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From April 1, 2024 to March 31, 2025

Consolidated Financial Results of the Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 2025

May 8, 2025

Digital Arts Inc.

Securities Code: 2326



Company Profile



For Internet Convenience, Safety and Security

Domestic software developer

13.65 million active users*1

High profitability

Company Name	Digital Arts Inc.			
Date of Establishment	June 1995	Stock Market	Tokyo Stock Exchange Prime Market (Securities Code: 2326)	
Listed on	September 2002	Number of Employees	Consolidated: 318 (As of March 31, 2025)	
Service	Planning, Development and Sale of Internet Security Software		Hokkaido Sales Office/ Tohoku Sales Office /	
Head Office	14F Otemachi First Square West Tower, 1-5-1 Otemachi, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo	Sales Offices	Chubu Sales Office/ Kansai Sales Office/ Chushikoku Sales Office/ Kyushu Sales Office	

^{*1:} The number of users of i-FILTER Ver. 10, m-FILTER Ver. 5, i-FILTER@Cloud and m-FILTER@Cloud as of March 2025 (internal research)

Product Lineup



Web Security

Enabling users to securely connect to websites without security concerns

i-FILTER @ Cloud.

Option

Anti-Virus & Sandbox

Endpoint Web Security

-FILTER.

Secure proxy appliance

D-SPA.

Malicious website-filtering software for home use

i-フィルター.

Mail Security

Enabling users to securely send and receive email without security concerns

m-FILTER @ Cloud.

Option

Anti-Virus & Sandbox

Measures to provide pop-ups for email misdelivery



[For email software] [For Microsoft365 software]



File Security

File encryption/ Remote deletion Automatically protecting files from the moment of creation and allowing users to delete them after transfer



Data Protection/ File transfer Supporting secure file transfers without leaking critical information





Single Sign On (SSO) ID management



Equipped with multi-factor authentication to ensure the secure management of SSO and IDs for cloud services

Start In.

Product Price





Reference Price (monthly): 500 yen

i-FILTER.

Reference Price (monthly): **250 yen** (for purchases of 500 licenses)

FINALCHDE @ Cloud.

Reference Price (monthly): **1,000 yen***¹ (for purchases of 10 licenses)

i-FILTER @ Cloud.

GIGA School

Reference Price (monthly): 150 yen

m-FILTER @ Cloud.

Reference Price (monthly): 500 yen

Measures to provide pop-ups for email misdelivery
Outlook/Becky!/Thunderbird version

Measures to provide pop-ups for email misdelivery
For Microsoft365 software

m-FILTER.

MailAdviser

Reference Price (monthly): 300 yen

m-FILTER.

Reference Price (monthly): **250 yen** (for purchases of 500 licenses)

F-FILTER.

Reference Price (monthly): **300 yen** (for a minimum of 10 licenses)

FINALOPE Desk.

Reference Price (monthly): **1,000 yen***1 (for purchases of 10 licenses)

Desk_®

Reference Price (monthly): 250 yen

(for a minimum of 10 licenses)

Reference Price (monthly): **300 yen** (for a minimum of 10 licenses)

TER **m-FILTE**R.

MailAdviser

Reference Price (monthly): 300 yen

Option

Available options when purchased together with i-FILTER or m-FILTER

Anti-Virus & Sandbox

Reference Price (monthly): 200 yen

F-FILTER.

Reference Price (monthly): 100 yen

Start In.

Reference Price (monthly): **300 yen** (monthly): **150 yen** '2 (for a minimum of 10 licenses)

- *1: Fees are charged only for users in organizations who perform encryption and editing.
- *2: Applies when purchasing Start In together with Digital Arts products

Key Points



Contracts achieved double-digit growth and exceeded the initial plan following sales growth in the enterprise sector market and healthy orders received for projects for the second phase of GIGA School Concept. Net sales grew, driven by growth in the enterprise sector market. Operating profit increased, with a rise in cost of sales offset by the net sales growth and control of selling, general and administrative expenses.

Enterprise Sector market

Net sales increased, as a result of the successful strategy for products compatible with both cloud and on-premise environments and sales strategies (cross-selling and up-selling) that combined optional products and new products with mainstay ones. (Excluding DAC¹)

Public Sector market

In addition to achieving the considerable growth of market share in terms of the orders for the second phase of GIGA School Concept, the Group received projects for security improvements for Local Governments, for which there is continuous demand, as well as Next-Generation School Affairs DX projects. This led to a substantial increase in contracts and an increase in net sales.

Revenue

Operating profit increased, with the increase in net sales and reduction of selling, general and administrative expenses absorbing a hike in cost of sales in line with the increase in communication expenses for data centers resulting from growth in the number of users of cloud service products.

*1: DAC: Digital Arts Consulting (a consolidated subsidiary in which shares were transferred at the end of the previous fiscal year)



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Consolidated Financial Results of the Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 2025

01. Consolidated Results Highlights



Consolidated Results Highlights



Contracts

10,570 million yen

Enterprise sector market The Group achieved growth by capturing the demand for cloud security measures related to both Internet and email and the demand for continuing on-premises measures and by successfully cross-selling and upselling new products and optional products.

-267 million ven or -2.5% YoY

+1.928 million ven or +22.3% YoY *Excluding DAC

Public sector market

Enterprise

sector market

The Group rapidly grew by receiving projects for security improvements for the second phase of the GIGA School Concept, Local Governments and Next-Generation School Affairs

Net Sales

9,982 million yen

Public sector market Sales saw robust growth, reflecting sales from strong orders for cloud service products and from license sales products.

-1,529 million yen or -13.3% YoY +666 million ven or +7.2% YoY *Excluding DAC

Net sales rose after posting sales from projects for security improvements for Local Governments and for Next-Generation School Affairs DX that had been obtained and posting sales from the projects for the first and second phases of the GIGA School Concept.

Operating Profit

4.558 million yen

+131 million ven or +3.0% YoY

Cost of Sales

SG & A expenses

Overall

Data center communication expenses increased due to an increase in the number of cloud product users.

The Group stepped up sales promotion and increased its investment in human resources within the limit of the plan with an eye to projects for the second phase of GIGA School Concept.

Operating profit rose, with the hike in cost of sales offset by the net sales growth and control of selling, general and administrative expenses.

Special Notes

The transfer of all shares in Digital Arts Consulting (DAC), a consolidated subsidiary, held by the Company at the end of the previous fiscal year has an impact of lowering contracts and net sales by around 2.196 million ven, and also operating profit by around 99 million ven respectively for the current fiscal year.

^{*1:} Estimated based on non-consolidated profit of DAC for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2025

Consolidated Statement of Income



Contracts increased more than 20%, surpassing initial projections. This was due to strong performance both in the enterprise sector market and in the public sector market. Net sales increased approximately 7% due to an increase in the cloud service product sales share. (Excluding DAC) Operating profit grew, reflecting an increase in net sales that offset the increase in the cost of sales, although the increasing communication expenses of data centers imposed a heavy burden due to the continued increase in the number of users of cloud service products.

	FY Mar. 2024	FY Mar. 2025	Change YoY	FY Mar. 2025 Full-Year Forecast*1
Contracts *The figure in square brackets [] represents the result excluding DAC.	10,838 [8,641]	10,570	-2.5 % [+ 22.3 %]	-
Net sales *The figure in square brackets [] represents the result excluding DAC.	11,512 [9,315]	9,982	-13.3% [+ 7.2 %]	10,720
Cost of sales	4,583	2,948	-35.7%	2,850
Gross profit	6,928	7,033	+1.5%	7,870
Selling, general and administrative expenses	2,500	2,474	-1.0%	2,730
Operating profit *The figure in square brackets [] represents the result excluding DAC. *2	4,427 [4,327]	4,558	+3.0% [5.3%]	5,140
Operating margin (%)	38.5%	45.7%	-	47.9%
Ordinary profit *The figure in square brackets [] represents the result excluding DAC. *2	4,443 [4,341]	4,562	+2.7% [+5.1%]	5,140
Profit attributable to owners of parent *The figure in square brackets [] represents gain of sales excluding DAC.	4,377 [3,053]	3,183	-27.3% [+4.3%]	3,540
EBITDA*3	5,429	5,566	+2.5%	-

^{*1:} Financial Forecast is the consolidated financial forecast announced on May 8, 2024.

