3.06%

5.60%

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Press Conference Material

<Financial Results for the Six Months Ended September 30, 2010>

1. Sales Results [sum of Dai-ichi Life (DL) and Dai-ichi Frontier Life (DFL)] (millions of yen except percentages) Six months ended / as of September 30, 2010 Year ended / as of Six months ended/ as of Increase (decrease) Increase (decrease) as % of March 31, as % of September March 31, 2010 September 30, 2009 30, 2<u>009 total</u> 2010 total 76,972 111,944 Annualized net premium of new policies (sum of DL and DFL) (31.2%)205,635 61,977 +8.9%119,687 56,908 Medical and survival benefits 18,190 +3.7%36,423 17,546 Annualized net premium of policies in force (sum of DL and DFL) 2,158,618 +0.5%+ 1.4% 2,148,903 2,128,235 2,017,022 2,029,459 (0.2%)(0.6%)2,020,470 Medical and survival benefits 498,696 +0.8%+1.3%494,814 492,112 1,663,375 Insurance premium and other (sum of DL and DFL) (14.6%)3,700,515 1,948,192 2,717,006 1,464,601 Individual insurance 1,128,155 (23.0%)879,528 432,547 Group insurance 488,997 +13.1%Insurance premium and other (DL) 1,501,746 +7.7%2,837,251 1,394,816 940,392 Individual insurance and annuities 989,755 +5.2%1,912,458 Group insurance and annuities 488,997 + 13.1% 879,528 432,547 Sum insured of new policies (sum of DL and DFL) (1.3%)3,719,160 7,643,362 3,767,745 DL + 10.5% 3,580,530 6,835,864 3,241,757 Sum insured of policies in force (sum of DL and DFL) 156,217,194 (1.8%)159,052,744 162,446,655 DL 154,829,908 (1.9%)157,771,800 161,454,869 Amount of surrenders and lapses (sum of DL and DFL) 3,620,203 (28.9%)9,316,525 5.089.436 3,609,505 (29.0%)9,306,216 5,086,776 DL Surrender and lapse rate (sum of DL and DFL) 2.28% 5.60% 3.06%

2.29%

2. Assets

DL

		As of September 30, 2010			As of	As of
			Increase (decrease) as % of March 31, 2010 total	Increase (decrease) as % of September 30, 2009 total	March 31, 2010	September 30, 2009
Total assets	(millions of yen)	30,667,565	(0.5%)	+ 0.6%	30,822,467	30,498,821
Adjusted net assets	(billions of yen)	3,783.1	+ 13.9%	+ 8.3%	3,321.6	3,492.9
(Adjusted net assets) / (general account assets)		12.8%	-	-	11.2%	11.9%
Solvency margin ratio		1,022.5%	+ 69.0pts	+ 68.3pts	953.5%	954.2%

^{*}Non-consolidated basis (DL)

3. Fundamental Profit / Negative Spread

3. Fundamental Profit / Negative Spread (millions of year except percentages,						
	Six months ended September 30, 2010			Year ended	Six months ended	
		Increase (decrease)	Increase (decrease)			
		compared to	as % of September	March 31, 2010	September 30, 2009	
		September 30, 2009	30, 2009 total			
Fundamental profit (DL)	137,378	(25,215)	(15.5%)	330,152	162,594	
Fundamental profit (DFL)	(9,356)	(33,476)	-	47,780	24,120	
Fundamental profit (sum of DL and DFL)	128,022	(58,691)	(31.4%)	377,933	186,714	

[&]quot;Sum of DL and DFL" represents the figure of DL plus the figure of DFL, irrespective of DL's equity stake in DFL.

		Year ending	Year ended
		March 31, 2011	March 31, 2010
		[FORECAST]	
Amount of negative spread	(billions of yen)	Increase	(82.8)

^{*}Non-consolidated basis (DL)

^{*}Figures above represent those for sums of individual insurance and individual annuities (except for "Premium and other income").

^{*}Annualized net premiums are calculated by using multipliers for various premium payment terms to the premium per payment. In single premium contracts, the amount is calculated by dividing the premium by the duration of the policy.

^{*&}quot;Insurance premium and other" is based on the Company's statements of earnings.

^{*&}quot;Individual insurance" and "Group insurance" as a breakdown of "Insurance premium and other (DL)" represent sum of premium and other income of individual insurance and individual annuities and sum of premium and other income of group insurance and group annuities, respectively, but do not include reinsurance premiums.

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**The amount of lapses is not offset by the amount of lapses which are reinstated. The table above excludes cases where the sum insured is decreased or riders are surrendered for instance contracts.

