

Interim Consolidated Financial Summary for the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2008

November 16, 2007

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(discarding fractional amounts of less than 1 million yen)

Consolidated financial results for the six months ended September 30, 2007

(1) Operating results

	Ordinary Revenues		Ordinary Profit		Net Income	
	millions of yen	% change	millions of yen	% change	millions of yen	% change
For the six months ended September 30, 2007	404,685	14.1	27,551	54.2	16,710	51.8
For the six months ended September 30, 2006	354,728	-2.2	17,862	-25.8	11,006	-20.7
For the year ended March 31, 2007	759,280	-	18,354	-	10,021	-

	Net Income per Share	Net Income per Share (Fully Diluted)
	yen	yen
For the six months ended September 30, 2007	7,957.33	-
For the six months ended September 30, 2006	5,241.05	-
For the year ended March 31, 2007	4,772.09	-

Note: Equity in earnings of affiliates: For the six months ended September 30, 2007: ¥ - million

¥ - million For the six months ended September 30, 2006: ¥ - million For the year ended March 31, 2007:

(2) Financial condition

	Total Assets	Total Net Assets	Net Assets Ratio	Net Assets per Share
	millions of yen	millions of yen	%	yen
As of September 30, 2007	4,650,428	286,030	6.1	134,022.97
As of September 30, 2006	4,019,623	253,372	6.2	118,588.52
As of March 31, 2007	4,323,780	270,179	6.1	126,549.38

As of September 30, 2007: ¥ 281,448 million Notes: 1. Stockholder's equity: ¥ 249,035 million As of September 30, 2006: ¥ 265,753 million As of March 31, 2007:

Stockholder's equity is computed by excluding minority interests from total net assets at the end of fiscal period.

2. Net assets ratio is computed by dividing the amount of total net assets excluding minority interests by total assets at the end of the fiscal period.

(3) Cash Flows

	Cash Flows from Operating Activities	Cash Flows from Investing Activities	Cash Flows from Financing Activities	Cash and Cash Equivalents at end of the fiscal period
	million of yen	million of yen	million of yen	million of yen
For the six months ended September 30, 2007	119,778	(218,733)	(6,500)	168,345
For the six months ended September 30, 2006	85,079	(37)	(6,500)	187,813
For the year ended March 31, 2007	258,171	(87,215)	(6,500)	273,760

2. Dividends

	Dividend per Share				
Fiscal year	Interim dividend	Annual dividend	Total		
	yen	yen	yen		
For the year ended March 31, 2007	-	3,095.24	3,095.24		
For the year ending March 31, 2008	-		2 000 00		
For the year ending March 31, 2008(projection)		3,000.00	3,000.00		

3. Projected consolidated financial results for the year ending March 31, 2008

(percentage figures represent changes from the results of the previous fiscal year)

	Ordinary Re	evenues	Ordinary	Profit	Net Inco	ome	Net Income per Share
	millions of yen	% change	millions of yen	% change	millions of yen	% change	yen
For the year ending March 31, 2008	809,000	6.5	35,000	90.7	21,000	109.6	9,833.05

4. Other Information

(1) Significant changes in subsidiaries during the fiscal period

Newly consolidated: Sony Bank Securities Inc.

Excluded : None

(Note) Refer to "Status of the Corporate Group", on page 11, for details.

(2) Changes in significant accounting principles, policies and presentation

(a) Changes due to revision of accounting standards : Yes

(b) Changes due to other reason : None

(Note) Refer to "Summary of Significant Accounting Policies", on page 20, for details.

(3) Number of shares outstanding

(a) Number of shares outstanding (including treasury shares)

As of September 30, 2007: 2,100,000 shares As of September 30, 2006: 2,100,000 shares As of March 31, 2007: 2,100,000 shares

(b) Number of treasury shares

As of September 30, 2007:
As of September 30, 2006:
As of March 31, 2007:
- shares
- shares

As of March 31, 2007: - shares (Note) Refer to "Per Share Information", on page 24, for number of shares used in calculating net income per share.

I. Operating Performance

1. Analysis of Operating Performance

Ordinary revenues grew 14.1% during the six months ended September 30, 2007 (April 1, 2007 to September 30, 2007) compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to \(\frac{1}{2}\)404.6 billion, owing to performance increases in all of our businesses: life insurance, non-life insurance and banking.

In the life insurance business, the amount of insurance in force remained robust, boosting income from insurance premiums, while general account investment income also increased, resulting in a 14.3% increase in ordinary revenues compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to \(\frac{4}{3}65.7\) billion. In the non-life insurance business, net premiums written increased in line with a steady rise in the number of policies, mainly automobile insurance policies, pushing up ordinary revenues 8.2% compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to \(\frac{4}{2}7.7\) billion. In the banking business, higher business volume pushed up interest income, such as interest on loans. Ordinary revenues consequently increased 20.2% compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to \(\frac{4}{2}1.5\) billion.

Ordinary expenses increased 12.0% compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to \(\frac{1}{2}\)377.1 billion, in line with increased expenses in all of our businesses.

In the life insurance business, ordinary expenses grew 12.6% compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to \$341.7 billion, owing to an increase in the provision for policy reserve and others, as well as an increase in insurance claims and other payments, paralleling the increase in the amount of insurance in force. In the non-life insurance business, net losses paid increased in line with an increase in the number of policies in force, causing ordinary expanses to grow 4.1%, to \$25.7 billion. In the banking business, higher interest expenses pushed up ordinary expenses 11.6% compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to \$10.1 billion.

Ordinary profit increased 54.2% compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to ¥27.5 billion, reflecting stronger performance in all of our businesses, as described above. Broken down by business, in the life insurance business ordinary profit was up 47.2% compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to ¥24.0 billion; in the non-life insurance business ordinary profit was up 116.0%, to ¥2.0 billion; and in the banking business ordinary profit was up 151.5%, to ¥1.4 billion.

Sony Financial Holdings Inc. ("SFH") posted **extraordinary losses** of ¥1.6 billion, owing mainly to an increase in the provision for reserves for price fluctuation in the life insurance business.

Net income rose 51.8% compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to ¥16.7 billion, reflecting the increase in ordinary profit, which was partially offset by the extraordinary losses.

Segment Information by Business

Ordinary Revenues

(Millions of yen)

	For the six months ended September 30, 2006	For the six months ended September 30, 2007	Change (%)
Life insurance business	¥ 319,920	¥ 365,732	+14.3
Non-life insurance business	25,688	27,792	+8.2
Banking business	9,641	11,584	+20.2
Subtotal	355,250	405,109	+14.0
Corporate and eliminations	(521)	(424)	_
Consolidated	354,728	404,685	+14.1

Ordinary Profit

(Millions of yen)

	For the six months ended September 30, 2006	For the six months ended September 30, 2007	Change (%)
Life insurance business	¥ 16,307	¥ 24,010	+47.2
Non-life insurance business	933	2,017	+116.0
Banking business	590	1,483	+151.5
Subtotal	17,831	27,511	+54.3
Corporate and eliminations	31	40	+27.2
Consolidated	17,862	27,551	+54.2

(Financial Results Forecast for FY2007)

SFH's financial results forecast for FY2007 (the fiscal year ending March 31, 2008) is as follows. No changes have been made to the consolidated results forecast previously announced on October 25, 2007.

Consolidated

(Billions of yen)

				(Billions of year)
		Ordinary revenues	Ordinary profit	Net income
Full year	Current forecast announcement	¥ 809.0	¥ 35.0	¥ 21.0
	(Reference)			
	Actual financial results for previous term (FY2006)	759.2	18.3	10.0

2. Analysis of Financial Condition

(1) Assets, Liabilities and Net Assets

As of September 30, 2007, total assets of \(\frac{\pmathbf{4}}{4}\),650.4 billion represented an increase of 15.7% from September 30, 2006 and an increase of 7.6% from March 31, 2007.