^{*2:} Estimated based on non-consolidated profit of DAC for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2025

^{*3:} EBITDA = Operating profit + Depreciation + Tax expenses included in operating expenses

Trend in Consolidated Contracts



Consolidated contracts climbed 22.3% year on year to 10,570million yen, reflecting the growth of cloud service products.



Cloud sales products

- Sales of cloud-based i-FILTER and m-FILTER products were brisk, as they fulfill needs in the enterprise sector market regarding cloud security measures for the Internet and email. (The percentage of m-FILTER sales that were contracts for cloud service products climbed.)
- Sales increased more than planned due to the acquisition of a project for the second phase of the GIGA School Concept a project for next-generation school affairs DX in the public sector market.

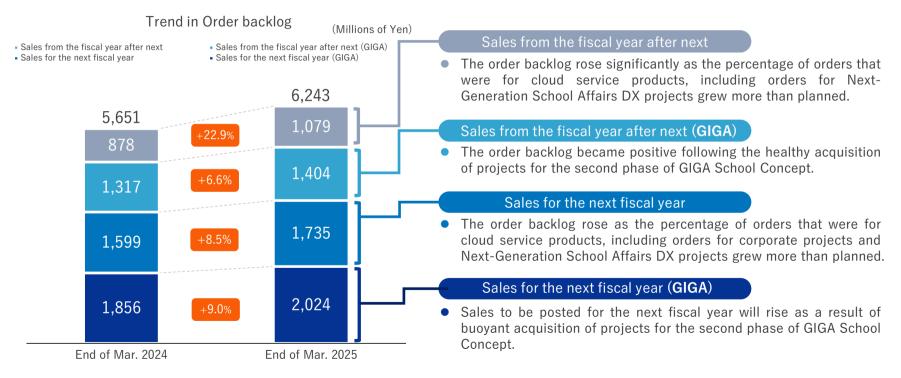
License sales products/ Others

- Growth was achieved by capturing demand for ongoing onpremises measures in the enterprise sector market.
- In the public sector market, growth was achieved following the continuous acquisition of projects regarding security improvements for Local Governments.

Trend in Order Backlog



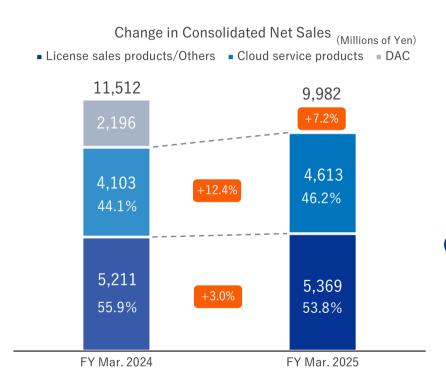
Order backlog increased steadily after GIGA School Concept, Next-General School Affairs DX and other projects were received.



Change in Consolidated Net Sales



Consolidated net sales grew 7.2% year on year, to 9,982 million yen. (Excluding DAC)



Cloud sales products

- Sales were up due to progress in the posting of sales related to the strong cloud-based i-FILTER and m-FILTER contract amount because demand for cloud security measures for the Internet and email was captured in the enterprise sector market.
- Sales increased after the acquisition of the posting of sales from projects for the first and second phases of the GIGA School Concept and for projects for Next-Generation School Affairs DX in the public sector market.

License sales products/ Others

- Growth was achieved by capturing demand for ongoing onpremises measures in the enterprise sector market.
- Projects continued to be acquired in relation to Security Improvements for Local Governments projects in the public sector market.

Supplement Method of recording sales by product



License sales products Contract period (n months) + 1 month Equivalent to maintenance fee Amount equivalent to maintenance fee is prorated over contract period "n" Net sales Y months Y+nY+2Y+n+1(Contract months) months months months months

- License fees make up a large proportion of the contract amount. This portion is recorded in a lump sum as sales in the month when the contract is obtained.
- Amount equivalent to maintenance fee is recorded on a pro rata basis over the contract period.



 Contract amount is recorded as sales on a pro rata basis over the contract period (split into equal monthly amounts).

Y+2

months

Net sales

Y months

(Contract months) months

 As the contract amount of cloud service products rises, the contract amount that is deferred (order backlog) increases.

Y+n

months

Y+n-1

months



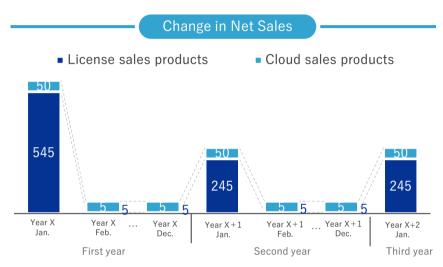
Relationship between contract amount and sales by product (one-year contracts)



For example, the diagrams on the left show the relationships between the contract amount and net sales in license sales products and cloud service products with a one-year contract at the amount of 600 million yen.



For license sales products, contracts in the second and subsequent years are half of those of the first year. For cloud service products, contracts in the second and subsequent years are the same amounts as those in the first year. An increase in new contracts for cloud service products will result in a higher growth rate in coming fiscal years than for license sales products.



For license sales products, a high percentage of net sales is recorded at the time of the contract. For cloud service products, net sales are posted in monthly installments. For license sales products, net sales decrease because of a decline in contracts at the time of renewal. For cloud service products, net sales are constant.



Relationship between contract amount and sales by product (multi-year contracts)

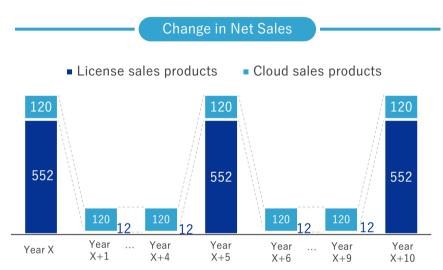


Many projects in the public sector market are multi-year contracts, such as five-year ones. They have longer periods until renewal.

For example, the diagrams on the left show the relationships between the contract amount and net sales in license sales products and cloud service products with a five-year contract of 600 million yen.



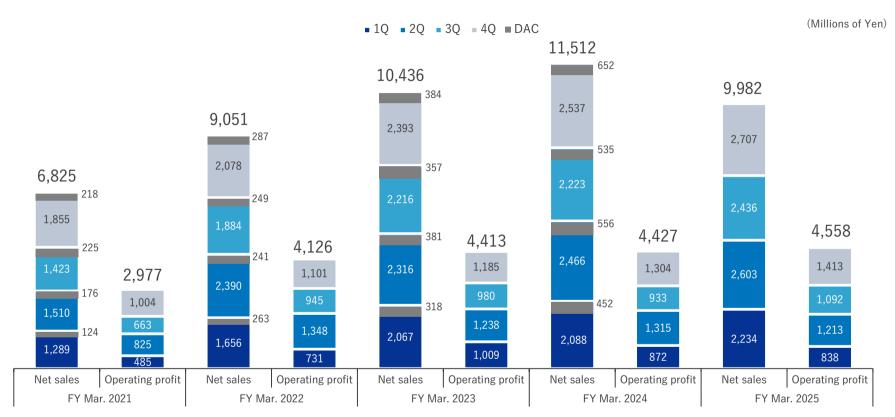
For both license sales products and cloud service products, contract amounts are unchanged at the time of renewal.



For license sales products, a high percentage of net sales is recorded at the time of the contract. For cloud service products, sales are recorded in monthly installments for a period of five years. This means a wider gap between the contract amount and net sales (order backlog).

