

Semiannual Report 2003



For the Six Months ended September 30, 2003

PROFILE

Established in 1962 as Japan's first security services firm, SECOM CO., LTD., has earned a reputation as a pioneer in the market by developing innovative products and services that truly benefit society. The Company's achievements to date have supported solid growth and transformed SECOM into a provider of security and peace of mind.

In 1989, SECOM introduced its vision for the future—the Social System Industry, a new social framework created through the provision of comprehensive, integrated products and services that make life more secure, convenient and comfortable. To achieve this vision, SECOM has expanded its focus beyond security services to include medical, insurance, information, geographic information system (GIS) and education services. From this foundation, SECOM is now aiming to take the Social System Industry to the next level, the focus of which will be to maximize synergies among its diverse businesses and develop groundbreaking new products and services.

In addition to establishing itself as a market leader in Japan, SECOM has expanded into key markets overseas through a network of security service subsidiaries and joint ventures. This network encompasses companies in Taiwan, the Republic of Korea, Thailand, Malaysia, Singapore, Indonesia, the People's Republic of China (PRC), the United States, the United Kingdom and Australia.

Note:

Comparisons of operating results in this semiannual report are between the six months ended September 30, 2003, and the six months ended September 30, 2002.

NONCONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

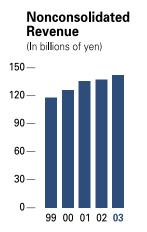
SECOM CO., LTD. Six months ended September 30, 2003, 2002 and 2001

	In millions of yen		In thousands of U.S. dollars	
	2003	2002	2001	2003
Revenue	¥141,964	¥137,436	¥135,575	\$1,278,955
Income before income taxes	32,180	29,672	28,826	289,910
Net income	19,692	17,714	17,325	177,405
Net income per share (yen and U.S. dollars)	¥ 87.49	¥ 76.82	¥ 74.32	\$ 0.79

Notes: 1. Net income per share figures are in exact yen and U.S. dollars.

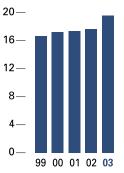
2. All dollar figures herein refer to U.S. currency. Yen amounts have been translated, for convenience only, at the rate of ¥111=US\$1, the rate prevailing on the Tokyo Foreign Exchange Market on September 30, 2003.

3. Net income per share amounts are based on the average number of shares outstanding during each period.





(In billions of yen)



TO OUR SHAREHOLDERS

Operating Results

SECOM continued to operate in a challenging environment during the six months ended September 30, 2003. While personal consumption and the employment situation remained unfavorable, Japan's economy exhibited signs of improvement toward the end of the period.

In this environment, SECOM pressed forward in its drive to take its Social System Industry vision to the next level by enhancing the quality of existing services, strengthening marketing capabilities, improving efficiency and developing new products and services that respond to society's changing needs. These and other efforts contributed to recordhigh nonconsolidated revenue, operating income and net income. Revenue amounted to ¥142.0 billion, an increase of 3.3%. Operating income was ¥32.4 billion, up 11.3%, while net income was ¥19.7 billion, a gain of 11.2%. Net income per share rose to ¥87.49, from ¥76.82.

Electronic Security Services

The electronic security services category, which comprises the provision of commercial and home security services and large-scale proprietary systems, posted revenue of ¥105.6 billion, a 1.9% increase and equivalent to 74.4% of nonconsolidated revenue. Commercial and home security services generated ¥103.9 billion of this total, an increase of 1.9%.

Other Security Services

Revenue in this category increased 5.4%, to ¥21.8 billion, and accounted for 15.4% of nonconsolidated revenue. Revenue from static guard services advanced 2.0%, to ¥9.0 billion, while revenue from armored car services rose 8.0%, to ¥7.9 billion.

Sales of Merchandise

We sell a variety of security-related products, including closed-circuit television (CCTV) surveillance cameras, access-control systems, fire detection and extinguishing systems, and external and internal monitoring systems. Sales of merchandise advanced 10.7%, to ¥14.5 billion, and represented 10.2% of nonconsolidated revenue.

Business Developments

Since 1989, we have worked to create the infrastructure for the Social System Industry by expanding our focus beyond security services to include medical, insurance, information, GIS and education services. With this infrastructure in place, we are now aiming to take the Social System Industry to the next level, the focus of which will be to maximize internal synergies and develop innovative products and services. To this end, in the period under review we strove to enhance our responsiveness to emerging safety and security needs and integrate existing services and businesses to create comprehensive offerings.

In the area of security services, we continue to actively market on-line security systems, which form the core of this business. Systems for commercial customers include SECOM AX and SECOM IX, which employ advanced image monitoring, and SECOM DX, an on-line security system that uses integrated circuit (IC) sticks. During the period under review, we began offering SECOM Security Management Service, which involves the development of comprehensive, tailored packages for medium-size and large office buildings, combining on-line security with facility management services. Because it facilitates integrated building management, this service resolves many of the difficulties resulting from the use of separate security and facility management services.