The principal reasons for this increase were \(\frac{\text{\frac{4}}}{2}\), 812.7 billion in securities (up 8.9% from September 30, 2006), mostly Japanese government and corporate bonds, \(\frac{\text{\frac{4}}}{7}\), billion in monetary trusts (up 18.9%), \(\frac{\text{\frac{4}}}{2}\), \(\frac{\text{\frac{4}

Total liabilities amounted to \(\frac{\pmathbf{4}}{4}\),364.3 billion, up 15.9% from September 30, 2006 and up 7.7% from March 31, 2007. One of the largest components of liabilities, policy reserve and others, increased 12.5% from the end of the previous fiscal year, to \(\frac{\pmathbf{3}}{3}\),326.7 billion.

Total net assets amounted to \(\frac{\pmathbf{2}}{286.0}\) billion, up 12.9% from September 30, 2006 and up 5.9% from March 31, 2007. Of this amount, net unrealized gains on other securities, net of taxes, increased 20.8% from September 30, 2006, to \(\frac{\pmathbf{1}}{130.1}\) billion.

(2) Cash Flows

Net cash provided by operating activities was \\pm\$119.7 billion, up \\\pm\$34.6 billion compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, despite a net increase in call loans and bills bought, owing mainly to a net increase in call money and bills sold and a net increase in deposits.

Net cash used in investing activities was up ¥218.6 billion compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to ¥218.7 billion, owing mainly to an increase in payments for purchases of securities.

Net cash used in financing activities was ¥6.5 billion as a result of cash dividends paid, remaining flat compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year.

As a result of the above factors, cash and cash equivalents at September 30, 2007, were \\$168.3 billion, down \\$105.4 billion from March 31, 2007.

(3) Net Assets Ratio and Net Assets Ratio Based on Market Value

	As of September 30, 2006	As of September 30, 2007
Net assets ratio	6.2%	6.1%
Net assets ratio based on market value	_	_

Notes: 1. Net assets ratio: stockholder's equity/total assets x 100

2. Net assets ratio based on market value: total market capitalization/total assets x 100

3. Basic Policy on Returns to Stockholders and Dividends for FY2007

SFH considers the steady increase of returns to its stockholders, as well as an increasing return on equity, among its most important management tasks.

SFH's basic policy on returning profits to its stockholders is to promote stable dividends while maintaining the high level of financial soundness necessary to acquire and maintain customers' trust while securing sufficient retained earnings to enter into and develop businesses in the future.

Although we do not plan to pay an interim dividend for FY2007, in keeping with the basic policy outlined above we expect to pay an annual dividend of \(\frac{\pma}{3}\),000 per share.

4. Information Concerning Significant Subsidiaries

Below, we describe the operating performance for the six months ended September 30, 2007 (April 1, 2007 to September 30, 2007) of SFH' significant subsidiaries: Sony Life Insurance Co., Ltd. (Sony Life), Sony Assurance Inc. (Sony Assurance) and Sony Bank Inc. (Sony Bank). Sony Life, Sony Assurance and Sony Bank each separately announce their own results; please refer to the individual companies' websites for more detailed information.

■ Sony Life (Non-Consolidated)

On a non-consolidated basis, Sony Life posted a 14.4% increase in ordinary revenues compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to \(\frac{4}{3}65.6\) billion, as the amount of insurance in force remained robust, boosting income from insurance premiums, while general account investment income also increased. Ordinary profit increased 48.5% compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to \(\frac{4}{2}4.0\) billion, and net income grew 30.8%, to \(\frac{4}{1}3.0\) billion. Core profit amounted to \(\frac{4}{1}3.9\) billion.

Income from insurance premiums grew 9.7% compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to ¥318.5 billion, as the amount of insurance in force increased. Compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, investment income increased 55.8%, to ¥44.7 billion, and investment expenses rose 349.4%, to ¥9.0 billion. Consequently, net investment income grew 33.7%, to ¥35.7 billion. Insurance claims and other payments increased 15.5% compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to ¥117.4 billion. Operating expenses rose 9.0%, to ¥45.6 billion.

Policy amount in force, which is the total policy amount in force for individual life insurance and individual annuities, grew steadily during the term. Policy amount in force was up 4.1% from September 30, 2006, to \(\frac{4}{30}\),878.7 billion. The lapse and surrender rate was up 0.20 percentage points compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to 3.01%. Annualized premiums from insurance in force rose 5.9% from September 30, 2006, to \(\frac{4}{5}\)17.4 billion. Of this amount, the amount attributable to third-sector products rose 5.8%, to \(\frac{4}{120.5}\) billion.

New insurance sales, which is the total policy amount for new sales of individual life insurance and individual annuities, rose 11.0% compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to ¥1,879.3 billion, primarily due to strong sales of death protection products. Annualized premiums from new insurance sales fell 1.0% compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to ¥31.2 billion. For third-sector products, annualized premiums from new insurance sales fell 4.2%, to ¥6.5 billion.

Net unrealized gains on securities rose 20.2% from September 30, 2006, to \(\frac{4}{2}\)06.4 billion.

(1) Principal Income and Expense Items

(Millions of yen)

	For the six months ended September 30, 2006	For the six months ended September 30, 2007	Change in amount (%) or change in percentage (pt)
Ordinary revenues	¥ 319,716	¥ 365,658	+14.4
Ordinary profit	16,210	24,069	+48.5
Core profit	13,358	13,962	+4.5
Net income	9,998	13,073	+30.8
Income from insurance premiums	290,258	318,541	+9.7
Investment income	28,723	44,742	+55.8
Insurance claims and other payments	101,713	117,476	+15.5
Investment expenses	2,010	9,036	+349.4
Operating expenses	41,899	45,679	+9.0
Lapse and surrender rate (%) (Note)	2.81	3.01	+0.20 pt

Note: The lapse and surrender rate is calculated without offsetting policies that are reinstated.

	As of September 30, 2006	As of September 30, 2007	As of March 31, 2007
Total assets	¥ 3,204,385	¥ 3,607,135	¥ 3,445,970
Solvency margin ratio (%)	1,582.8	1,870.0	1,852.0
Net unrealized gains on securities	171,756	206,474	198,259

(2) Insurance in Force

Policy Amount Basis

(Billions of yen)

	As of September 30, 2006	As of September 30, 2007	Change (%)	As of March 31, 2007
Individual insurance	¥ 29,487.0	¥ 30,643.7	+3.9	¥ 30,038.1
Individual annuity	187.2	235.0	+25.5	206.3
Total	29,674.3	30,878.7	+4.1	30,244.4

Note: Total policy amount in force is equal to the sum of (a) the funds to be held at the time annuity payments are to commence for policies for which annuity payments have not yet commenced and (b) the amount of policy reserve for policies for which payments have commenced.

Number of Policies Basis

(Thousands of policies)

	As of September 30, 2006	As of September 30, 2007	Change (%)	As of March 31, 2007
Individual insurance	3,959	4,247	+7.3	4,109
Individual annuity	32	40	+26.9	35
Total	3,991	4,288	+7.4	4,145

(3) New Insurance Sales

Policy Amount Basis

(Billions of yen)

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	For the six months ended September 30, 2006	For the six months ended September 30, 2007	Change (%)
Individual insurance	¥ 1,679.9	¥ 1,849.3	+10.1
Individual annuity	13.6	29.9	+119.0
Total	1,693.6	1,879.3	+11.0

Note: Amounts for individual annuity products indicate the funds to be held at the time annuity payments are to commence.