Trend in Consolidated Net sales, Operating profit





Consolidated Cost of Sales and Selling, General and Administrative Expenses



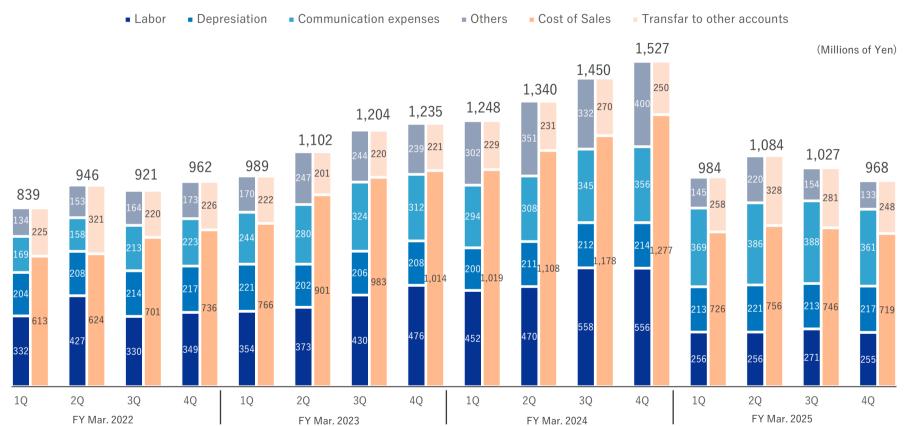
While the consolidated cost of sales and DAC's personnel expenses due to the exclusion of DAC from consolidated decreased because of communication expenses increased at the data center due to the higher-than-planned growth of the percentage of cloud service products. (However, they are trending gradually downward.) Selling, general and administrative expenses were lower than initially planned because of a change in the staff recruitment policy during the fiscal year.

(Millions of Yen)

	FY Mar. 2024	FY Mar. 2025	Change YoY	Main Factors for Change
Cost of sales	4,583	2,948	-1,635	
Labor	2,038	1,040	-997	Increase due to the enhancement of DA's development workforce (+123M) Impact of exclusion of DAC from consolidated (Approx1,113M)
Depreciation	839	865	+25	
Communication expenses	1,304	1,505	+201	Data center communication expenses increased due to an increase in the number of cloud product users. (+201M) Note: Including an increase due to the effect of foreign exchange rates (+48M).
Others	1,384	653	-731	Increase due to the development of new DA products (+53M) Impact of exclusion of DAC from consolidated (Approx780M)
Transfer to other accounts	-982	-1,116	-134	
Selling, general and administrative expenses	2,500	2,474	-26	
Personnel expenses	1,275	1,229	-46	Increase in DA's personnel expenses (+43M) Impact of exclusion of DAC from consolidated (Approx90M)
Advertising expenses	313	309	-4	Impact of exclusion of DAC from consolidated (Approx3M)
Others	911	936	+25	DA's Hiring expenses

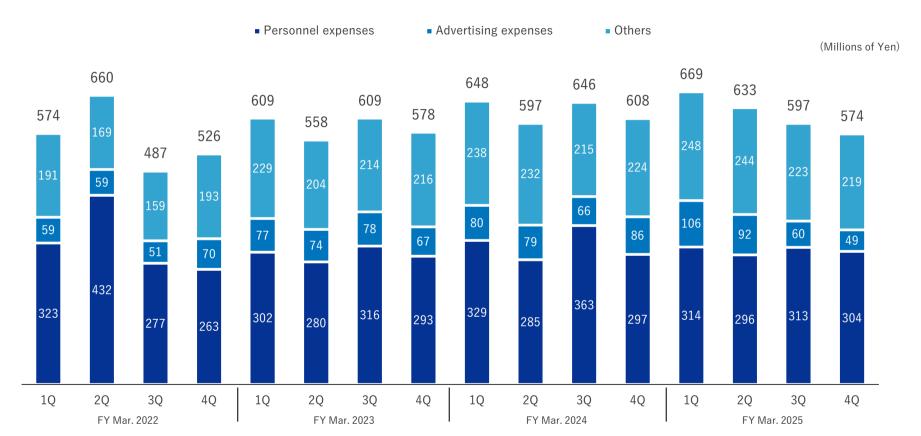
Quarterly Trend in Consolidated Cost of Sales





Quarterly Trend in Consolidated Selling, General and Administrative Expenses





Consolidated Balance Sheet



Non-current assets increased after posting products for sale, independently-developed internal DX tools and other assets. The equity ratio was up 5.6 percentage points from the end of the previous fiscal year, to 76.6%.

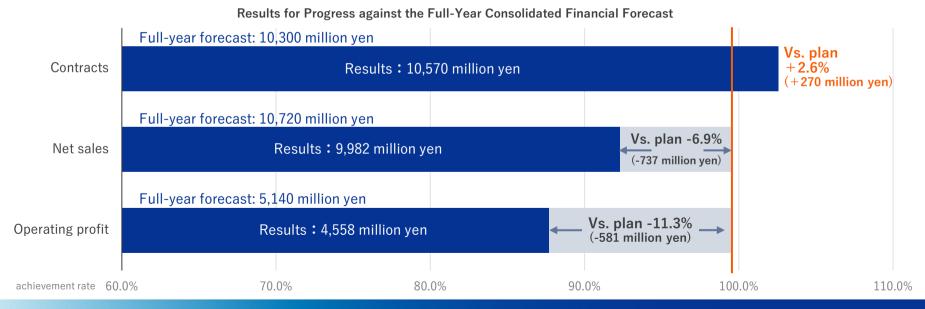
(Millions of Yen)

	As of end of FY Mar. 2024	As of end of FY Mar. 2025	Change from end of FY Mar. 2024	Main factors for changes
Current assets	20,183	20,012	-0.8%	Cash and deposits (-387M)
(Cash and deposit)	18,339	17,952	-2.1%	Fund for treasury share purchases (-1,000M)
Non-current assets	2,334	2,615	+12.0%	Software (+105M), Software in progress (+76M)
Total assets	22,518	22,627	+0.5%	
Current liabilities	6,467	5,209	-19.4%	Income taxes payable (-965M), Advances received (-336M)
(Advanced received)	4,418	4,082	-7.6%	Decreased linked to the progress in the recording of sales.
Non-current liabilities	52	52	-0.2%	
Equity capital	15,986	17,336	+8.4%	Treasury share buy-back (-736M), Dividends paid (-1,095M), Profit(+3,183M), and others
Net assets	15,998	17,365	+8.5%	
Equity ratio	71.0%	76.6%	-	
ROE	29.1%	19.1%	-	
ROA	20.1%	14.1%	-	

Difference from Initial Plan



Contracts ended higher than initially planned. The business environment has been evaluated to have been very favorable. Net sales were lower than initially planned. This is explained by a delay in the posting of sales in the accounting process due to a higher percentage of contracts being for cloud service products than initially planned. Operating profit also fell short of the initial plan as a result of net sales failing to reach the initially planned target despite expenses being lower than initially planned.





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02. Non-consolidated Results Highlights



Summary of Non-consolidated Results



Contracts increased more than 20%, surpassing initial projections. This was due to strong performance both in the enterprise sector market and in the public sector market. Net sales increased approximately 7% due to an increase in the cloud service product sales share. (Excluding DAC) Operating profit grew, reflecting an increase in net sales that offset the increase in the cost of sales, although the increasing communication expenses of data centers imposed a heavy burden due to the continued increase in the number of users of cloud service products.

(Millions of Yen)

	FY Mar. 2024	FY Mar. 2025	Change YoY	FY Mar. 2025 Full- Year Forecast*1
Contracts	8,630	10,561	+22.4%	-
Net sales	9,304	9,972	+7.2%	10,710
Cost of sales	2,664	2,945	+10.6%	2,850
Gross profit	6,639	7,026	+5.8%	7,860
Selling, general and administrative expenses	2,309	2,464	+6.7%	2,710
Operating profit	4,330	4,562	+5.4%	5,150
Operating margin	46.5%	45.8%	-	48.1%
Ordinary profit	4,348	4,569	+5.1%	5,150
Profit *The figure in square brackets [] represents gain of sales excluding DAC.	4,536 [3,030]	3,187	-29.7% [+5.2%]	3,550

^{*1:} Financial Forecast is the consolidated financial forecast announced on May 8, 2024.