For residential customers, we offer a variety of products that complement our SECOM Home Security system. These include SECOM *Anshin* Glass, a high-impact window glass with built-in sensors that alert SECOM the instant breakage occurs. In November 2003, we launched SECURI-FACE, an intercom system that combines an innovative face-detection function—a first in Japan—with SECOM Home Camera System. When SECURIFACE fails to recognize a human face on a visitor—when, for example, the person is wearing a mask or helmet—it deactivates the doorbell or changes the sound to alert occupants to exercise diligence at the door. Another recent introduction is SECOM MS-3, a versatile security system for condominiums that can be adapted to new large-scale residential complexes as well as refurbished buildings.

In the medical services field, we continue to focus on home medical care services, in line with our belief that people should have access to home-based alternatives to hospital care. Building on our expertise in home medical care, we launched a consulting and support program for physicians starting up new home medical care clinics, an undertaking we hope will improve awareness of and access to home medical care services. Efforts to combine our know-how in medical services and security facilitated the launch in November 2003 of SECOM Medical Club, a membership-based service primarily aimed at our home security subscribers, which encompasses preventive treatment, health consultation and hospital referral services. We also continued to support the efforts of medical care professionals by developing and marketing a variety of advanced information technology (IT)-based systems. These include SECOM Ubiquitous Electronic Medical Report (EMR), an application service provider (ASP)-based electronic report service for home medical care, and Medical Risk Management System, a system for analyzing and minimizing medical accident risk.

In the area of insurance services, we focused on marketing core products, including SECOM *Anshin* My Home, a comprehensive residential fire insurance policy that offers significant premium discounts to home security service subscribers, and New SECOM *Anshin* My Car, an automobile insurance policy that offers round-the-clock on-site emergency services. We also continued to integrate our medical and insurance services by expanding the coverage of MEDCOM, an unrestricted cancer treatment policy that provides access to cutting-edge treatments and medical consultation. MEDCOM also pays the entire portion of medical fees incurred by the patient for cancer treatment covered by national health insurance, as well as fees for advanced treatments, thereby greatly reducing the financial burden on patients undergoing treatment.

In information services, we stepped up efforts to synergize physical and cyber security services, such as by developing an integrated noncontact IC card-based security system that combines office security, including building and floor access control, with computer access-control and other cyber security features. This product joins such offerings as SECOM Data Safe, a high-security computer server-based repository that draws on our expertise in physical and cyber security, and Secure Data Center, built to provide physical and cyber security and network services.

In the GIS services area, we offer a broad selection of innovative products based on aerial mapping and GIS technologies. Products developed for the public sector include PasCAL, which uses digital maps to facilitate the provision of social services, and *Wagamachi* Guide, an interactive site that helps local governments improve services for residents. For customers in the private sector, our lineup includes the Management-Navigation series of products that provide digital maps superimposed with a company's own data and figures, thereby creating a valuable support tool for analysis and decision making tailored to customer needs.

Computer-aided learning systems form the core of our education services business. Early in the period under review, we expanded our product selection with the launch of Lines E-Library Advance, a virtual education platform that focuses on drills aimed at monitoring learning progress.

Strategic Directions

SECOM's expansion to date has been facilitated by the relationship of trust we enjoy with our customers. Going forward, this relationship will continue to support our efforts by enabling us to maintain open lines of communication and keep abreast of customer needs.

We will continue to drive new growth by maximizing synergies among our various businesses, thereby creating new, comprehensive solutions for customers. Another ongoing priority will be to reinforce our competitive advantage by developing innovative offerings that anticipate customer needs and bringing them to market ahead of our competitors.

Through these and other efforts, we will continue to reinforce our emphasis on customer needs and fulfill our ultimate goal of providing security and peace of mind. As always, we will be guided by our commitment to ensuring SECOM is the company to which people can turn with confidence to meet a wide range of needs.

We look forward to your ongoing support as we strive to identify and seize new opportunities for growth and achieve greater shareholder value.