4. Breakdown of Fundamental Profit

(Sum of DL and DFL) (millions of yen except perce					
	Six mont	Six months ended September 30, 2010			Six months
		Increase (decrease) compared to September 30, 2009	Increase (decrease) as % of September 30, 2009 total	March 31, 2010	September 30, 2009
Fundamental profit total	128,022	(58,691)	(31.4%)	377,933	186,714
Negative spread / investment spread	(53,655)	(4,931)	+ 10.1%	(82,421)	(48,723)
Provision for / reversal of policy reserve (general account) associated with guaranteed minimum maturity benefits	(19,688)	(47,032)	-	40,673	27,343
Gains / losses associated with core insurance activities	201,366	(6,728)	(3.2%)	419,681	208,094

(millions of yen except percentages) (DL, Non-consolidated basis) Six months ended September 30, 2010 Year ended Six months ended Increase (decrease) Increase (decrease) compared to as % of September March 31, 2010 September 30, 2009 September 30, 2009 30, 2009 total Fundamental profit total 137,378 (25,215)(15.5%)330,152 162,594 Negative spread / investment spread (53,692)(4,650)+ 9.5% (82,898)(49,041)Provision for / reversal of policy reserve (general account) 3,764 (1,192)(3,846)2,653 associated with guaranteed minimum maturity benefits Gains / losses associated with core insurance activities 192,263 (16,718)(8.0%)409,285 208,982 Mortality and morbidity gain (434) 189,367 (0.2%)373,998 189,802

5. Policy Reserves and Other Reserves (millions of yen except percentages)

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	A	s of September 30, 20	10	As of	As of
		Increase (decrease) compared to March 31, 2010 total	Increase (decrease) compared to September 30, 2009 total	March 31, 2010	September 30, 2009
Policy reserve (excluding contingency reserve)	26,947,278	+ 149,532	+ 293,035	26,797,745	26,654,242
General account (excluding contingency reserve)	25,781,643	+ 255,470	+ 357,605	25,526,173	25,424,037
Separate account (excluding contingency reserve)	1,165,634	(105,937)	(64,570)	1,271,572	1,230,205
Reserve for price fluctuations	122,453	+ 7,000	+ 14,000	115,453	108,453
Contingency reserve	536,093	+ 9,000	+ 18,000	527,093	518,093
Contingency reserve 1	159,699	(2,394)	(3,831)	162,093	163,531
Contingency reserve 2	211,893	+ 10,226	+ 12,123	201,666	199,770
Contingency reserve 3	11,607	(1,299)	(1,197)	12,906	12,805
Contingency reserve 4	152,892	+ 2,466	+ 10,905	150,425	141,986
Fund for risk allowance	43,120	-	(19)	43,120	43,139
Fund for price fluctuation allowance	65,000	-	+ 10,000	65,000	55,000

^{*}Non-consolidated basis (DL)

6. Unrealized Gains/Losses (millions of yen except percentages)

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		As of September 30, 2010			As of
		Increase (decrease) compared to March 31, 2010 total	Increase (decrease) compared to September 30, 2009 total	March 31, 2010	September 30, 2009
Securities	1,231,700	+ 380,249	+ 347,546	851,450	884,154
Domestic stocks	203,367	(319,207)	(281,201)	522,575	484,568
Domestic bonds	949,197	+ 683,427	+ 577,909	265,770	371,288
Foreign securities	70,330	+ 10,486	+ 44,283	59,843	26,047
Real estate	71,111	(19,767)	(99,206)	90,879	170,317
Total unrealized gains (losses)	1,301,660	+ 359,630	+ 246,768	942,030	1,054,892

^{*}Unrealized gains on real estate shown above represent pre-revaluation value of real estate, including land leasing rights, located in Japan.

7. Investment Results and Plans (millions of yen)

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	Six months ended	Year ending March 31, 2011
	September 30, 2010	[PLAN]
Domestic stocks	(413,347)	decrease of slight decrease
Domestic bonds	186,863	increase
Foreign stocks	(37,650)	flat
Foreign bonds	508,406	flat
Real estate	42 374	flat

^{*}Non-consolidated basis (DL)

^{*&}quot;Policy reserve (general account) associated with guaranteed minimum maturity benefits" represents policy reserve provided to prepare for risks associated with minimum gurantees of variable annuities under the standard policy reserve rule. Provision for such reserve reduces fundamental profit and reversal of such reserve increases fundamental profit.