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03. Net Sales by Market



Consolidated Contract Amount by Market



Consolidated contracts grew by double digits in both the enterprise sector market and the public sector market. (Excluding DAC)



Enterprise sector market

The contract amount increased 553 million yen (+12.4%) because demand for cloud security measures for the Internet and email and ongoing on-premises measures was captured and the company's performance in the cross-selling and upselling of the new f-FILTER product and the optional Anti-Virus & Sandbox product. (Excluding DAC)

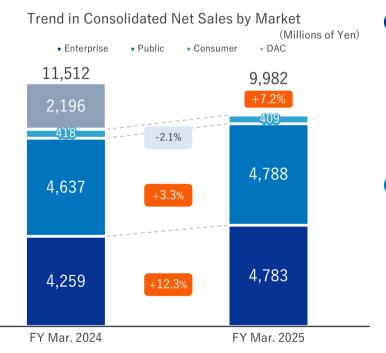
Public sector market

 A <u>substantial growth of 1,385 million yen (+36.9%)</u> was attained after holding a larger market share in projects for the second phase of GIGA School Concept than for the first phase and healthy acquisition of projects for security improvements for local governments and for Next-Generation School Affairs DX.

Consolidated Net Sales by Market



Sales grew at a double-digit rate in the enterprise sector market, whereas they were up slightly in the public sector market as a result of the increase in the percentage of contracts that were for cloud service products vs. the plan. (Excluding DAC)



Enterprise sector market

• The trend in sales appears similar to the trend in contracts. Sales increased 524 million yen (+12.3%), reflecting the success in capturing the demand for cloud security measures for the Internet and email and for ongoing on-premises measures and the strong performance of the company in the cross-selling and upselling of the new f-FILTER product and the optional Anti-Virus & Sandbox product. (Excluding DAC)

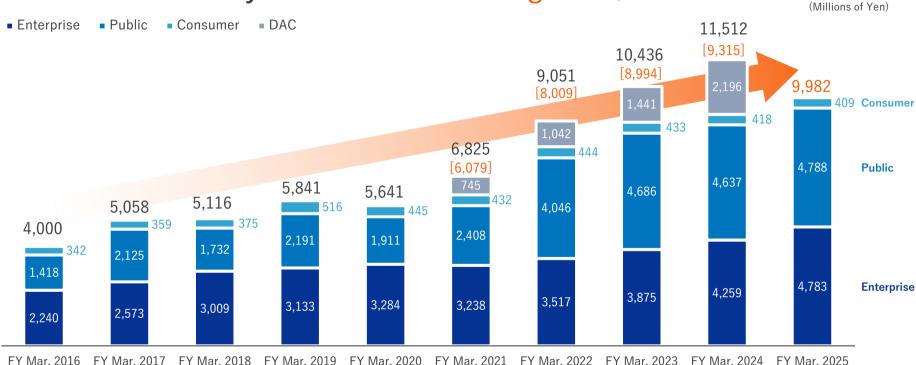
Public sector market

 Sales increased by a small margin, specifically 151 million yen (+3.3%), due to the slow posting of sales from increased orders for cloud service products in Next-Generation School Affairs DX and second phase GIGA School Concept projects despite the progress in the posting of sales in connection with projects for security improvements for Local Governments and for the first phase of GIGA School Concept.

Trend in Consolidated Net Sales by Market







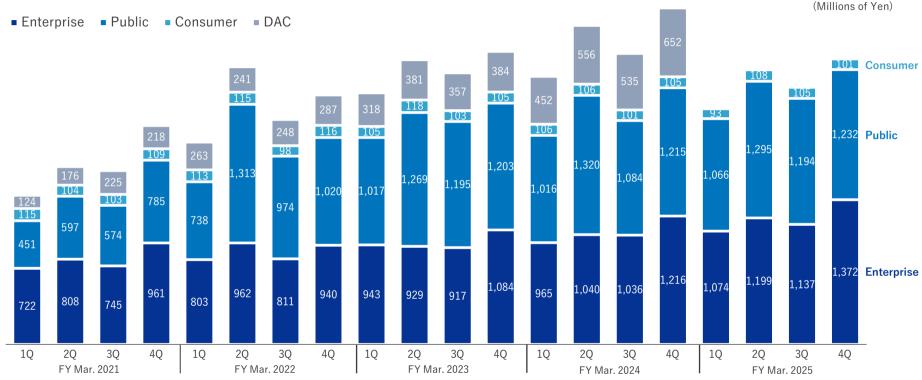
Note: DAC figures for 2020 and earlier are omitted, given that they have minor impacts.

The figure in square brackets [] represents net sales excluding DAC.

Quarterly Trend in Consolidated Net Sales by Market



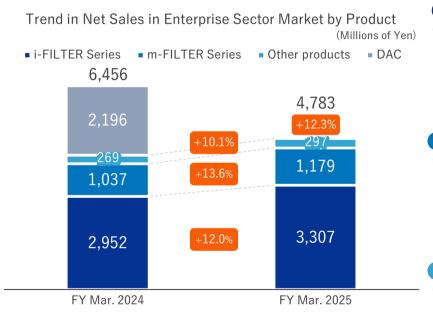
Net sales for the 4Q reached a record high. (Excluding DAC)



Net Sales in Market by Product



Net sales grew enormously as a result of the capturing of demand for cloud security measures and for continued on-premises measures and the strong sales of the new f-FILTER product and the optional Anti-Virus & Sandbox product. (Excluding DAC)



i-FILTER Series

• The Group captured demand for cloud security measures (such as cloud proxies, local break out for communication control, fixed IP addresses, and cloud access security brokers (CASB)), and for continued measures for onpremises products (such as changeovers from discontinued on-premises products from other vendors and the hybrid operation of cloud and onpremises products) and healthy sales of the optional Anti-Virus & Sandbox were achieved (+355 million yen/+12.0%).

m-FILTER Series

The Group firmly acquired new projects after it earned high marks for its comprehensive functions meeting various cloud-based email security needs (e.g., measures to address malware, prevent the use of PPAP*1 and prevent the incorrect sending, and archiving of email) amid the popularization of cloud-based email services. On the other hand, the cloud services ratio increased and the timing of the reception of orders for some large projects was delayed (+141 million yen/+13.6%).

Other products

Regarding f-FILTER, a new product, steady progress was made in the
acquisition of new projects due to efforts to sell the product with m-FILTER
as a set from the perspective of solutions to the PPAP^{*1} and DLP issues.

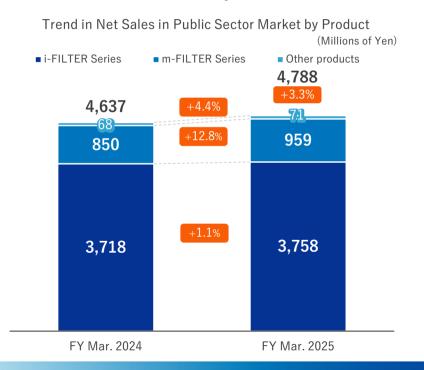
^{*1:} PPAP: A file transfer practice in which the file is converted into a password-protected zip file before sending and the password is sent in a separate e-mail message.



