Interim Financial Statements (Non-consolidated) for The Year Ending March 31, 2005

Listed Exchanges: Name of Section I of Tokyo, Osaka and SHIONOGI & CO., LTD. Listed Company: Nagoya, and Fukuoka and Sapporo Code: 4507 Location of Head Offie: Osaka Prefecture (URL http://www.shionogi.co.jp) Representative: Title of Person in Charge: President Name: Motozo Shiono Contact Title of Person in Charge: General Manager, Public Relations Unit Name: Noriyuki Kishida responsibility: Phone: (06)6202-2161 Date of Meeting of Board of Directors for Approving Financial Statements: November 1, 2004

December 1, 2004

Available (1 Unit: 1,000shares) Financial results for the period from April 1, 2004 to September 30, 2004 1.

Available

Commencement of Interim Dividend Payment:

Interim Dividend System:

Unit Share System :

1) Sales and income			(Note: All amounts	are rounded d	lown to the nearest m	illion yen.
	Net sales		Operating incom	е	Ordinary income	e
	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%
Six months ended September 30, 2004	85,440	(5.0)	7,842	40.5	8,456	53.5
Six months ended September 30, 2003	89,958	(2.8)	5,583	(0.1)	5,508	(3.0)
Year ended March 31, 2004	183,274	(4.1)	16,168	14.9	15,458	2.9
	Net income (los	s)	Earnings (loss) per	share		
	Million yen	%		Yen		
Six months ended September 30, 2004	7,068	-	20.44			
Six months ended September 30, 2003	(3,231)	-	(9.34)			
Year ended March 31, 2004	1,335	(61.3)	3.63			

(Notes) Average number of shares outstanding during the period [1]

> Six months ended September 30, 2004: Six months ended September 30, 2003: 345,821,936 shares 345,935,172 shares

Year ended March 31, 2004: 345,902,642 shares

[2] Changes in accounting method: None

[3] The percentages shown under net sales, operating income, ordinary income and net income in the table above represent the change from the corresponding figures for the same interim period of the prior year.

Dividends (2)

	Interim dividend per share	Annual dividend per share
	Yen	Yen
Six months ended September 30, 2004	4.25	-
Six months ended September 30, 2003	4.25	-
Year ended March 31, 2004	-	8.50

Financial position (3)

	Total assets	al assets Shareholders' equity		Shareholders' equity per share
	Million yen	Million yen	%	Yen
As of September 30, 2004	369,810	288,050	77.9	833.00
As of September 30, 2003	375,862	274,630	73.1	793.95
As of March 31, 2004	366,113	286,468	78.2	828.07

(Notes)	[1]	Shares outstanding as of the period end	
		As of September 30, 2004:	As of September 30, 2003:
		345,798,264 shares	345,903,682 shares
	[2]	Treasury stocks held as of the period end	
		As of September 30, 2004:	As of September 30, 2003:

As of September 30, 2004: 5,337,901 shares

5,232,483 shares

As of March 31, 2004: 345,850,340 shares

As of March 31, 2004: 5,285,825 shares

2 Forecasted results for the year ending March 31, 2005 (April 1, 2004 to March 31, 2005)

	Not sales	Net sales Ordinary income		Annual dividend per share			
	INEL SAIES	Orumary income	Net income	Year-end dividend per share			
	Million yen	Million yen	Million yen	Yen	Yen		
For the year ending March 31, 2005	182,000	25,000	17,000	4.25	8.50		

(Reference) Estimated earnings per share for FY 2005: ¥49.16

The accompanying interim consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles and practice generally accepted and applied in Japan.

These estimates on November 1, 2004 include a number of assumptions, forward-looking projections and plans. Note:

The actual results may differ substantially depending on the situation of competitors, uncertainties in the market. Refer to page 7.



