	3
Okayama Pref.	10	Saga Pref.	3	Hyogo Pref.	3
Yamaguchi Pref.	9	Oita Pref.	2	Others	4
Shimane Pref.	6	Nagasaki Pref.	1		
		Kumamoto Pref.	5		

#### Stock information

Total number of shares issued by the Company

Total number of outstanding shares

Number of shareholders

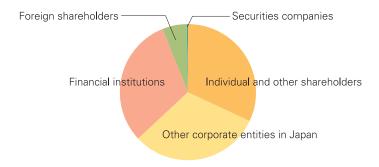
Lot size

195,243,000 shares

123,117,420 shares

5,023

#### Distribution of stock (excluding odd-lot shares)





#### Major shareholders

Shareholder name	Number of shares held (unit: thousands)	Percentage of total shares
Izumiya, Ltd.	11,501	12.07%
Yamanishi World, Ltd.	8,433	8.85%
Nippon Life Insurance Co.	5,214	5.47%
The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd.	4,724	4.96%
Izumi Kousan Co., Ltd.	4,104	4.31%
Daiichi Life Insurance Co.	4,030	4.23%
The Master Trust Bank of Japan, Ltd. (Trust Account)	3,998	4.20%
Japan Trustee Services Bank, Ltd. (Trust Account)	3,973	4.17%
Izumi Hiroshima Kyoeikai	2,820	2.96%
Japan Trustee Services Bank, Ltd. (Trust Account 9)	2,429	2.55%