Number of Policies Basis

(Thousands of policies)

	For the six months ended September 30, 2006	For the six months ended September 30, 2007	Change (%)
Individual insurance	248	250	+0.8
Individual annuity products	2	5	+106.4
Total	250	255	+1.9

(4) Annualized Premiums

<u>Insurance in Force</u>

(Millions of yen)

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	As of September 30,	As of September 30,	Change	As of March 31, 2007
	2006	2007	(%)	
Individual insurance	¥ 482,231	¥ 509,465	+5.6	¥ 497,570
Individual annuity	6,958	8,024	+21.6	7,121
Total	488,830	517,490	+5.9	504,691
Of which, medical				
protection, living benefit	113,961	120,530	+5.8	117,466
protection, etc.				

New Insurance Sales

(Millions of ven)

	For the six months ended September 30, 2006	For the six months ended September 30, 2007	Change (%)
Individual insurance	¥ 30,965	¥ 30,067	(2.9)
Individual annuity	577	1,158	+100.5
Total	31,543	31,225	(1.0)
Of which, medical protection, living benefit protection, etc.	6,883	6,593	(4.2)

Notes:

- 1. Annualized premiums refer to an amount that is calculated by multiplying individual premium amounts by a coefficient that differs depending on the premium payment methods, thereby converting the figure to a per-year premium. (For single-payment policies, premiums are divided by the coverage period.)
- 2. Medical protection and living benefit protection products include products with medical protection benefits (hospitalization benefits, surgical procedure benefits, etc.) and products with living benefit protection (benefits for specific illnesses, nursing care benefits, etc.).

■ Sony Assurance

In terms of insurance underwriting, direct premiums written grew 8.6% compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to \(\frac{4}{2}7.3\) billion, in line with a rise in the number of automobile insurance policies. Net premiums written grew 8.1% compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to \(\frac{4}{2}7.4\) billion. In tandem with the increase in number of policies, net losses paid increased 7.6%, to \(\frac{4}{12.4}\) billion. As a result, the net loss ratio improved 0.1 percentage point compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to 51.1%. The net expense ratio improved 0.6 percentage points, to 25.3%, owing to ongoing increases in operating efficiency. Also, provision for underwriting reserve decreased \(\frac{4}{9}0.5\) billion compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, due to a revision in the method of calculating this reserve for SURE medical and cancer insurance. Consequently, underwriting profits amounted to \(\frac{4}{1}.7\) billion, and the combined ratio (the sum of the net loss ratio and the net expense ratio) improved 0.7 percentage points compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to 76.4%.

(1) Principal Income and Expense Items

(Millions of yen)

	For the six months ended September 30, 2006	For the six months ended September 30, 2007	Change in amount (%) or change in percentage (pt)
Ordinary revenues	¥ 25,688	¥ 27,792	+8.2
Ordinary profit	933	2,017	+116.0
Net income	747	1,956	+161.8
Net loss ratio (%)	51.2	51.1	(0.1) pt
Net expense ratio (%)	25.9	25.3	(0.6) pt
Underwriting profits	677	1,745	+157.8

	As of September 30, 2006	As of September 30, 2007	As of March 31, 2007
Total assets	¥ 61,298	¥ 73,498	¥ 67,468
Solvency margin ratio (%)	971.9	1,067.7	1,009.7

(2) Direct Premiums Written

(Millions of ven)

Type of policy	For the six months ended September 30, 2006	For the six months ended September 30, 2007	Change (%)
Fire	¥ 49	¥ 132	+169.1
Marine	_	_	_
Personal accident	2,809	3,116	+10.9
Voluntary automobile	22,302	24,070	+7.9
Compulsory automobile			
liability	_	_	_
Total	25,161	27,319	+8.6

(3) Net Premiums Written

(Millions of yen)

Type of policy	For the six months ended September 30, 2006	For the six months ended September 30, 2007	Change (%)
Fire	¥ 4	¥ 7	+86.7
Marine	21	22	+4.5
Personal accident	2,876	3,183	+10.7
Voluntary automobile	22,220	23,966	+7.9
Compulsory automobile			
liability	272	284	+4.4
Total	25,394	27,464	+8.1

(4) Net Losses Paid

(Millions of yen)

Type of policy	For the six months ended September 30, 2006	For the six months ended September 30, 2007	Change (%)
Fire	¥ 0	¥ 0	+763.2
Marine	16	10	(34.0)
Personal accident	443	568	+28.3
Voluntary automobile	10,946	11,681	+6.7
Compulsory automobile			
liability	193	217	+12.5
Total	11,599	12,478	+7.6

■ Sony Bank (Non-Consolidated)

Sony Bank's ordinary revenues increased 20.1% compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to ¥11.5 billion, as a higher balance of mortgage loans resulted in increased interest on loans, leading to higher interest income. Owing to the rise in gross operating profit, ordinary profit increased 167.6% compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to ¥1.5 billion. As a result of the above factors and an increase in deferred income taxes, Sony Bank's net income increased substantially, to ¥2.0 billion.

Boosted by such factors as higher net interest income, gross operating profit grew 21.5% compared with the first half of the prior fiscal year, to \(\frac{4}{5}\).4 billion. Breaking down gross operating profit, net interest income increased 23.6%, to \(\frac{4}{2}\).4 billion, as a result of a larger balance of invested assets through the expansion of operations. Net fees and commissions grew 143.6%, to \(\frac{4}{2}\).3 billion, as a larger investment trust balance pushed up fees and commissions received. Net other income increased 13.2%, to \(\frac{4}{2}\).6 billion, as market investment profit improved.

As of September 30, 2007, the balance of customer assets (the sum of total deposits and total investment trusts) exceeded \$1 trillion, largely due to an increase in the balance of yen time deposits. The balance amounted to \$1,006.0 billion, up \$157.1 billion, or 18.5%, from March 31, 2007. Total yen and foreign currency deposits grew \$136.0 billion, or 18.1% compared to March 31, 2007, to \$888.4 billion. As of September 30, 2007, investment trusts were up \$21.0 billion compared with March 31, 2007, or 21.8%, to \$117.6 billion, and loans were up \$34.4 billion, or 12.1%, to \$319.1 billion.

On September 30, 2007, total deposit accounts numbered 532 thousand, up 74 thousand from September 30, 2006 and up 41 thousand from March 31, 2007. As of September 30, 2007, the bank's capital adequacy ratio, based on domestic criteria, was 10.94%.

(1) Principal Income and Expense Items

(Millions of ven)

	For the six months ended	For the six months ended	Change (%)
	September 30, 2006	September 30, 2007	Change (70)
Ordinary revenues	¥ 9,641	¥ 11,581	+20.1
Ordinary profit	590	1,579	+167.6
Net income	169	2,045	+1,109.7
Gross operating profit	4,506	5,474	+21.5
Net interest income	2,014	2,489	+23.6
Net fees and commissions	125	306	+143.6
Net other operating income	2,366	2,677	+13.2
General and administrative expenses	3,878	3,875	(0.1)
Net operating profit	616	1,587	+157.4

	As of September 30, 2006	As of September 30, 2007	As of March 31, 2007
Total assets	¥ 751,018	¥ 966,117	¥ 806,848
Capital adequacy ratio			
(domestic criteria) (%)	10.52	10.94	11.49

Note: Capital adequacy ratios as of March 31, 2007 and September 30, 2007 were calculated based on the standard stipulated in the Financial Services Agency Public Announcement No. 19 of 2006. The capital adequacy ratio as of September 30, 2006 was calculated based on the standard stipulated in the former public announcement.