^{*}Non-consolidated basis (DL)

8. Level of Indices where Unrealized Gains/Losses on Assets are Break-even

	As of September 30, 2010	
Nikkei 225	Approx. 8,500	
TOPIX	Approx. 760 pts	
Domestic bonds	Approx. 1.5 %	
Foreign securities	Approx. 91 yen per USD	

^{*}For domestic stocks, calculated based on valuation method of stocks, fully linked with Nikkei 225 and TOPIX.

9. Sales Forecasts for the Year Ending March 31, 2011

	Year ending / as of March 31, 2011 [FORECAST]
Insurance premiums and other	Flat
Fundamental profit	less than 300 billion yen
Sum insured of policies in force	Slight decrease
Annualized net premium of policies in force	Slight decrease

^{*}Non-consolidated basis (DL)

10. Cross-holdings with Domestic Banks

i) Contributions from Domestic Banks	(millions of yen)
	As of
	September 30, 2010
Stocks	111,773
Subordinated loans and bonds	100,000

^{*}Syndicated loans are excluded from "Subordinated loans and bonds".

ii) Contributions to Domestic Banks

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	As of
	September 30, 2010
Stocks (market value basis)	347,385
Subordinated loans/bonds and preferred securities	1,525,521

^{*}Contributions extended to banks other than those who held the Company's foundation funds are included.

11. Number of Employees

	As	s of September 30, 20	As of	As of	
		Increase (decrease) as % of March 31,	as % of September		September 30, 2009
Sales Representatives	44,024	2010 total (0.5%)	30, 2009 total (1.2%)	44,233	44,556
Adnimistrative personnel	13,820	+ 1.8%	(1.7%)	13,570	14,061

^{*}The number of sales representatives includes those who engage in ancillary work.

12. Bancassurance Sales (Sum of DL and DFL)

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		Six months ended September 30, 2010		Year ended	Six monhts ended				
			Increase (decrease)						
			compared to	March 31, 2010	September 30, 2009				
			September 30, 2009						
	Number of new policies	23,569	65,397	138,479	88,966				
	Premiums from new policies (millions of yer	121,961	356,824	727,136	478,785				
Fixed annuities	Number of new policies	3,250	3,627	14,283	6,877				
	Premiums from new policies (millions of yer	14,616	20,286	70,638	34,902				

^{*} Bancassurence sales include sales through securities companies.

Single Premium Wholelife and Single Premium Endowment

The Company terminated selling single premium wholelife and single premium endowment products through bancassurance channel on March 31, 2008.

Products deregulated in December 2008:

Neither Dai-ichi Life nor Dai-ichi Frontier Life sold such products during the period.

^{*}For domestic bonds, rounded to one decimal place, calculated based on newly-issued 10-year government bond yields.

^{*}For foreign securities, calculated based on dollar-yen rate (assuming all are in dollars).

^{*}Non-consolidated basis (DL)

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^{*&}quot;Stocks" includes preferred stocks. (Invesment in foreign subsidiaries are not inclueded.)

^{*}Non-consolidated basis (DL)

Appendix

Other topics (for the six months ended September 30, 2010)

* Status of Preventive Measures against Insufficient Payments

Information provision measures

On our main communication tool with policyholders called "Life Planning Report", contract details such as coverage, benefits, and sum insured have been presented with explanation and self-check reminders to every policyholder once a year. Effective fiscal 2010, a personal historical record of claims and benefits (of the past 10 years, from April 1999 to March 2010) started to appear on the report to even better serve as a preventive measure to raise awareness of our policyholders about their own contracts. We're going to continue to provide effective information to make sure each of our customers can benefit from fulfilled payments.

Claims Payment Improvement Project

In order to prevent insufficient payments, we have strived to improve and streamline our claims payment system, while re-examining claims received in the past and widening the range of events insured to send a guide for claimants. Taking into consideration customers' demand for a higher service level, the Company formed a project team titled "Claims Payment Improvement Project Team" within its Claims Department in April 2010. In May 2010, the Company upgraded the team to a section of the Company, titled "Claims Payment Quality Improvement Center" to further raise the level of each action plan in a plan-do-check-action (PDCA) cycle.

* Provision for / Reversal of Policy Reserve Associated with Minimum Guarantee for Individual Variable Annuities and Others (General Account)

(billions of yel						
	Six months ended	Year ended	Six months ended			
	September 30, 2010	March 31, 2010	September 30, 2009			
DL	1.1	(3.7)	(2.6)			
DFL	18.4	(36.9)	(24.6)			
Sum of DL and DFL	19.6	(40.6)	(27.3)			

^{*} N egative value in the table represents an amount of reversal.