November 1, 2004

Interim Non-consolidated Statements of Income

Period	Six months September 3		Six months September 3			Year en March 31,	
A	Amount	Percentage	Amount	Percentage	Increase	Amount	Percentage
Account		%		%	(decrease)		c
Net sales	85,440	100.0	89,958	100.0	(4,518)	183,274	100.
Cost of sales	31,361	36.7	36,211	40.3	(4,850)	70,754	38.
Gross profit	54,078	63.3	53,747	59.7	331	112,519	61
Selling, general and administrative expenses	46,236	54.1	48,164	53.5	(1,928)	96,351	52
Operating income	7,842	9.2	5,583	6.2	2,259	16,168	8
Non-operating income	2,559	3.0	2,229	2.5	330	4,256	2
Interest income	112		142		(30)	255	
Interest on securities	234		289		(55)	520	
Dividend income	553		574		(21)	1,035	
Income from real estate rental	1,006		1,030		(24)	2,055	
Exchange gain	462		-		462	-	
Other income	191		192		(1)	390	
Non-operating expenses	1,945	2.3	2,304	2.6	(359)	4,966	2
Interest expense	21		44		(23)	85	
Interest on bonds	201		202		(1)	401	
Contributions	466		564		(98)	1,091	
Depreciation	278		168		110	461	
taxes and public impositions	200		185		15	290	
Other expenses	778		1,139		(361)	2,636	
Ordinary income	8,456	9.9	5,508	6.1	2,948	15,458	8
Extraordinary income	3,719	4.3	-	-	3,719	16	(
Gain on change to defined contribution pension plan	3,563		-		3,563	-	
Gain on sales of investments in securities	156		-		156	16	
Extraordinary losses	91	0.1	10,270	11.4	(10,179)	12,192	e
Loss on revaluation of investments in securities	91		97		(6)	99	
Costs related to outplacement support	-		6,542		(6,542)	7,081	
Additional retirement benefits	-		3,630		(3,630)	3,652	
Other losses	-		-		-	1,357	
Income (loss) before income taxes	12,084	14.1	(4,761)	(5.3)	16,845	3,282	1
Income taxes, current	1,910	2.2	63	0.1	1,847	1,130	(
Income taxes, deferred	3,106	3.6	(1,593)	(1.8)	4,699	816	(
Net income (loss)	7,068	8.3	(3,231)	(3.6)	10,299	1,335	(
Retained earnings brought forward	3,765		2,789		976	2,789	
Interim dividends	-		-		-	1,470	
Unappropriated retained earnings taken over upon the merger	-		12,848		(12,848)	12,848	
Unappropriated earnings at the end of the period	10,833		12,407		(1,574)	15,504	

Interim Non-consolidated Balance Sheets

(Assets)

	As of Contracts	- 20, 2004		24 2004		(Units: Milli	
Account	As of Septembe		As of March :	-	Increase (decrease)	As of Septembe	-
	Amount	Percentage	Amount	Percentage	()	Amount	Percentage
(Assets)		%		%			%
Current assets							
Cash and deposits	70,531		64,971		5,560	80,194	
Notes receivable	745		838		(93)	807	
Accounts receivable - trade	62,220		67,003		(4,783)	65,864	
Marketable securities	22,094		23,039		(945)	2,356	
Inventories	28,780		29,906		(1,126)	35,604	
Other current assets	15,045		16,159		(1,114)	26,021	
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(908)		(909)		1	(783)	
Total current assets	198,510	53.7	201,008	54.9	(2,498)	210,065	55.9
Fixed assets:							
Property, plant and equipment:							
Buildings	27,185		27,632		(447)	28,232	
Other	28,821		29,668		(847)	30,478	
Property, plant and equipment, net	56,007	15.1	57,301	15.7	(1,294)	58,710	15.6
Intangible fixed assets	3,685	1.0	4,018	1.1	(333)	4,093	1.1
Investments and other assets:							
Investments in securities	90,732		94,487		(3,755)	98,418	
Other assets	21,064		9,422		11,642	4,697	
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(190)		(124)		(66)	(122)	
Total investments and other assets	111,607	30.2	103,785	28.3	7,822	102,993	27.4
Total fixed assets	171,300	46.3	165,104	45.1	6,196	165,797	44.
Total assets	369,810	100.0	366,113	100.0	3,697	375,862	100.0

Interim Non-consolidated Balance Sheets

(Liabilities and shareholders' equity)

