

Financial Results for the First Half of FYE 2012/3

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Meiji Holdings Co., Ltd.





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1. FYE 2012/3 (1H): Outline of Consolidated Financial Results

(1) Business Plan for FYE 2012/3



(billions of yen)

		FYE 2011/3	FYE 2012/3
		Results	Original plan
Meiji HD	Net sales	1,111.0	1,093.0
[Consolidated]	Operating income	29.9	21.0
	Ordinary income	30.4	22.0
	Net income	9.5	10.0

Food	Net sales	988.8	980.0		
	Op. income	22.3	13.8		

Pharma-	Net sales	124.2	125.8
ceuticals	Op. income	7.5	6.8

(Note 1) The plan target for each segment do not include elimination or corporate.

(Note 2) Due to changes in the management structure of the real estate business that accompanied the Group reorganization, the presentation method for the income and expenses of real estate rentals has changed. The operating income of 29.9 billion yen in FYE 2011/3 after this retroactive application includes a difference of 1.1 billion yen resulting from the retroactive application.

(Note 3) The revised plan announced on November 10, 2011. See page 13, Consolidated Financial Forecasts. for details.

Preconditions for original plan

- The impact of the Great East Japan Earthquake was significant, with extensive damage
- Revisions to the original plan had to be made quickly
- 3. Therefore, we could not complete the revision of the figures for each business because of many variables
- 4. We will focus on recovery of the fresh dairy business, and initiatives are scheduled as follows:
 - 1) 1Q: Recovery phase for lost regions
 - 2) 2Q: Solidification phase
 - 3) 2H onwards: Resumption of normal operations phase

(2) Consolidated Financial Results (1H)



(billions of yen)

	1H of FYE 2012/3							
	Results	YoY cl	nange	Change	vs. plan ^{*1}			
	Nesuits	(Rate)	(Amount)	(Rate)	(Amount)			
Net sales	548.1	-2.1%	-11.6	+4.0%	+21.1			
Operating income	7.4	-58.9%	-10.6	+34.8%	+1.9			
Ordinary income	8.6	-54.8%	-10.5	+23.8%	+1.6			
Net income	2.3	-74.8%	-7.0	+18.0%	+0.3			

^{*1:} The original plan announced on May 12, 2011.

- Revenues decreased slightly and income declined significantly year on year
- Although the original plan targets were met, there was not a sufficient level of profits
- The business results showed a significant deterioration in the operating income ratio

^{*2:} See page 37 for a summary of consolidated financial statements.

(3) Results by Segment (1H)



(billions of yen)

		1H of FYE 2012/3								
		Results	YoY cl	nange	Change	vs. plan ^{*1}				
		IXESUITS	(Rate)	(Amount)	(Rate)	(Amount)				
Food	Net sales	490.5	-2.4%	-12.0	+3.2%	+14.9				
od	Op. income	2.6	-79.6%	-10.3	-31.7%	-1.2				
Pharma	Net sales	58.5	+1.0%	+0.5	+1.5%	+0.8				
rma	Op. income	4.3	-10.6%	-0.5	+208.6%	+2.9				

Food:

- Although net sales decreased year on year, the original plan target was exceeded
- Operating income decreased significantly due to a deterioration in the product mix of dairy business, and fell short of the plan target

Pharmaceuticals:

- Revenue increased from the previous year, with the growth in new drugs and generic drugs
- Although operating income decreased year on year, it exceeded the plan targets (due to R&D expenses)

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^{*2:} See page 37 for a summary of consolidated financial statements.



1. Dairy business (Drinking milk, yogurt, beverages, cheese, butter, dairy products for professional use business, etc.) (billions of yen)

1H of FYE		Net sales		Operating income			
2012/3	Results	Change vs. plan ^{*1}	(Ref.) YoY change	Results		(Ref.) YoY change	
Dairy	290.0	-0.2% (-0.6)	-7%	1.6	-21.4% (-0.4)	-78%	

Results – main points

[Net sales]

Fresh dairy:

Following the earthquake, production capability was recovered by August Both sales and the market share recovered, primarily with regard to mainstay brands

Processed dairy products:

Natural cheese for the fresh dairy market and margarine products (with the contribution of the new product, "Offstyle") are showing favorable results

[Op. income]

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The results deteriorated significantly both year on year and in comparison to the original plan, due to the delay in the recovery of yogurt products (especially Meiji Probio)

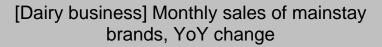
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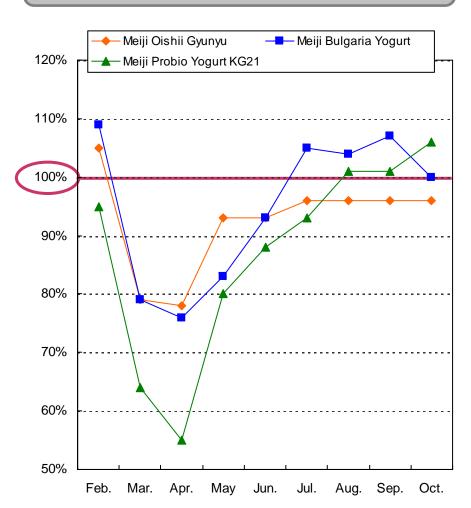
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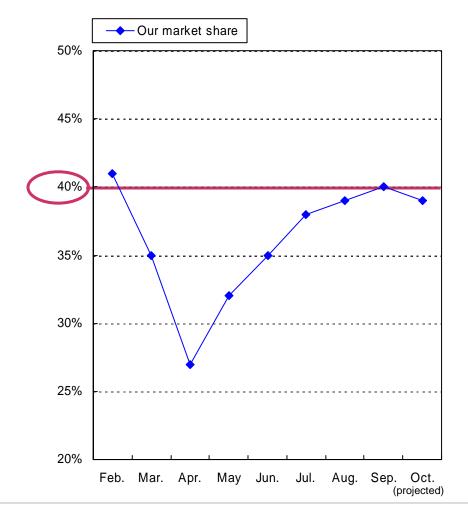
^{*} The above notes are common to all pages up to page 10.