Net Sales Market by Product



While the contract amount increased significantly (+36.9%) due to the acquisition of projects for the Phase 2 of the GIGA School Concept and Security Improvements for Next-Generation School Affairs programs (see page 25), Net sales increased slightly following the rise in the cloud service product contract amount share.



i-FILTER Series

Sales of the i-FILTER series achieved only modest growth (+39 million yen/+1.1%). Extensive advertising of i-FILTER, a product with a competitive advantage, led to considerable growth in market share in orders for the second phase of GIGA School Concept. Robust acquisition of projects for Next-Generation School Affairs DX was attained. On the other hand, orders received for cloud service products increased to a level higher than planned, resulting in slow progress in posting of sales.

m-FILTER Series

Projects received for security improvements for Local Governments and for Next-Generation School Affairs DX were brisk, resulting in a high m-FILTER series product growth rate. (+109 million yen/+12.8%)

Other products

 Contracts for FinalCode and the new f-FILTER product grew sharply through bundle sales with mainstay products in Next-Generation School Affairs DX projects. A majority of orders were for cloud service products. This slowed the posting of sales.



Net Sales Market by Product



In the consumer sector market, sales of filtering measures for mobile devices slowed following the end of demand for such measures. The Group will increase its efforts to sell these solutions to expand its target customers and tap into new demand.







- Net sales declined reflecting a slowdown in new contracts obtained despite the strengthening of sales promotion activities for multi-year package products and the implementation of initiatives for products for Internet cafes. (-8 million yen/ -2.1%)
- Regarding products for personal computers and mobile phones, given the sense of a plateauing of demand for filtering measures for children, the Group will strengthen its products, while also securing new revenue sources through the expansion of target customers.
- To capture new demand, the Group aspires to advertise solutions to emerging social issues in the future, especially phishing fraud and online casinos.



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04. Results of Measures for the Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 2025



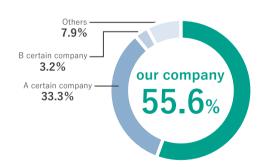
Market shares of i-FILTER and m-FILTER in the enterprise sector and public sector markets



Market shares of i-FILTER in the enterprise sector and public sector markets

According to the ITR Market Review: Cyber Security Solutions Market 2024 market research report published by ITR Corporation, i-FILTER had a 55.6% market share in "Web Filtering Market: Sales Share by Vendor" in FY2022, indicating it had the largest share of the market.

Web Filtering Market: Sales Share by Vendor in FY2022

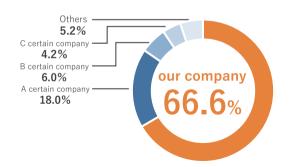


*Source: "Web Filtering Market: Sales Share by Vendor (FY2022)" in ITR Corporation: ITR Market Review: Cyber Security Solutions Market 2024 (published in May 2024)

Market shares of m-FILTER in the enterprise sector and public sector markets

According to Current State and Future Prospect of Internal Threat Control Solutions Market in FY2023 (https://micr.co.jp/mr/03010/) market research report by Deloitte Tohmatsu MIC Research Institute Co., Ltd., m-FILTER had a 66.6% market share in "Shipment Volume Share in Email Filtering and Archive Tools Market" in FY2022. This affirms that it had the largest share of the market.

Email Filtering and Archive Tools Market: Shipment Volume Share by Vendor



*Source: MIC Research Institute Ltd. "Information Security Solutions Market: Status and Outlook 2023 - Internal Information Leakage Prevention Solutions (https://mic-r.co.jp/mr/03010/)" Email Filtering/Archive Market: Vendor Share (by shipment) (FY2022) (Published February 2024).

Reference: What is our mainstay solutions "White Operation"?



White operations use a whitelist method that permits users to connect only to websites and email messages that have been verified as secure in advance. It protects ICT environments from known and unknown threats irrespective of the computer literacy of the user.

White Operation (whitelist method)

Security measures other than DA (blacklist method)



Access to unknown hazardous websites

- are blocked and cannot be accessed
- When users attempt to access these websites at anytime, attacks are blocked.

- are accessible
- Measures are taken after a cyber attack occurs.
- Devices are secure if they access them in the future.



Receive of unknown hazardous email

- are not received
- The product does not prevent users from securely opening other messages.
- are received
- Measures are taken after a cyber attack occurs.
- are now safe to open



Difference

There is a major difference between white operation, which blocks users from connecting to "gray areas" where it is unknown if it is safe or dangerous, and security measures provided by vendors other than Digital Arts, which allow users to connect to gray areas.

Why do competitors not adopt white operations?

White operations cannot be realized without the two elements mentioned on the right. It is therefore difficult for them to achieve them. However, Digital Arts have achieved white operations using its original technologies. Database with a high coverage rate and high accuracy constructed



The implementation of measures to prevent the falsification of the database

Product Releases: Take measures for AI security



Released in December 2024

Strengthen generative AI security using i-FILTER

A function that visualizes the state of use of generative Al Word-by-word filtering control A function that allows users to allow only necessary generative AI operations A function that displays a utilization warning screen General AI category NEW A function that comprehensively blocks or enables generative Al operations

Solving data leaks and other issues connected to the use of generative AI to encourage the secure use of generative AI.

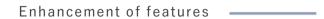
Product Releases: Functions Upgrade [f-FILTER]



Released in July 2024

Large-size storage / file storage period adjustment functions

Examples of requests for f-FILTER





Customer A

We hope that f-FILTER will support large files of over 100 MB, since they cannot be sent by e-mail.





Customer B



Customer C

We hope that, for **audit purposes**, files can be stored for a longer period than 30 days, such as five to seven years.



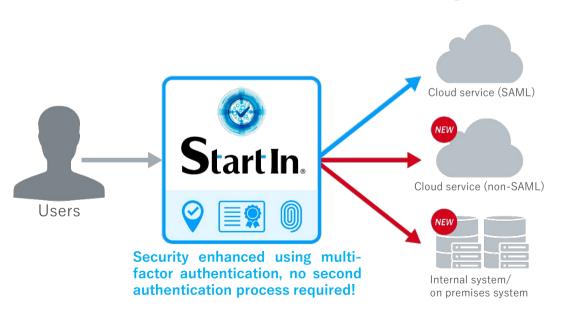
- The software is modified to provide a standard function that allows users to set the file access period within a range from one day to 30 days.
- An option is provided that allows users to configure the file storage period to one year, three years, five years, seven years and others.

Product Releases: Functions Upgrade [StartIn]



Released in March 2025

A solution has been released that resolves the cumbersomeness of ID management and authentication connected to coexisting on-premises and cloud systems.



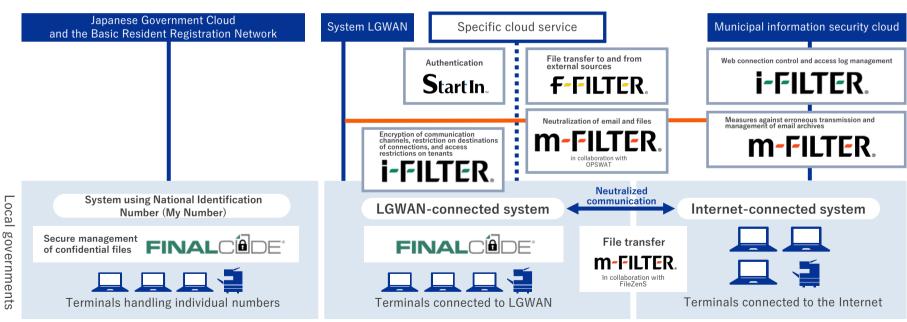
NEW

A single sign on is available for all online services, including non-SAML services and internal systems where the login form is accessed using a web browser.

Toughening of Security for Local Government: Compliance with New Guidelines



The α model is a commonly used security solution characterized by three-layer isolation. It is used for Local Governments' networks and personal computers and other business devices connected to them. Because of its emphasis on security, it is difficult to operate flexibly. Its drawbacks are in user convenience and operation efficiency. The new guidelines defined the α ' model as a method for connecting business devices directly to cloud services. That ultimately enlarged the scope of effective applicability of Digital Arts' solutions. In addition, the measure requires registration with the Information System Security Management and Assessment Program (ISMAP)*1 This means it is expected that our solutions that are already registered with ISMAP will be more likely to be selected.