(2) Customer Assets (Total of Deposits and Investment Trusts) and Number of Accounts

(Billions of yen)

	As of September 30, 2006	As of September 30, 2007	Year-on-year change (%)	As of March 31, 2007	Change from March 31, 2007 (%)
Deposits	¥ 682.7	¥ 888.4	+30.1	¥ 752.3	+18.1
Yen deposits	540.6	708.8	+31.1	604.4	+17.3
Foreign currency deposits	142.0	179.6	+26.4	147.8	+21.5
Investment trusts	80.0	117.6	+47.0	96.5	+21.8
Customer assets	762.7	1,006.0	+31.9	848.8	+18.5
Number of accounts (thousands)	458	532	+16.1	491	+8.4

(3) Loans

(Billions of yen)

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	As of September 30, 2006	As of September 30, 2007	Change from September 30, 2006 (%)	As of March 31, 2007	Change from March 31, 2007 (%)
Mortgage loans	¥ 243.3	¥ 311.4	+28.0	¥ 278.0	+12.0
Other	5.8	7.6	+31.5	6.6	+14.2
Total	249 1	319.1	+28.1	284 7	+12.1

II. Status of the Corporate Group

On April 1, 2004, SFH was established as a financial holding company (an insurance holding company) and a bank holding company) through a corporate separation from Sony Corporation.

As of September 30, 2007, the SFH Group includes as direct subsidiaries Sony Life, Sony Assurance and Sony Bank, and as indirect subsidiaries Sony Life Insurance (Philippines) Corporation, a subsidiary of Sony Life, and Sony Bank Securities Inc., a subsidiary of Sony Bank.

SFH was a wholly owned subsidiary of Sony Corporation as of September 30, 2007. Following the listing of SFH' shares on the First Section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange on October 11, 2007, Sony Corporation held 60% of the shares of SFH as of this announcement (November 16, 2007).

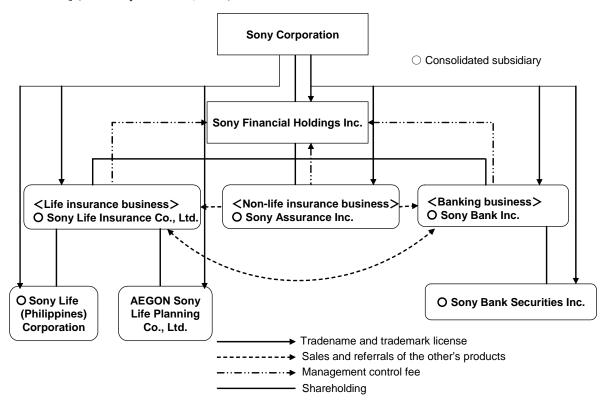
The following is an overview of the operations of the SFH Group:

Sony Financial Holdings Inc. (oversees the operations of its subsidiaries and undertakes related duties)

Directly Held and Indirectly Held Subsidiaries

- < Life insurance business>
- Sony Life Insurance Co., Ltd. (Wholly owned by SFH)
- Sony Life Insurance (Philippines) Corporation (Wholly owned by Sony Life)
- < Non-life insurance business>
- Sony Assurance Inc. (Wholly owned by SFH)
- < Banking business>
- Sony Bank Inc. (88% owned by SFH)
- Sony Bank Securities Inc. (Wholly owned by Sony Bank)

[Organizational chart] (As of September 30, 2007)



Note: In August 2007, AEGON Sony Life Planning Co., Ltd. was established as an affiliate of Sony Life. AEGON Sony Life Planning Co., Ltd. is not included as an equity-method affiliate in the scope of consolidation in the FY2007 interim financial period.

III. Management Policies

1. Company's Basic Management Policies

Basic Management Policies

The SFH Group positions its corporate vision and philosophy as the basic policy for setting management strategy and expediting management decision-making. The Group's corporate vision and philosophies are described below.

a. Corporate Vision

The SFH Group aims to integrate the diverse functions that are inherent to financial services, offer high-value-added products and quality services that meet individual customers' economic needs, and become one of Japan's most trusted financial services groups.

b. Corporate Philosophy

(Customer-Oriented)

We consider each customer's input carefully and provide services to their satisfaction, striving to help them lead lives that are abundant and trouble-free.

(Contributing to Society)

We understand that financial services businesses have a certain public nature. As we pursue our vision, we contribute to society by maintaining high ethical standards and levels of responsibility. We also fulfill our other obligations as a member of society and a good corporate citizen.

(Pursuing Originality)

We always generate ideas from the fundamentals, and pursue originality and innovation while remaining unfettered by convention.

(Corporate Culture with a Spirit of Freedom and Open-Mindedness)

Our ideal for the financial services business recognizes the importance of each employee's contribution. Our corporate culture features a spirit of freedom and open-mindedness and takes full advantage of individuality and ability.

2. Key Management Benchmarks

The SFH Group aims to raise its corporate value by providing optimal products and services that integrate the diverse functions inherent to such financial services as savings, investment, borrowing and protection. The Group has designated consolidated ordinary revenues, consolidated ordinary profit, consolidated net income and adjusted ROE as specific indicators of success in achieving its objective of maintaining soundness as a financial institution. Adjusted ROE is calculated as follows.

- Adjusted ROE = adjusted profit ÷ adjusted capital
- · Adjusted profit is calculated as the sum of the following:
 - 1) Life insurance business: The amount of increase in Sony Life's embedded value (adjusted net worth plus value of in force business) during the fiscal year plus dividends paid by Sony Life with respect to that fiscal year;
- 2) Non-life insurance business: The net income of Sony Assurance plus its provision for special catastrophe reserve and its provision for reserve for price fluctuations, in each case after taxes; and
- 3) Banking Business: Net income of Sony Bank.
- Adjusted capital is calculated as the sum of the following:
 - 1) Life insurance business: The embedded value of Sony Life as of the beginning of the fiscal year less dividends paid by Sony Life with respect to that fiscal year plus the embedded value of Sony Life as of the end of the fiscal year, divided by two;
 - 2) Non-life insurance business: The net assets of Sony Assurance as of the beginning of the fiscal year plus the sum of its special catastrophe reserve and its reserve for price fluctuations, in each case after taxes, plus the net assets of Sony Assurance as of the end of the fiscal year plus the sum of its special catastrophe reserve and its reserve for price fluctuations, in each case after taxes, divided by two; and
- 3) Banking business: The net assets of Sony Bank as of the beginning of the fiscal year plus the net assets of Sony Bank as of the end of the fiscal year, divided by two.

Adjusted profit and adjusted capital take into consideration dividends from the group subsidiaries and other special factors.

3. Medium- to Long-Term Management Strategies

The SFH Group aims to maximize the corporate value of the Group over the medium to long term by implementing the management strategies outlined below.

(a) Sustainable and Stable Growth of Group Companies

Sony Life: Sony Life provides detailed tailored consulting and follow-up services through life

insurance professionals—Lifeplanner (sales employees) and Partner (independent agencies)—who have broad-ranging expertise and extensive experience in such areas as economics, finance and taxation. Sony Life strives to strengthen its capabilities and hone its competitive edge in the individual life insurance market by providing "LIFEPLANNER VALUE" that goes beyond the traditional boundaries of life insurance

in a way that only Sony Life can.

Sony Assurance: Drawing on the strengths of its position as a direct insurance provider that communicates

with customers primarily via the telephone and the Internet, Sony Assurance strives to interact directly with each of its customers. By reflecting customer opinions and needs in its products and services, the company is strengthening its base of operations through

focused activity and by offering reasonably priced insurance premiums.

Sony Bank: Sony Bank is an Internet bank focused on the needs of individual customers. By

maximizing information technologies, the bank works to provide fair and highly convenient financial products and services. By ensuring its trustworthiness in such ways,

the bank is working to expand its operations further.

