# **External Environment**

## **Opportunities**

- Stable procurement of sustainable raw materials
- Enhanced food traceability
- Higher expectations for frozen storage, supply and control functions for food
- Rising demand for frozen foods
- · Rising demand for healthconscious products
- Promotion of personalized diets and medical care
- Providing new products and services in response to labor shortages and legal regulations
- Providing value through resource-recycling products and services

# Risks

- Depletion of food and water resources due to climate change
- Labor shortage
- Disruption in passing down know-how
- Disruption or difficulty in maintaining a sustainable supply chain
- Increase in raw material procurement costs
- Increase in environmental investment due to shift to renewable energy
- Market changes spurred by demographics
- Stricter regulations on imports and exports in each country

Nichirei Group **Material Matters** 

Creating new value in food and health

Strengthening food processing and production technology capabilities; enhancing logistics services

Realizing sustainable food procurement and resources-recycling society

Climate change initiatives

Securing and developing a diverse array of human resources

# **INPUT**

Note: Data as of March 31, 2022, except where noted

# **Financial Capital**

- Total assets ¥427.6 billion
- Equity ratio
- Free cash flow

(before dividends)

# **Manufactured Capital**

- Production facilities 22 in Japan,
- Refrigerated warehouse storage capacity 1,550 thousand tons in Japan,

710 thousand tons overseas

# Intellectual Capital

- Production expertise
- Technological strengths in cooking and processing
- Logistics expertise
- Number of employees
- Expert human resources
- (males) 17.5 years (females) 15.4 years
- Logistics network

# **Natural Capital**

 Global procurement network for agricultural, meat, poultry and marine Continuing to create new value for the times with our capabilities as a

logistics services

• Brand strength

**Human Capital** 

15,296

Average length of service

# Social and Relationship Capital

- Sales network
- Donations to social causes ¥350 million

More than 30 countries

food pioneer

Ability to help resolve social issues

Refined and advanced capabilities in food processing, production technology and temperature-controlled Comprehensive Group capabilities

based on our own cold chain network

# OUTPUT

Economic Value			
	FY2025 Targets	FY2031 Targets	
Net sales	¥660.0 billion	¥1 trillion	
Overseas sales ratio	20%	30%	
Operating profit/Net sales	5.6%	8%	
ROIC	7% or higher	<b>9</b> % or higher	
EBITDA margin	10%	12%	

# **Social Value**

# Realizing sustainable food procurement and resource-recycling society

	Group KPIs	FY2025 Targets	FY2031 Targets
	Rate of attendance for the SDGs educational program aimed at realizing a circular economy: 100%	100% (executives)	100% (all employees)
	Rate of waste recycling at all sites: 99%	99%	99%
	Conduct regular water-related risk assessments at all sites, as well as in conservation	Conduct in FY2024	Conduct regular water-related risk assessments at all sites, as well as in

# Climate change initiatives

activities and the BCP

Group KPIs	FY2025 Targets	FY2031 Targets
Reduction in CO <sub>2</sub> emissions: 50% (Compared with FY2016; Scope 1 and 2 in Japan)	-30%	-50%
Rate of conversion to natural refrigerants Production equipment in Japan: 100%	80%	100%
Logistics (Global): 75%	63%	75%

# Securing and developing a diverse array of human resources

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Group KPIs	FY2025 Targets	FY2031 Targets
Ratio of female directors and female Audit & Supervisory Board members (HD¹): 30% or higher	20% or higher	30% or higher
Ratio of female line managers (HD¹): 30%	20%	30%
Double investment in human resources by 2030 <sup>2</sup>	1.7 times	2.0 times

HD: Nichirei Corporation (Holding Company)
Compared with average annual investment in human resources during FY2019-FY2021

# OUTCOME

Achieve our long-term management goals toward 2030

habits

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# Sustainable Society O Realize

**Sustainability Policy** 

**Management Principles** 30 Nichirei Group Integrated Report 2022

Value Creation Story

Business Strategy