January 2004

Makoto lida Founder

Toshitaka Sugimachi *Chairman*

Shohei Kimura President and Representative Director

NONCONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

SECOM CO., LTD. September 30, 2003 and 2002

	In millions of yen		In thousands of U.S. dollars	
ASSETS	2003	2002	2003	
Current assets:				
Cash on hand and in banks	¥106,281	¥ 94,075	\$ 957,487	
Due from subscribers	8,475	8,271	76,351	
Marketable securities	7,951	451	71,631	
Other current assets	73,021	61,517	657,847	
Total current assets	195,728	164,314	1,763,316	

Fixed assets:

Tangible assets:			
Security equipment and control stations	61,758	62,146	556,378
Other tangible assets	77,606	69,051	699,153
Intangible assets	12,400	13,951	111,712
Investments and other:			
Investments in subsidiaries	134,397	132,997	1,210,784
Long-term loans receivable	10,619	9,786	95,667
Lease deposits	8,266	8,494	74,468
Other	93,476	100,630	842,126
Total fixed assets	398,522	397,055	3,590,288
Total assets	¥594,250	¥561,369	\$5,353,604
Accumulated depreciation on tangible fixed assets	¥158,099	¥146,478	\$1,424,315

	In millions of yen		In thousands of U.S. dollars	
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	2003	2002	2003	
Current liabilities:				
Bank loans	¥ 49,055	¥ 51,132	\$ 441,937	
Current portion of long-term debt	1,400	0	12,613	
Accrued expenses	587	575	5,288	
Deferred revenue—service charges	21,914	21,036	197,423	
Income taxes payable	12,442	12,989	112,090	
Other current liabilities	49,634	42,181	447,153	
Total current liabilities	135,032	127,913	1,216,504	
Fixed liabilities:				
Straight bonds	30,000	30,000	270,270	
Convertible bonds	18	18	162	
Guarantee deposits received	16,846	16,710	151,766	
Other fixed liabilities	29,463	27,238	265,433	
Total fixed liabilities	76,327	73,966	687,631	
Total liabilities	211,359	201,879	1,904,135	
Shareholders' equity:				
Common stock	66,369	66,369	597,919	
Capital surplus:				
Additional paid-in capital	82,545	82,545	743,649	
Retained earnings:				
Legal reserve	9,028	9,028	81,333	
Voluntary reserve	3,039	3,040	27,378	
Unappropriated retained earnings	264,902	241,465	2,386,505	
Unrealized gains on securities	1,343	731	12,099	
Common stock in treasury, at cost	(44,335)	(43,688)	(399,414)	
Total shareholders' equity	382,891	359,490	3,449,469	
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	¥594,250	¥561,369	\$5,353,604	

NONCONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME

SECOM CO., LTD. Six months ended September 30, 2003 and 2002

	In millions of yen			n thousands f U.S. dollars
	2003	2002		2003
Revenue	¥141,964	¥137,436	\$1	,278,955
Costs	76,853	74,420		692,370
Selling, general and administrative expenses	32,662	33,854		294,252
Operating income	32,449	29,162		292,333
Other income—net	138	1,047		1,243
Ordinary income	32,587	30,209		293,576
Extraordinary income	2,063	6,399		18,586
Extraordinary loss	2,470	6,936		22,252
Income before income taxes	32,180	29,672		289,910
Income taxes—current	12,448	12,526		112,144
Income taxes—deferred	40	(568)		361
Net income	¥ 19,692	¥ 17,714	\$	177,405
Net income per share (yen and U.S. dollars)	¥ 87.49	¥ 76.82	\$	0.79
Average number of shares outstanding (thousands)	225,074	230,575		

COMPOSITION OF NONCONSOLIDATED REVENUE

SECOM CO., LTD. Six months ended September 30, 2003 and 2002

	In millions of yen		In thousands of U.S. dollars	
	2003	2002	2003	
Electronic security services:				
Commercial security and home security	¥103,912	¥102,015	\$ 936,144	
Large-scale proprietary systems	1,734	1,629	15,622	
Subtotal	105,646	103,644	951,766	
Other security services:				
Static guard services	9,048	8,867	81,513	
Armored car services	7,867	7,286	70,874	
Other	4,878	4,523	43,946	
Subtotal	21,793	20,676	196,333	
Total service charges	127,439	124,320	1,148,099	
Sales of merchandise	14,525	13,116	130,856	
Revenue	¥141,964	¥137,436	\$1,278,955	

NOTES TO NONCONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SECOM CO., LTD.

1. Basis of Financial Statements

The accompanying nonconsolidated financial statements have been prepared in conformity with accounting practices ordinarily followed in connection with interim financial statements and translated from the financial statements that are prepared in Japanese and filed with the Prime Minister of Japan and the Tokyo Stock Exchange. Certain modifications as to the presentation of the accompanying financial statements were made to facilitate understanding by non-Japanese readers.

2. U.S. Dollar Amounts

U.S. dollar amounts are included solely for convenience and are stated, as a matter of arithmetical computation only, at the rate of ¥111=US\$1, the rate prevailing on the Tokyo Foreign Exchange Market on September 30, 2003.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Founder: Makoto lida

Co-Founder: Juichi Toda

Chairman: Toshitaka Sugimachi

President and Representative Director: Shohei Kimura

Executive Vice President: Kanemasa Haraguchi

Senior Executive Director: Nobuyuki Sasaki

Executive Directors:

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Directors:

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