(b) Fostering Synergy among Group Companies

In addition to the growth of each company within the Group, we seek to enhance synergies among the companies of the SFH Group. Such efforts include the joint offering of products and services, the sharing of distribution channels and infrastructure and other forms of collaboration. By increasing intra-group synergies, SFH aims to offer customers attractive and high-value-added products and services that are unmatched by conventional financial institutions.

(c) Expanding into New Business Fields, Outside the Existing Framework

Through the growth of Group companies and increased synergies within the Group, we aim to move beyond the existing framework of the SFH Group. We are examining active advancements into new business fields that will raise our corporate value even further.

4. Tasks Ahead for the Company

In addition to changes in the macroeconomic environment, such as a society characterized by a declining population, competition in the life insurance industry is becoming more stringent owing to several factors: the liberalization of additional policy premiums, the market entry of Japan Post Insurance Co., Ltd., following the October 2007 privatization of Japan Post, and the expected December 2007 lifting of the ban on bank sales of insurance products. Amid such changes, the function of life insurance is increasingly shifting from lifestyle protection in response to crisis events in the life of the insured to the protection of the insured's lifestyle security and peace of mind. As the phrase "from life insurance to living standard insurance" suggests, in the future we expect life insurance to evolve from being a product that provides economic protection to an all-around lifestyle service vehicle that includes financial service and lifestyle support service components. Sony Life has positioned the major markets of both death protection and endowment insurance as key areas, from which it should maintain a firm base of operations. For example, by providing health and preventive healthcare services, comprehensive financial services, aging lifestyle and other services, the company will address the major management task of helping customers maintain their peace of mind as they pass through life's milestones.

In the non-life insurance industry, such factors as a declining birthrate and an aging population are not expected to have any positive impact on the size of the market for individual non-life insurance. However, such factors as the increasing prevalence of broadband access, the complete lifting of bans on the sale of insurance at bank branches, the market entry of Japan Post Network Co., Ltd. and a growing number of insurance sales stores are creating changes within the industry and diversifying distribution channels. These changes are expected to lead to more fierce competition among these channels. Sony Assurance seeks to sustain high levels of customer satisfaction by providing customers with higher quality products and services. While maintaining its leadership position in the Japanese market for the direct marketing of automobile insurance, Sony Assurance recognizes the importance of responding to these changes in its operating environment.

In the Group's life insurance and non-life insurance businesses, Sony Life and Sony Assurance are applying their full

Sony Financial Holdings Inc. (8729) Interim Consolidated Financial Results for FY2007 energies to recover customer trust and prevent the recurrence of incidents that came to light involving their inadvertent underpayment and nonpayment of insurance and other claims, insufficient guidance for making payment claims, and

incorrect charging for premium payments.

Recent banking industry deregulation measures include a lifting of the ban on banks offering securities products and the complete lifting of bans on the bank sale of insurance products. This deregulation has extended the range of possibilities within the financial service domain. Other factors leading to major changes in the management environment include the privatization of Japan Post, the consolidation of major banks and the recent entry into the banking business of retailers, internet companies, foreign financial institutions and other entities. These changes highlight the need for banking services that focus on individuals and offer high-quality products and services. As Sony Bank provides fair and highly convenient products and services to individual customers over the Internet, with a focus on retail asset management, we recognize business expansion while maintaining high levels of customer satisfaction as a major management task for Sony Bank.

As a Group that consists of operating companies with different distribution channels, each focused on individual customers, we recognize that financial industry deregulation presents opportunities to enhance product sales synergies among Group companies. Already, Sony Life's Lifeplanner sales employees sell Sony Assurance's automobile insurance and refer their customers to Sony Bank's mortgage loans. In the future, we will forge stronger alliances among businesses, as we recognize the importance of raising corporate value by enhancing the efficiency of identifying new customers and cross-selling. Furthermore, we recognize the need to diversify revenue sources, as well as expand overall revenues, by developing reasonably priced and convenient new products and services for individuals.

IV. Interim Consolidated Financial Statlements 1. Consolidated Balance Sheets

1. Consolidated Balance Sheets	As of September	As of September	As of March 31,
	30, 2006	30, 2007	2007
Assets:			
Cash and due from banks	60,453	44,075	40,996
Call loans and bills bought	213,981	391,537	332,459
Monetary trusts	668,599	795,109	718,492
Securities	2,582,798	2,812,707	2,649,768
Loans	340,740	420,229	381,522
Tangible fixed assets	76,413	85,657	88,574
Intangible fixed assets	7,192	10,761	8,593
Due from agencies	-	0	0
Due from reinsurers	128	392	496
Foreign exchanges	2,309	2,565	4,156
Other assets	64,155	82,683	95,351
Deferred tax assets	3,098	4,972	3,599
Reserve for possible loan losses	(247)	(266)	(230)
Total assets	4,019,623	4,650,428	4,323,780
Liabilities:			
Reserve for outstanding claims	29,968	30,162	29,920
Policy reserve	2,926,038	3,293,393	3,125,118
Reserve for policyholders' dividends	1,970	3,186	2,597
Due to agencies	1,148	1,234	1,415
Due to reinsurers	607	662	934
Deposits	682,717	888,442	752,366
Call money and bills sold	23,000	24,000	10,000
Foreign exchanges	6	10	0
Other liabilities	44,338	64,243	75,367
Reserve for employees' bonuses	1,698	1,866	1,906
Reserve for employees' retirement benefits	11,139	11,144	11,212
Reserve for directors' retirement benefits	178	214	241
Reserve for price fluctuations	19,906	22,449	20,908
Deferred tax liabilities	22,825	22,677	20,904
Deferred tax liabilities on land revaluation	706	706	706
Total liabilities	3,766,250	4,364,397	4,053,601
Net assets:			
Common stock	5,500	5,500	5,500
Capital surplus	180,877	180,877	180,877
Retained deficits	(43,188)	(33,962)	(44,173)
Total shareholder's equity	143,188	152,414	142,203
Net unrealized gains on other securities, net of taxes	107,743	130,169	125,043
Net deferred losses on hedging instruments, net of taxes	(456)	(360)	(408)
Land revaluation, net of taxes	(1,475)	(1,475)	(1,475)
Foreign currency translation adjustments	36	700	390
Total valuation and translation adjustments	105,847	129,034	123,549
Minority interests	4,336	4,582	4,425
Total net assets	253,372	286,030	270,179
Total liabilities and net assets	4,019,623	4,650,428	4,323,780
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2. Consolidated Statements of Income

2. Consumated Statements of Income			(Tell III IIIIIIIIIII)
	For the six months ended September 30, 2006	For the six months ended September 30, 2007	For the year ended March 31, 2007
Ordinary revenues	354,728	404,685	759,280
Ordinary revenues from the life insurance business: Income from insurance premiums Investment income Other ordinary income	290,003	318,426	605,051
	28,900	44,778	78,928
	522	2,140	4,874
Ordinary revenues from the non-life insurance business: Underwriting income Investment income Other ordinary income	25,406	27,479	50,495
	238	286	464
	25	11	27
Ordinary revenues from the banking business: Interest income Fees and commissions Other operating income Other ordinary income	5,991	7,447	12,763
	657	949	1,587
	2,979	3,157	5,065
	4	6	21
Ordinary expenses	336,865	377,133	740,926
Ordinary expenses from the life insurance business: Insurance claims and other payments Provision for policy reserve and others Investment expenses Operating expenses Other ordinary expenses	101,716	117,482	219,352
	153,314	164,683	349,666
	2,011	9,036	8,231
	41,865	45,660	87,270
	4,625	4,775	10,300
Ordinary expenses from the non-life insurance business: Underwriting expenses Investment losses Operating, general and administrative expenses Other ordinary expenses	18,463	19,079	36,166
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	6,110	6,482	12,392
	3	12	48
Ordinary expenses from the banking business: Interest expenses Fees and commissions Other operating expenses General and administrative expenses Other ordinary expenses	3,976	4,954	8,174
	242	486	445
	612	479	1,149
	3,876	3,927	7,665
	42	70	58
Ordinary profit Extraordinary gains Extraordinary losses Provision for reserve for policyholders' dividends	17,862	27,551	18,354
	241	1	334
	17	1,689	1,146
	627	966	2,057
Income before income taxes Income taxes - Current - Deferred Minority interests	17,459	24,896	15,485
	9,175	10,835	20,270
	(2,742)	(2,883)	(14,929)
	(20)	(233)	(123)
Net income	11,006	16,710	10,021
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3. Consolidated Statements of Changes in Net Assets