Period	As of September 30, 2004 As of March 31, 2004		Increase	(Units: Millions of yen) As of September 30, 2003			
Account	Amount	Percentage	Amount	Percentage	(decrease)	Amount	Percentage
(Liabilities)		%		%			%
Current liabilities:							
Accounts payable	10,687		9,375		1,312	9,312	
Short-term loans	169		743		(574)	8,101	
Current portion of bonds	20,000		-		20,000	-	
Reserve for bonuses	6,569		5,862		707	6,459	
Other reserves	798		709		89	667	
Other current liabilities	19,273		15,805		3,468	34,909	
Total current liabilities	57,497	15.5	32,496	8.9	25,001	59,448	15.8
Long-term liabilities:							
Bonds	-		20,000		(20,000)	20,000	
Deferred income taxes	8,967		7,753		1,214	3,600	
Accrued retirement benefits for employees	7,601		18,051		(10,450)	16,781	
Other reserves	254		462		(208)	439	
Other long-term liabilities	7,437		881		6,556	961	
Total long-term liabilities	24,261	6.6	47,148	12.9	(22,887)	41,782	11.
Total liabilities	81,759	22.1	79,644	21.8	2,115	101,231	26.
(Shareholders' equity)							
Common stock	21,279	5.8	21,279	5.8	0	21,279	5.
Additional paid-in capital	20,227	5.5	20,227	5.5	0	20,227	5.
Additional paid-in capital	20,227		20,227		0	20,227	
Earned Surplus	231,350	62.5	225,831	61.7	5,519	222,734	59.
Legal reserve	5,388		5,388		0	5,388	
Reserves	215,127		204,938		10,189	204,938	
Unappropriated retained earnings	10,833		15,504		(4,671)	12,407	
Unrealized gain on securities	16,632	4.5	20,473	5.6	(3,841)	11,627	3.
Less:Treasury stock	(1,439)	(0.4)	(1,343)	(0.4)	(96)	(1,238)	(0.
Total shareholders' equity	288,050	77.9	286,468	78.2	1,582	274,630	73.
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	369,810	100.0	366,113	100.0	3,697	375,862	100.

Notes to interim non-consolidated financial statements

1. Basis and method of asset evaluation (1) Securities	
Held-to-maturity securities	 Amortized cost method
Investments in subsidiaries and affiliates Other securities	 At cost determined by the moving average method
Market value available	 At fair value, based on market price or other appropriate quotation as of the period end
	(Unrealized gain is charged directly to capital; cost of sales is accounted for by the moving average method.)
Market value not available	 At cost determined by the moving average method
(2) Inventories	
Merchandise, raw materials	 At the lower-of-cost-or-market method determined by the average method.
Finished goods, semifinished goods, work in process and supplies	 At cost determined by the average method
 2. Depreciation method of fixed assets (1) Property, plant and equipment 	 By the declining-balance method
(2) Intangible fixed assets	Buildings (except for structures attached to the buildings) acquired subsequent to April 1, 1998 are depreciated by straight-line method. Straight-line method
	Expenditures relating to computer software intended for internal use are amortized over the useful life of the respective assets (in general, five years).

3. Basis for providing allowances and reserves

(1) Allowance for doubtful accounts

The allowance for doubtful accounts is provided to cover loss on bad debts. The amount provided for general receivables is based on the historical rate of bad debts; for certain accounts with considerable risk, the estimated uncollectible amount is provided as an additional allowance after examining all possibilities for collection.

(2) Reserve for bonuses

To prepare for the payment of bonuses to employees, a reserve for bonuses is provided based on the estimated amount of bonuses to be paid.

(3) Accrued retirement benefits

To prepare for the payment of retirement benefits to employees, a reserve for retirement benefits is provided based on the retirement benefit liabilities accrued and the expected value of the pension plan assets as of the period end. Prior service cost is amortized by the straight-line method over 10 years, which is within the estimated average remaining years of service of the eligible employees.

Actuarial gain or loss is proportionally amortized in each year following year in which the gain or loss is recognized, principally by the straight-line method over 10 years, which is within the estimated average remaining years of service of the eligible employees.

(Additional information)

The Company transferred a certain portion of its retirement benefit plans to a defined contribution pension plan in April 2004. With respect to this transfer, the Company adopted "Accounting for Transfers Among Retirement Benefit Plans" ("Financial Accounting Standard Implementation Guidance No. 1"). The effect of the adoption of this accounting standard generated gain of 3,563 million yen for the six month ended September 30, 2004.

4. Accounting for lease transactions

Finance leases other than those under which the leased property is deemed transferred to the lessee are accounted for as operating leases.

5. Hedge accounting

[1]	Method of hedge accounting		Gain (loss) resulting from forward foreign exchange contracts relating to transactions denominated in a foreign currency is allocated over the applicable periods.
[2]	Hedging instruments and hedgeda. Hedging instrumentsb. Hedged items	items 	Forward foreign exchange contracts Receivables and payables denominated in foreign currencies
[3]	Hedging policy		The Company enters into forward foreign exchange contracts to hedge against the risk of exchange rate fluctuation for receivables and payables denominated in foreign currencies.

6. Consumption tax

Amounts reflected in the non-consolidated financial statements are stated exclusive of consumption tax.