^{*1:} Security assessment system for government information systems

Digital Arts' Solutions: Status of ISMAP^{*1} Registration



Registration of all of the cloud products for public institution with ISMAP¹¹ was completed in March 2025.



File Encryption/Remote deletion

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^{*1:} Security assessment system for government information systems

Product Releases: New Function for GIGA School Concept



Released in April 2024

Visualizing what websites schoolchildren and students view and how often

CASE 1



Number of those using terminals in the late nighttime slot

CASE 2



Terminal use ratio by school

CASE 3



Duration of use by online service

CASE 4



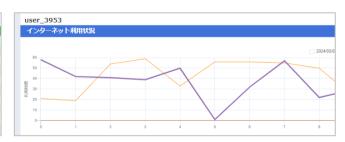
Ranking of time slots in terms of ratio of use

Meeting one of the conditions for subsidies for terminal replacement costs, monitoring the state of operation of terminals for fulfillment of the minimum standard for specifications.

It greatly aided the expansion of the market share in orders for the second phase of GIGA School Concept.



	Webサービス	累計	早朝	午前
1	Yahoo! トラベル	3時間45分	12分	245
2	Yahoo!カレンダー	3時間13分	14分	295
3	Gmail 添付ファイル	3時間03分	03分	145
4	Microsoft TechNet Online	3時間01分	12 5)	185
5	X (Twitter) 連携アプリ認証 (OAuth認証)	2時間57分	26分	265
6	X (Twitter) ログイン	2時間48分	20分	24;
7	Yahoo! 画像·動画検索	2時間39分	16 9)	225
8	文部科学省公式チャンネル 閲覧	2時間37分	18分	265
9	Amazon Drive	2時間15分	10 5)	145
10	Bing 画像アップロード検索	2時間07分	14分	185





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05. FY03/26 Initiatives



Entire Security Market



Following a recent increase in the number of security incidents, the security market is growing faster than when the Medium-Term Management Plan (From FY March 2025 to FY March 2027) was being formulated. The need for security measures is expected to remain strong.

Forecast of growth in the network security market that we will operate within

Current market size

98.5

billion yen^{*1}

At the time of the formulation of the Medium-Term Management Plan

96.7 billion yen

Web filtering / Mail Filtering/ Integrated SWG / CASB/ IDaaS / EDR **CAGR 18%**

At the time of the formulation of the Medium-Term Management Plan CAGR 17.0%

Market size in FY March 2027

160.5

billion yen*1

At the time of the formulation of the Medium-Term Management Plan 155.5 billion ven

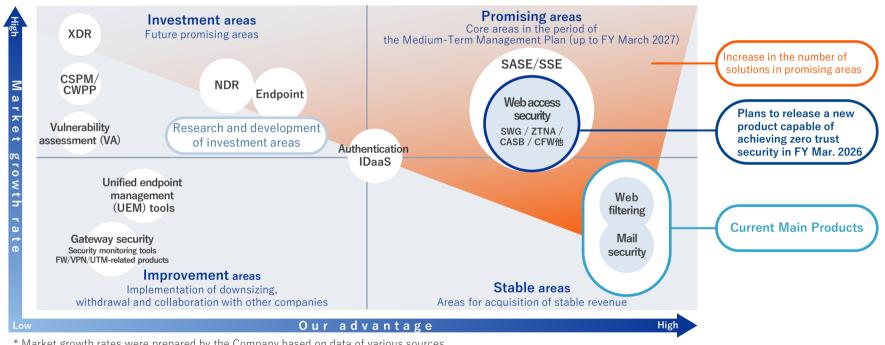
Web filtering / Mail Filtering/ Integrated SWG / CASB/ IDaaS / EDR

^{*1:} Our estimates based on various kinds of information

Product Strategy



The Group will enhance its solutions in promising areas where the market is growing at a high rate and where the Group's advantages can be used, and it will carry out research and development in investment areas for the future expansion of its business.



^{*} Market growth rates were prepared by the Company based on data of various sources



Implementation of Sales Strategies for Different Sizes of Corporation



Plans to release new products that can achieve zero trust security and implement comprehensive security proposals for large, medium, and small and medium companies



Target customers

Companies with less than 10,000 employees are the main targets.

Propose solutions that fulfill the comprehensive security needs of companies with limited budgets and personnel for implementing security measures

Reference: Prepared by the Company based on data from Japan's Company Composition by Size created by the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry (METI) and NLI Research Institute

Focus on Target Industries



We will conduct intensive sales and marketing activities targeting industries determined in view of conformity to industry guidelines not only company size, the trends in orders gained, compliance with ISMS standards and others.

Conformity with industry guidelines

Capture demand related to compliance with industry security guidelines in the automobile, manufacturing, construction and other sectors



Trend in orders

Propose solutions that can be applied to different business sectors where Digital Arts products have an established market share in line with past order trends, such as the finance, infrastructure and rail transport sectors



Compliance with ISMS standards

Capture demand generated by public companies, telecommunications operators and others in connection with measures for acquiring and maintaining the certification of information security management systems (ISMS)

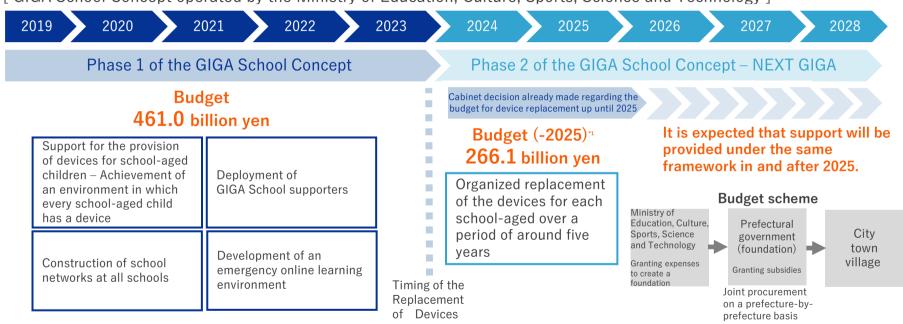


Phase 2 of the GIGA School Concept



Implementation of the second phase of GIGA School Concept began in 2024 (FY March 2025).

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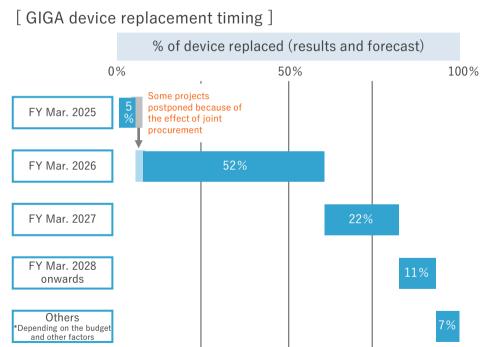


^{*1} Only for replacement of GIGA School Concept Devices
Source: The data were prepared by the Company based on data of the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology and media reports.

Phase 2 of the GIGA School Concept - Timing of the Replacement of Devices -



When replacing GIGA devices in FY March 2025, one board of education considered the joint procurement of devices for a long time and another postponed their replacement to FY March 2026. It is expected that they will replace their devices in that fiscal year.



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- As for the date of replacing GIGA devices, approx. 60% of the education boards will be due for replacement by the end of FY March 2026.
- The guidelines for device procurement in phase 2 of the GIGA School Concept presented by the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology stipulate that the procured devices must have a web filtering function. It is anticipated that procurement of web filtering will be faster than in phase 1.