For the six months ended September 30, 2006

(Yen in millions)

	Shareholder's equity								
	Common stock	Capital surplus	Retained deficits	Treasury stock	Total shareholder's equity				
Balance as of March 31, 2006	5,500	180,877	(47,694)	-	138,682				
Changes during the period									
Dividends from surplus	-	-	(6,500)	-	(6,500)				
Net income	-	-	11,006	-	11,006				
Net changes other than shareholder's equity	-	-	-	-	-				
Total changes during the period	-	-	4,506	-	4,506				
Balance as of September 30, 2006	5,500	180,877	(43,188)	-	143,188				

		Valuation and translation adjustments					
	Net unrealized gains on other securities, net of taxes	Net deferred losses on hedging instruments, net of taxes	Land revaluation, net of taxes	Foreign currency translation adjustments	Total valuation and translation adjustments	Minority interests	Total net assets
Balance as of March 31, 2006	125,720	-	(1,475)	113	124,358	4,165	267,206
Changes during the period							
Dividends from surplus	-	-	-	-	-	=	(6,500)
Net income	-	-	-	-	-	=	11,006
Net changes other than shareholder's equity	(17,976)	(456)	-	(77)	(18,511)	171	(18,339)
Total changes during the period	(17,976)	(456)	-	(77)	(18,511)	171	(13,833)
Balance as of September 30, 2006	107,743	(456)	(1,475)	36	105,847	4,336	253,372

For the six months ended September 30, 2007

	Shareholder's equity								
	Common stock	Capital surplus	Retained deficits	Treasury stock	Total shareholder's equity				
Balance as of March 31, 2007	5,500	180,877	(44,173)	-	142,203				
Changes during the period									
Dividends from surplus	-	-	(6,500)	-	(6,500)				
Net income	-	-	16,710	-	16,710				
Net changes other than shareholder's equity	-	-	-	-	-				
Total changes during the period	-	-	10,210	-	10,210				
Balance as of September 30, 2007	5,500	180,877	(33,962)	ı	152,414				

		Valuation					
	Net unrealized gains on other securities, net of taxes	Net deferred losses on hedging instruments, net of taxes	Land revaluation, net of taxes	Foreign currency translation adjustments	Total valuation and translation adjustments		Total net assets
Balance as of March 31, 2007	125,043	(408)	(1,475)	390	123,549	4,425	270,179
Changes during the period							
Dividends from surplus	-	=	-	-	-	-	(6,500)
Net income	-	=	-	-	-	-	16,710
Net changes other than shareholder's equity	5,125	48	-	310	5,484	157	5,641
Total changes during the period	5,125	48	-	310	5,484	157	15,851
Balance as of September 30, 2007	130,169	(360)	(1,475)	700	129,034	4,582	286,030

For the year ended March 31, 2007

	Shareholder's equity								
	Common stock	Capital surplus	Retained deficits	Treasury stock	Total shareholder's equity				
Balance as of March 31, 2006	5,500	180,877	(47,694)	-	138,682				
Changes during the period									
Dividends from surplus	-	-	(6,500)	-	(6,500)				
Net income	-	-	10,021	-	10,021				
Net changes other than shareholder's equity	-	-	-	-	-				
Total changes during the period	-	-	3,521	-	3,521				
Balance as of March 31, 2007	5,500	180,877	(44,173)	-	142,203				

		Valuation	n and translation	adjustments			
	Net unrealized gains on other securities, net of taxes	losses on	Land revaluation, net of taxes	Foreign currency translation adjustments	Total valuation and translation adjustments	Minority interests	Total net assets
Balance as of March 31, 2006	125,720	ı	(1,475)	113	124,358	4,165	267,206
Changes during the period							
Dividends from surplus	-	-	-	-	-	-	(6,500)
Net income	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,021
Net changes other than shareholder's equity	(676)	(408)	=	276	(808)	259	(548)
Total changes during the period	(676)	(408)	-	276	(808)	259	2,972
Balance as of March 31, 2007	125,043	(408)	(1,475)	390	123,549	4,425	270,179

4. Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

(Yen in millions)

4. Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows	E 4 1 4	E 4 ' 4	(Yen in millions)
	For the six months ended September 30, 2006	For the six months ended September 30, 2007	For the year ended March 31, 2006
Cash flows from operating activities:			
Income before income taxes	17,459	24,896	15,485
Depreciation and amortization	1,626	2,726	4,683
Impairment losses	0	125	0
Increase in policy reserve and others	159,094	169,476	359,544
Interest income and dividends	(21,788)	(30,729)	(47,714)
Gains on securities	(8,503)	(10,384)	(31,972)
Interest expenses	3,979	4,963	8,182
Net (increase) decrease in loans	(9,675)	(34,415)	(45,245)
Net increase (decrease) in deposits	82,904	136,145	152,587
Net (increase) decrease in call loans and bills bought	(69,306)	(168,578)	(82,885)
Net increase (decrease) in call money and bills sold	(87,700)	14,000	(100,700)
Others, net	9,835	(7,762)	(1,653)
Subtotal	77,923	100,464	230,312
Interest and dividends received	24,676	31,319	52,737
Interest paid	(3,479)	(4,364)	(7,105)
Policyholders' dividends paid	(243)	(384)	(1,048)
Income taxes paid	(13,797)	(7,257)	(16,724)
Net cash provided by operating activities	85,079	119,778	258,171
Cash flows from investing activities:			
Investments in monetary trusts	(63,871)	(66,577)	(127,015)
Proceeds from sale of monetary trusts	41,700	-	61,700
Purchases of securities	(345,580)	(574,990)	(659,994)
Proceeds from sale and redemption of securities	375,381	438,839	661,927
Investments in loans	(21,032)	(20,120)	(49,602)
Collections of loans	16,150	15,528	40,002
Others, net	(300)	(3,286)	(500)
Subtotal	2,447	(210,607)	(73,482)
Purchases of tangible fixed assets	(930)	(4,350)	(10,148)
Proceeds from sale of tangible fixed assets	-	0	1
Purchases of intangible fixed assets	(1,554)	(3,776)	(3,586)
Net cash used in investing activities	(37)	(218,733)	(87,215)
Cash flows from financing activities:			
Cash dividends paid	(6,500)	(6,500)	(6,500)
Net cash used in financing activities	(6,500)	(6,500)	(6,500)
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	8	41	41
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	78,550	(105,414)	164,496
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the fiscal period	109,263	273,760	109,263
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the fiscal period	187,813	168,345	273,760
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Cash flows from investing activities include cash flows from lending operations of the insurance business.

5. Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements

(1) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Principles of Consolidation -

(1) Scope of consolidation

Number of consolidated subsidiaries:

Consolidated subsidiaries: Sony Life Insurance Co., Ltd., Sony Life Insurance (Philippines) Corporation, Sony Assurance Inc., Sony Bank Inc., Sony Bank Securities Inc.

(2) Application of the equity method

Unconsolidated subsidiaries and affiliates accounted for by the equity method: Not applicable

Unconsolidated subsidiaries and affiliates that are not accounted for by the equity method:

AEGON Sony Life Planning Co., Ltd. is excluded from the scope of equity method because its net income and retained earnings are so immaterial that excluding it from the scope of equity method does not hinder a rational judgment of SFH's financial position and results of operations.

(3) Fiscal year-end of consolidated subsidiaries

The financial statements of Sony Life Insurance (Philippines) Corporation are prepared with a fiscal year-end of December 31. Appropriate adjustments are made for material transactions between June 30 and September 30, the date of the consolidated financial statements of SFH. All other subsidiaries prepare their respective financial statements as of September 30, the same date as the consolidated financial statements of SFH.

(4) Valuation of assets and liabilities of consolidated subsidiaries

Certain assets and liabilities of consolidated subsidiaries are computed at fair value as of the respective dates when the subsidiaries were initially consolidated.

Securities -

Securities are stated in the following manner: Securities held for trading purposes ("trading securities") are stated at fair value with unrealized gains and losses charged to income. The cost of such securities sold is determined by the moving-average method. Held-to-maturity securities are stated at amortized cost (straight-line method) using the moving-average method. Investment in affiliates that are not accounted for by the equity method are stated at acquisition cost calculated using the moving-average method. Other securities designated as available-for-sale securities whose fair value is readily determinable are stated at fair value in the consolidated balance sheets based on market prices prevailing at each balance sheet date, with unrealized gains (losses), net of income taxes, included in net assets and acquisition costs calculated using the moving-average method. Other securities designated as available-for-sale securities whose fair value is not readily determinable are stated at amortized cost (straight-line method) or at acquisition cost based on the moving-average method.

Derivative financial instruments -

Derivative financial instruments are stated at fair value, with changes in fair value included in income for the period in which they arise, except for derivatives that are designated by SFH and its domestic subsidiaries (the "Companies") as "hedging instruments".

Hedge accounting -

SFH's banking subsidiary applies either deferred hedge accounting or fair value hedge accounting to account for transactions it enters into to hedge interest rate risks on financial assets and liabilities. SFH's banking subsidiary uses interest rate swaps to offset fluctuations in interest rates on fixed-rate loans by identifying the hedged items that are grouped based on their maturity, in accordance with "Accounting and Auditing Treatments on Application of Accounting Standard for Financial Instruments in the Banking Industry" (Industry Audit Committee of Japanese Institute of Certified Public Accountants No. 24). Interest rate swaps and others are used as hedging instruments to offset fluctuations in the fair value of fixed-rate bonds which are classified as other securities. Both of the above-mentioned hedging instruments are identified so that their significant terms are nearly identical to those of the hedged items. Accordingly, such hedges are considered as highly effective, resulting in a substitution for evaluating the effectiveness of the hedging transactions.

Tangible fixed assets -

All tangible fixed assets, including real estate for lease, are initially recorded at cost. Subsequent expenses related to asset improvements are capitalized or are recognized as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Companies and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. All other repairs and maintenance charges are charged to income when incurred.

Depreciation is generally computed by the straight-line method for buildings and by the declining-balance method for other property and equipment over the estimated useful lives of the assets, as follows:

Buildings 4 to 43 years Other property and equipment 2 to 20 years Sony Financial Holdings Inc. (8729) Interim Consolidated Financial Results for FY2007

In accordance with revisions to the Japanese corporation tax law, the depreciation method for tangible fixed assets has been changed. Starting from April 1, 2007, tangible fixed assets acquired on and after April 1, 2007 are depreciated fully to their memorandum values, or ¥1. This change has had only a minor impact on SFH's results of operations.

In accordance with the revised Japanese corporation tax law, depreciation of the remaining book value of tangible fixed assets acquired on and before March 31, 2007 and depreciated up to the depreciable amount is computed using the straight-line method over a period of 5 years. This change has had only a minor impact on SFH's results of operations.

Software for internal use -

Software for internal use is amortized using the straight-line method mainly over 5 years, its estimated useful life.

Reserve for possible loan losses -

The reserve for possible loan losses is calculated by the Companies in accordance with self-assessment guidelines and write-off and reserve guidelines established at each subsidiary. With respect to loans to borrowers subject to bankruptcy, court-guided rehabilitation or similar legal or formal proceedings, the Companies provide a specific reserve in the amount of the loan balance less amounts collectable from collateral, guarantees and other means. For other loans, the Companies provide a general reserve by applying the historical loan loss ratio determined over certain periods. Each loan is subject to asset assessment by the operational department of the relevant company in accordance with its self-assessment guidelines, and the results of the assessment are reviewed by the respective internal audit departments, which are independent from the operational departments, before the amount of reserve is finalized.

Reserve for employees' bonuses -

The reserve for employees' bonuses is provided for the estimated amount of bonuses the Companies are required to pay for services provided during the current fiscal year.

Reserve for employees' retirement benefits -

The reserve for employees' retirement benefits is provided for the payment of retirement benefits to employees, in the amount deemed accrued at the fiscal year-end, based on the projected retirement benefit obligation and the fair value of plan assets at the fiscal year-end. Unrecognized prior service cost is amortized using the straight-line method over 10 years within the employees' average remaining service period at incurrence. Unrecognized net actuarial gain (loss) is amortized using the straight-line method over 7 to 10 years within the employees' average remaining service period, commencing from the fiscal year immediately following incurrence. Unrecognized net obligation at transition is amortized using the straight-line method over 15 years.

Reserve for directors' retirement benefits -

The reserve for directors' and statutory auditors' retirement benefits is provided based on the internal regulations of SFH and its domestic subsidiaries and calculated at the amount that would be payable if all eligible directors and statutory auditors were to resign at the fiscal year-end.

Policy reserve -

Pursuant to the Insurance Business Law, SFH's domestic life insurance subsidiary maintains a policy reserve for the fulfillment of future obligations under life insurance contracts. The policy reserve is established by the net level premium method, which assumes a constant or level amount of net insurance premiums over the term of the relevant policy in calculating the amount of the reserve required to fund all future policy benefits. The net insurance premium is a portion of the premium covering insurance underwriting risk, which is estimated based on factors such as mortality rates, investment yield, surrender rates and other factors. The net level premium reserve for individual insurance contracts underwritten from fiscal year 1996 is calculated using mortality and interest rates set by the Financial Services Agency as standard policy reserve. Additionally, the net level premium reserve for individual insurance contracts underwritten before fiscal year 1996 is calculated using mortality and interest rates approved by the supervisor of insurance business in Japan.

Reserve for price fluctuations -

Pursuant to requirements under the Insurance Business Law, the reserve for price fluctuations is provided for price fluctuations primarily related to stocks, bonds and foreign currency-denominated assets which are exposed to losses due to market price fluctuations. This reserve may only be used to reduce deficits arising from price fluctuations on those assets.

Translation of foreign currencies -

Assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into Japanese yen at the foreign exchange rates in effect at each balance sheet date, whereas components of net assets denominated in foreign currencies are translated at historical rates. The current year's profit and loss accounts are translated into yen using the average exchange rate for the fiscal year.

Lease transactions -

Finance leases that do not transfer ownership of the leased property to the lessee are accounted for as operating leases.