[Notes to interim non-consolidated statements of income]

		-	hs ended	Six mont	hs ended	Year	ended
		Septembe	er 30, 2004	Septembe	r 30, 2003	March 3	1, 2004
1.	The major items and amounts included in sales	, general an	d administrati	ve expenses	were as follow	ws:	
	Advertising	1,975	Million yen	2,445	Million yen	4,434	Million yen
	Sales promotional activities	4,474		4,293		9,632	
	Salaries	8,136		8,103		20,263	
	Provision for reserve for bonuses	3,660		3,757		3,577	
	Provision for retirement benefits	569		3,271		6,146	
	R & D expenses	15,698	Million yen	14,385	Million yen	29,498	Million yen
	(R&D expenses above include following amounts p	provided as re	eserves:)				
	Provision for reserve for bonuses	1,790	Million yen	1,573	Million yen	1,438	Million yen
	Provision for retirement benefits	268		1,151		2,271	
2.	Depreciation for the period						
	Property, plant and equipment	3,113	Million yen	3,258	Million yen	6,907	Million yen
	Intangible fixed assets	583	- J -	529	- , -	1,088	-) -
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Inotes to i	nterim non-consolidated balance sheets]	As	s of	As	of	As	of
			er 30, 2004	March 3		Septembe	
1.	Accumulated depreciation of property, plant and equipment	150,472	Million yen	148,765	Million yen	150,014	Million yen
2.	CommitmentsLines of Credit						
	The Company entered into line-of-credit commitme	ents with 9 ba	nks in order to	enhance its w	orking capital	efficiency.	
	The outstanding balances of these lines of credit w	ere as follow	s:				
	Total amount of lines of credit	20,000	Million yen	20,000	Million yen	-	Million yen
	The amount of borrowing	-		-			
	Outstanding balances	20,000		20,000		-	
3.	Guaranteed liabilities	122	Million yen	362	Million yen	335	Million yen
4.	Pledged assets and secured liabilities						
	The assets listed below have been pledged as coll	ateral for loar	ns:				
	Book value of pledged assets						
	Investments in securities	-	Million yen	437	Million yen	253	Million yen
	Liabilities secured by the above assets						
	Short-term loans payable	-	Million yen	725	Million yen	725	Million yen

5. Consumption tax

Consumption tax paid and consumption tax received are netted and the amount is included in other current liabilities.

[Notes to lease transactions]

Finance leases other than those under which the leased property is deemed to have been transferred to the lessee:

		Six months ended September 30, 2004		Year ended March 31, 2004			nths ended ber 30, 2004
1.	Acquisition cost equivalent, accumulated depre Acquisition cost equivalent Accumulated depreciation equivalent		alent and period-e Million yen	nd balance e 257 168	equivalent of leas Million yen		es Million yen
	Period-end balance * Tools and furniture account for most of the at		Million yen s.	89	Million yen	114	Million yen
2.	Breakdown of period-end balance equivalent o Within one year Exceeding one year Total	55 69	eases Million yen Million yen	48 41 89	Million yen Million yen	64	Million yen Million yen
3.	Lease payments and depreciation equivalent Lease payments Depreciation equivalent	28 28		49 49	Million yen Million yen	24 24	
4.	Calculation of depreciation equivalent	of the lease The acquisi	the useful life d property. tion cost s depreciated ght-line r the useful ng a nil	The same	e as at left	The san	ne as at left

(Note) The amounts shown in 1 and 2 above include the interest portion.

[Notes to securities]

Stocks of subsidiaries and affiliates with available quoted market prices ... None

[Amounts per share]

	Six months ended	Six months ended	Year ended	
	September 30, 2004	September 30, 2004	March 31, 2004	
Shareholders' equity per share	833.00 Yen	793.95 Yen	828.07 Yen	
Earnings (loss) per share	20.44	(9.34)	3.63	

(Notes) 1. Net income after giving effect to the diluted potential of common stock has not been presented since there are no such potential shares to be issued.

2. Information for the computation of net income (loss) per share is as follows.

	Six mont Septembe		Six month September		Year e March 3	
Net income(loss)	7,068	Million yen	(3,231)	Million yen	1,335	Million yen
The amount which is not attributable to ordinary shareholders (Bonus to directors and statutory	-		-		80	
auditors to pay as appropriations of retained earnings)	(-)		(-)		(80)	
Net income (loss) related to common stocks	7,068		(3,231)		1,255	
Average number of shares outstanding during the period	345,821	Thousands of stocks	345,935	Thousands of stocks	345,902	Thousands of stocks