Source: The data were prepared by the Company based on data of the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology and media reports,

Next-Generation School Affairs DX



The Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology calls for the following implementation as the direction of the Next-Generation School affairs DX:

*As a regional fiscal measure, financial support of 180.5 billion yen on a single-year basis has always been provided for computerization of school affairs

Make it possible to reduce the burden on teaching staff and school This can be tackled by utilizing officials working inside and outside the school, as well as on GIGA devices and the existing members of the education boards, and support the acceleration and network environment activation of communication through active use of the general-Work purpose cloud tools Style Integration of school reform Develop an environment offering connection to the school affairs/learning networks affairs/learning systems from anywhere and allow flexible and safe work styles tailored to the individual needs of teaching staff Cloud migration of school affairs support Allow low-cost and real-time integration of data owned by school system affairs system and the learning system Data linking Creation of Data chaining Support the sophistication of school management, educational guidelines and education policies by visualizing various kinds of infrastructure (dashboard) data in an integrated way by using the dashboard function Cloud migration of Allow securing operation continuity even in the event of a largeschool affairs support Resilience scale disaster system

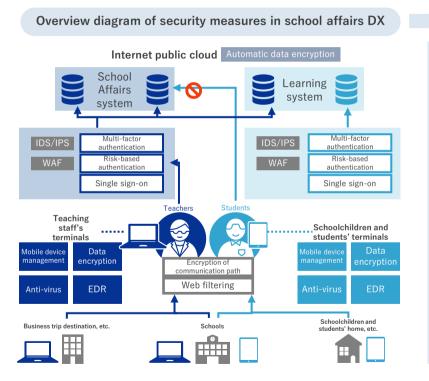
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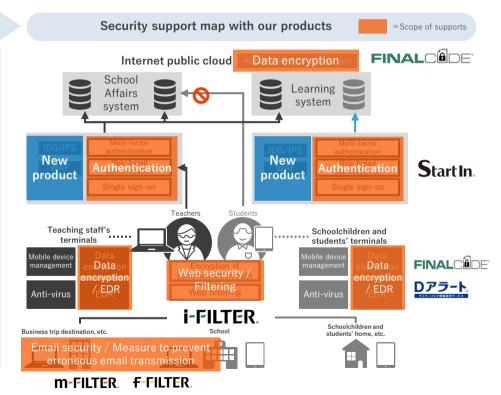


Initiative for Next-Generation School Affairs DX



New product releases will further expand the range of areas supported by our products.







Schedule for Development of Next-Generation School Affairs DX



Product procurement in FY March 2026 will be at the same level as in the previous fiscal year with a view toward beginning the operation of the school affairs support system.

[School Affairs DX development schedule]



POINT

- As a regional fiscal measure, financial support of 180.5 billion yen on a single-year basis has always been provided for computerization of school affairs
- The Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology's document, School Affairs DX under the GIGA School Concept, stresses the importance of security measures by presenting some case studies. For school affairs that involve the personal information of schoolaged children, it is necessary to apply stronger measures than the measures used for GIGA School Concept devices.

Source: The data were prepared by the Company based on data of the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology and media reports.



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06. Full-Year Financial Forecast for the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2026



Full-Year Financial Forecast for the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2026 (Consolidated)

We will carry out product and sales strategies in the enterprise sector market and maximize our market share and the amount of orders received in the public sector market to achieve the growth of net sales, operating profit and ordinary profit.

	FY Mar. 2025 Full-Year Results	FY Mar. 2026 Full-Year Forecast	Change	% Change	Note
Contracts	10,570	16,475	+5,904	+55.9%	It is expected that contracts and net sales will increase due to the stepping up of solution proposal activities involving priority targets and the conducting of cross-selling and up-selling activities for existing customers to increase our presence in
Net sales	9,982	12,550	+2,567	+25.7%	the enterprise sector market and receive projects for the second phase of GIGA School Concept and Next-Generation School Affairs DX projects.
Cost of sales	2,948	3,290	+341	+11.6%	Investment of nearly 200 million yen for development human resource, depreciation following product enhancement and a rise of 180 million yen in communication expenses due to growing usership of cloud service products are anticipated.
Gross profit	7,033	9,260	+2,226	+31.7%	
Gross profit point	70.5%	73.8%	-	-	
SG & A	2,474	3,110	+635	+25.7%	It is projected that around 400 million yen will be invested in increasing base pay, recruitment and training.
Operating profit	4,558	6,150	+1,591	+34.9%	
Operating margin	45.7%	49.0%	-	-	
Ordinary profit	4,562	6,150	+1,587	+34.8%	
Profit attributable to owners of parent	3,183	4,200	+1,016	+31.9%	

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Full-Year Financial Forecast for the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2026 (Non-Consolidated)



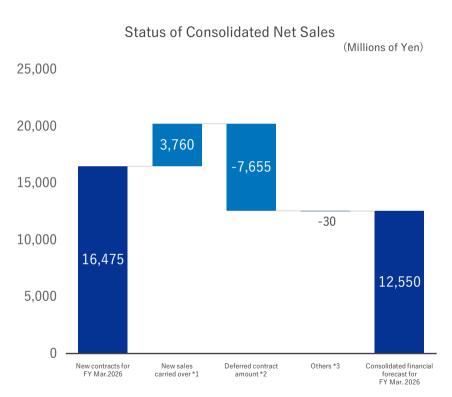
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	FY Mar. 2025 Full-Year Results	FY Mar. 2026 Full-Year Forecast	Change	% Change	(Millions of Yen) Note
Contracts	10,561	16,470	+5,908	+55.9%	It is expected that contracts and net sales will increase due to the stepping up of solution proposal activities involving priority targets and the conducting of cross-selling and up-selling activities for existing customers to increase our presence in
Net sales	9,972	12,545	+2,572	+25.8%	the enterprise sector market and receive projects for the second phase of GIGA School Concept and Next-Generation School Affairs DX projects.
Cost of sales	2,945	3,290	+344	+11.7%	Investment of nearly 200 million yen for development human resource, depreciation following product enhancement and a rise of 180 million yen in communication expenses due to growing usership of cloud service products are anticipated.
Gross profit	7,026	9,255	+2,228	+31.7%	
Gross profit point	70.5%	73.8%	-	-	
SG & A	2,464	3,095	+630	+25.6%	It is projected that around 400 million yen will be invested in increasing base pay, recruitment and training.
Operating profit	4,562	6,160	+1,597	+35.0%	
Operating margin	45.8%	49.1%	-	-	
Ordinary profit	4,569	6,160	+1,590	+34.8%	
Profit	3,187	4,210	+1,022	+32.1%	

Status of Consolidated Net Sales



Consolidated net sales are forecast as follows:



Net sales for the current fiscal year

- For the current fiscal year, contracts are projected at 16,475 million yen. Our future actions aimed at reaching this level include product enhancements including new product releases, the strengthening of activities in which we make proposals to priority targets and the implementation of cross-selling and up-selling activities to existing customers in the enterprise sector market. We will also pursue higher market share in orders for projects for the second phase of GIGA School Concept, an increase in sales per existing customer and the acquisition of projects for Next-Generation School Affairs DX in the public sector market.
- 3,760 million yen from the cloud projects that were acquired before the previous fiscal year, such as the first phase of GIGA School Concept projects, are transferred as sales in the current fiscal year.

^{*1:} Sales recorded from the order backlog of contracts acquired in previous fiscal years

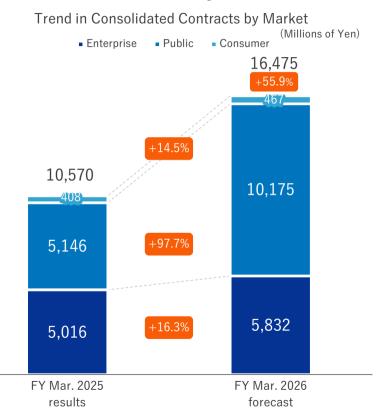
^{*2 :} Contracts for the current fiscal year that are deferred to subsequent fiscal years (contract backlogs)

^{*3:} Sales returns and sales at overseas subsidiaries

Status of Consolidated Contracts by Market



Consolidated contracts by market are forecast as follows:



Enterprise sector market

Contracts are expected to grow, reflecting the expansion of White Operation through proposal activities targeting customers selected in consideration of their industry and the size of their business to cultivate new customers, the proposal of solutions involving a combination of cross-selling and up-selling activities and new products that can achieve zero trust security to White Operation customers and the continual functional upgrading of products.