Land revaluation -

On March 31, 2002, SFH's domestic life insurance subsidiary revalued its land for operating purposes, as permitted by the Land Revaluation Law (Law No. 34, enacted March 31, 1998—the "Law"). The tax effect of the revaluation difference is accounted for differently, depending on whether there are gains or losses; when there is a loss, a valuation allowance is fully provided for the tax effect of the loss, and when there is a gain, the tax effect is recorded in "deferred tax liabilities on land revaluation." After excluding these amounts, the net revaluation difference is reported as "land revaluation" in net assets. The revaluation method stipulated by Article 3-3 of the Law was based on the land appraisal in conformity with Article 2-5 of the Law Enforcement Order related to the Law (Government Ordinance No. 119, effective from March 31, 1998).

Accounting for consumption taxes -

The consumption taxes received and paid by SFH and its domestic subsidiaries, excluding loss adjustment expenses and operating, general and administrative expenses of SFH's non-life insurance subsidiary, are not included in income and expenses. Under the Consumption Tax Law of Japan, the consumption taxes paid on property and equipment are not deductible from the consumption taxes received; they are recorded as "other assets" and amortized on a straight-line basis over 5 years. Other non-deductible consumption taxes are charged to income as incurred.

Application of consolidated tax provision -

Prior to the listing of SFH's shares on the Tokyo Stock Exchange, the consolidated tax provision, under which Sony Corporation is the parent company, was applied to SFH and its domestic subsidiaries wholly owned by Sony Corporation. As a listing of SFH's shares on the Tokyo Stock Exchange, SFH and its domestic subsidiaries ceased to be wholly-owned subsidiaries of Sony Corporation. As a result, starting from April 1, 2007, SFH and its domestic subsidiaries calculate their tax provision (benefit) based on the assumption that they are excluded from the consolidated tax system.

Cash and cash equivalents -

Cash equivalents consist of highly liquid investments without significant market risks, such as demand deposits and short-term investments with an original maturity of three months or less.

(2) Segment Information

	Yen in millions					
	For the six months ended September 30, 2007					
	Life	Non-life				_
	insurance	insurance	Banking			
	business	business	business	Total	Elimination	Consolidated
Ordinary revenues:						
External customers	365,346	27,777	11,561	404,685	=	404,685
Intersegment	386	14	23	424	(424)	
Total	365,732	27,792	11,584	405,109	(424)	404,685
Ordinary expenses	341,721	25,775	10,100	377,597	(464)	377,133
Ordinary profit	24,010	2,017	1,483	27,511	40	27,551

The life insurance business consists of Sony Life Insurance Co., Ltd. and Sony Life Insurance (Philippines) Corporation, the non-life insurance business consists of Sony Assurance Inc., and the banking business consists of Sony Bank Inc. and Sony Bank Securities Inc.

The amount of unallocated ordinary expenses included in "elimination" for the six months ended September 30, 2007 is ¥399 million, most of which are ordinary expenses of SFH.

(3) Investments in Securities

The following provides fair value information on securities. Trading securities:

Yen in millions			
September 30, 2007			
Net valuation losses			
Consolidated balance sheet amount	recorded in income		
327,864	(5,186)		

Held-to-maturity securities with fair values:

	Yen in millions				
	September 30, 2007				
	Consolidated balance sheet amount	Gross unrealized gains	Gross unrealized losses	Fair value	
Bonds:					
Japanese government and municipal bonds	41,209	196	(114)	41,290	
Japanese corporate bonds	4,805	24	(10)	4,820	
Others	808	31	(1)	839	
Total	46,823	252	(126)	46,949	

Other securities with fair values:

	Yen in millions			
	Acquisition cost	Septemb Gross unrealized gains	Gross unrealized losses	Consolidated balance sheet amount
Bonds:				
Japanese government and municipal bonds	1,443,959	15,035	(7,437)	1,451,557
Japanese corporate bonds	376,351	40,201	(1,133)	415,420
Equity securities	135,883	111,739	(1,857)	245,766
Others	284,981	12,696	(3,610)	294,067
Total	2,241,177	179,673	(14,038)	2,406,811

Other securities sold during the period:

	Yen in millions
	For the six months ended
	September 30, 2007
Sales	153,164
Gains on sales	11,888
Losses on sales	(568)

Other securities with no available fair values:

	Yen in millions		
	September 30, 2007		
Investment in affiates Equity securities Others	1,000 5 30,202		
Total	31,207		

The future redemption schedule of other securities with maturities and held-to-maturity securities as of September 30, 2007 is as follows:

	Yen in millions			
	1 year or less	More than 1 year to 5 years	More than 5 years to 10 years	Over 10 years
Bonds				
Japanese government and municipal bonds	33,561	347,385	1,001,031	110,787
Japanese corporate bonds	62,947	249,340	79,536	28,401
Others	63,781	127,792	53,273	55,042
Total	160,290	724,519	1,133,841	194,231

(4) Investments in Monetary Trusts

The fair value information on monetary trusts is as follows:

Monetary trusts for trading purposes:

Yen in millions		
September 30, 2007		
Net valuation gains recorded in		
Consolidated balance sheet amount	income	
66,486	(175)	

Other monetary trusts:

	Yen in millions			
		September 30, 2007		
				Consolidated
		Gross unrealized	Gross unrealized	balance sheet
	Acquisition cost	gains	losses	amount
Other monetary trusts	693,718	36,351	(1,446)	728,623

Note: Jointly invested monetary trusts of ¥50 million are included in the table above.

(5) Per Share Information

Net income per share is calculated based on the weighted-average number of shares of common stock outstanding during the fiscal period. For the six months ended September 2007, the net income per share was 7,957.33 yen. There were no potential dilutive securities. Net assets per share, calculated based on the number of shares of common stock outstanding as of September 30, 2007, were 134,022.97 yen.

The basis for this calculation is net income of 16,710 million yen, of which the entire portion is applicable to common shares. The weighted-average number of shares outstanding for the six months ended September 30, 2007 was 2,100,000.

(6) Subsequent Events

SFH issued new shares of its common stock and offered those new shares in a domestic public offering, as part of a global offering of its shares, simultaneously with the listing of its shares on the Tokyo Stock Exchange, on October 10, 2007. As a result of the domestic public offering, the amount of common stock increased to ¥19,900 million and the number of shares outstanding increased to 2,175,000.

- 1. Method of subscription for the new shares: Domestic public offering (bookbuilding formula)
- 2. Types and numbers of shares issued: Common stock 75,000 shares

8. Use of proceeds: SFH intends to use approximately ¥16.5 billion of the net proceeds of the sale of

the new shares to fund investments associated with Sony Life's planned joint venture with AEGON N.V. to market individual annuity products developed for the Japanese market. SFH intends to use the remainder of the net proceeds mainly to fund improvements to the information technology systems of its main operating

subsidiaries.

SFH's consolidated results* are prepared in accordance with accounting principles and practices generally accepted in Japan. As such, these figures differ in significant respects from financial information reported by SFH's parent company, Sony Corporation, which prepares its financial statements in accordance with accounting principles and practices generally accepted in the United States.

*The scope of SFH's consolidated results for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2007 includes Sony Financial Holdings, Sony Life Insurance Co., Ltd., Sony Assurance Inc., Sony Bank Inc., and Sony Life Insurance (Philippines) Corporation. SFH's interim consolidated financial results for six months ended September 30, 2007 and consolidated forecast for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2008 also include Sony Bank Securities Inc. within the scope of consolidation.

On October 25, 2007, Sony Corporation announced its consolidated financial results for the second quarter ended September 30, 2007. SFH Group companies constitute the majority of Sony Group's Financial Services segment. However, the scope of Sony Group's Financial Services segment differs from the scope of SFH's consolidated results. For the scope of Sony Group's Financial Services segment, please refer to the October 25, 2007, news release by Sony Corporation.

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