

Notice Regarding FY2024 Year-end Dividend

Kureha Corporation announced that its Board of Directors today decided to pay dividends of retained earnings to shareholders held in record as of March 31, 2025 (FY2024 year-end dividend) as follows.

Details of dividend payment

	FY2024 year-end dividend	Most recent dividend forecast (May 13, 2024)	[Reference] FY2023 year-end dividend
Record date	March 31, 2025	(Same as left)	March 31, 2024
Dividend per share	43.35 yen	(Same as left)	43.34 yen
Total dividend payout	2,156 million yen	--	2,385 million yen
Effective date	June 3, 2025	--	June 4, 2024
Source of dividend	Retained earnings	--	Retained earnings

Reasons for determining FY2024 year-end dividend:

Kureha's basic policy on the distribution of retained earnings, which is included in the Mid- to Long-Term Management Plan, "Toward Creating a New Future (FY2023-2030)" disclosed on April 3, 2023, is to maintain stable dividends with a target dividend payout ratio of 30% or more, while enhancing internal reserves to enable active investment in future business expansion. The Company also has set the minimum annual dividend at 86.70 yen per share as its capital policy until FY2025, so has therefore decided to pay a year-end dividend of ¥43.35 per share as we previously announced and in accordance with the above dividend policy.

[Reference] Dividends FY2024 vs. FY2023

	Dividend per share		
	Interim dividend	Year-end dividend	Annual dividend
FY2024	¥43.35	¥43.35	¥86.70
FY2023	¥130 (¥43.34 ^{*1})	¥43.34	N/A ^{*2}

^{*1} Dividend amount assuming the stock had been split at the beginning of the period is shown in parentheses.

^{*2} Not shown because simple calculation is not possible due to the implementation of a stock split.