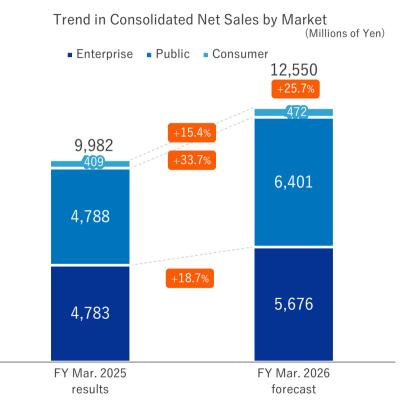
Public sector market

• Aiming to maximize contracts for projects for the second phase of GIGA School Concept, we will capitalize on our customer base with our leading market share to collect requests from users for further upgrading i-FILTER's functions for educational institutions in a bid to boost customer satisfaction and product value. In addition, we will continue to implement the project management method that was practiced to produce favorable results in the previous fiscal year. We will strictly carry out sales and marketing activities that advertise additional value for the purpose of increasing both our market share in orders and sales per existing customer. With a view to bolstering contracts for projects for Next-Generation School Affairs DX, we will leverage the customer base for GIGA School Concept to generate sales opportunities. We will not only sell mainstay products on a standalone basis but also sell them in combination with new products and option products.

Status of Consolidated Net Sales by Market



Consolidated net sales by market are forecast as follows:



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Consolidated Cost of Sales and Selling, General and Administrative Expenses



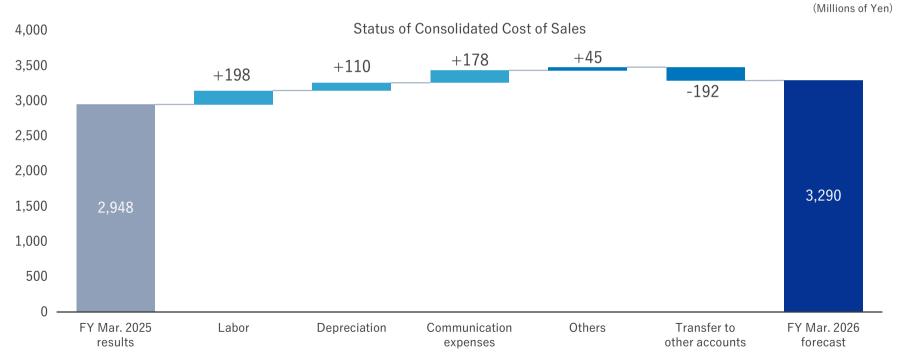
Regarding cost of sales, depreciation is projected to increase, mainly due to investment in development personnel and product enhancement. Selling, general and administrative expenses are expected to rise mainly due to the increased investment in human resources.

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	FY Mar. 2025 Full-Year Results	FY Mar. 2026 Full-Year Forecast	Change YoY	Main Factors for Change
Cost of Sales	2,948	3,290	+11.6%	
Labor	1,040	1,239	+19.1%	Investment in new products and personnel for functional development
Depreciation	865	976	+12.8%	Increase in depreciation associated with software development and improvement
Communication expenses	1,505	1,684	+11.9%	While communication expenses will increase following the increase in the number of users of cloud service products, we will carry out fundamental measures to control expenses and limit the cost increase.
Others	653	699	+6.9%	
Transfer to other accounts	-1,116	-1,309	-17.2%	Transfer of costs related to software development to other accounts
SG & A	2,474	3,110	+25.7%	
Personnel expenses	1,229	1,630	+32.7%	Investments in human resources including the hiring of new graduates, the increase of base pay, and incentive plans
Advertising expenses	309	348	+12.7%	Increase in sales promotion expenses for receiving projects for the second phase of GIGA School Concept and expenses related to the Group's 30th anniversary
Others	936	1,131	+20.8%	Strengthening of recruitment (approx. 130 million yen)

Status of Consolidated Cost of Sales



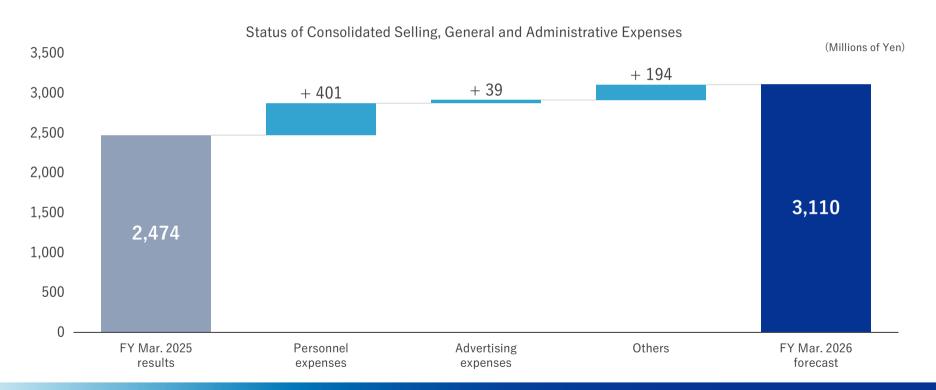
Depreciation is expected to increase due to investments in personnel for the development of new products and new functions and the development and improvement of software. Communication expenses are forecast to increase slightly after implementation of fundamental cost control measures.



Status of Consolidated Selling, General and Administrative Expenses



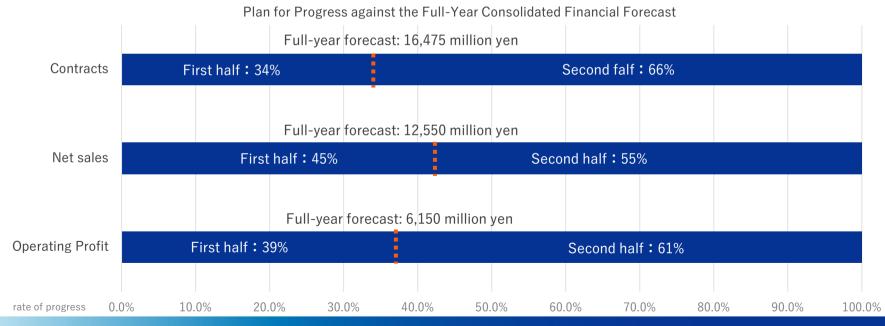
Personnel expenses and hiring expenses are expected to increase for increasing investment in personnel, which is a priority area in the Medium-Term Management Plan.



Plan for Progress against the Full-Year Consolidated Financial Forecast



The plan envisions progress in contracts to be made mainly in the second half due to the concentration of orders for projects for the second phase of GIGA School Concept and other orders in the second half. The plan foresees that net sales will grow at a higher rate than contracts in the first half given the posting of sales for cloud service products, orders for which were received in the previous fiscal year and earlier. The plan expects a greater concentration of operating profit in the second half than net sales, given that selling, general and administrative expenses will be concentrated in the first half.





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07. Return to Shareholders for the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2026



Return to Shareholders for the Fiscal Year Ending Mar. 2026



Starting FY March 2026, we will change our shareholder return policy as follows to strengthen our stance on returning profit to shareholders. Under the new policy, we plan shareholder returns for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2026 as follows.

FY Mar. 2025

Policy

Target payout ratio: 30% or more

Shareholder returns

Dividends:

85.00 yen per share

FY Mar. 2026

Policy

Progressive dividends

*A dividend policy of maintaining and increasing dividends, and avoiding decreasing them in principle

Target payout ratio: 50% or more

Return to Shareholders for the Fiscal Year Ending Mar. 2026 (forecast)

Dividends 95.00 yen per share

Up 10.00 yen from FY Mar. 2025 (Dividends have increased for 12 consecutive years)

Including a commemorative dividend of 5.00 yen for the Group's 30th anniversary

Purchase of treasury shares 1 billion yen*

*We will purchase treasury shares **flexibly in consideration** of the trends in our performance and the stock market and other factors.

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