[Dairy business] Market share of yogurt (Company survey)





2. Confectionery business

(Chocolate, chewing gum, candy, imported confectioneries, ice cream, institutional foodstuffs, such as confectioneries and other food products, etc.)

(billions of yen)

1H of FYE		Net sales		Operating income			
2012/3	Results Change vs		(Ref.) YoY change	Results	Change vs. plan	(Ref.) YoY change	
Confectionery	145.5	+6.9% (+9.3)	+3%	0.6	+67.0% (+0.2)	-76%	

Results – main points

[Net sales]

Confectioneries:

Although performance was unfavorable during the second quarter partly due to the unstable weather in summer, growth during the first quarter contributed to the results for the first half

• Desserts:

While it was expected that the performance of ice cream would decrease from the previous year, which was extremely hot, performance was more or less at the planned level

[Op. income]

Although the plan target was achieved, operating income was lower than the previous year, partly due to the rise in raw material costs



3. Healthcare & Nutritionals business

(Sports nutrition, functional healthcare products, food, OTC drugs, enteral formula, nursing care foods, infant formula, etc.)

(billions of yen)

1H of FYE		Net sales		Operating income			
2012/3	Results	Change vs. (Ref		Results	Change vs. plan	(Ref.) YoY change	
Healthcare & Nutritionals	59.5	-5.6% (-3.5)	-8%	0.2	-69.3% (-0.6)	-85%	

Results – main points

[Net sales]

Healthcare products:

Mainstay products such as "Amino Collagen" and "SAVAS" are performing favorably

• Nutritional products:

The performance of infant formula fell short of our targets, for reasons such as changes in the demand structure and the delayed effect of panic buying seen directly after the earthquake The growth of enteral formula, which had continuously registered more than 10%, slowed down due to disruptions in production and supply

[Op. income]

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The biggest reason for the slow growth in operating income is the unfavorable performance of nutritionals, which was beyond the scope of our projections

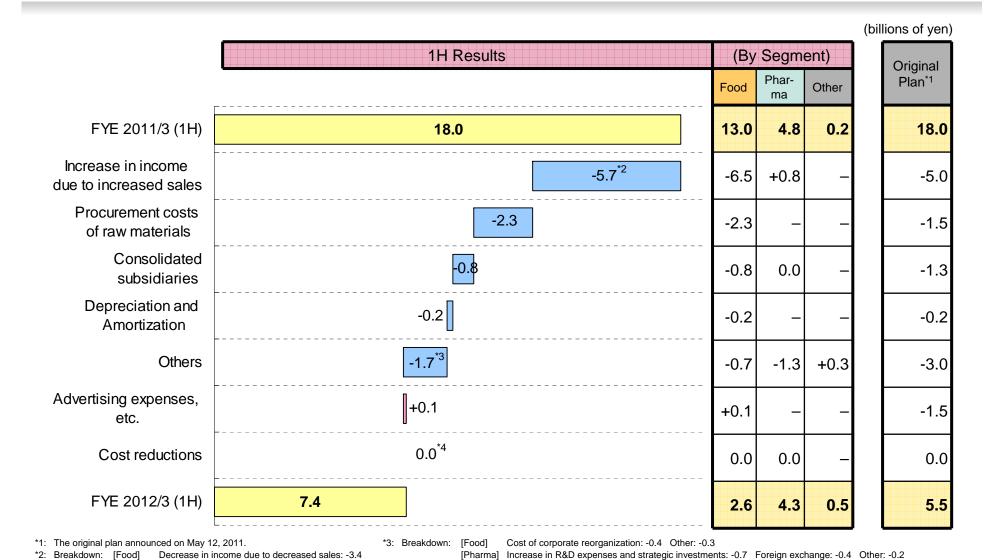
(5) Analysis of Operating Income (1H)



Efficiency in producing: +0.6 Efficiency in sales promotion expenses: +0.6 Distribution costs: -1.1 Other: -0.1

[Pharma] Improvement in cost of sales and decrease in manufacturing overhead costs: +0.2

Increase in sales promotion expenses: -0.2



*4: Breakdown:

Worsening of the product mix: -3.1

[Pharma] Increase in income due to increased sales: +0.8



2. FYE 2012/3 (Full Year): **Consolidated Financial Forecasts**

(1) Consolidated Financial Forecasts



(billions of yen)

				F	YE 2012	/3		·	
	1H			2H (Revised plan)*2			Full Year	(Revised pla	n)*²
		YoY change	Change vs. plan ^{*1}		YoY change	Change vs. plan ^{*1}		YoY change	Change vs. plan ^{*1}
Net sales	548.1	-2.1% (-11.6)	+4.0% (+21.1)	567.9	+3.0% (+16.6)	+0.3% (+1.9)	1,116.0	+0.5% (+4.9)	+2.1% (+23.0)
Operating income	7.4	-58.9% (-10.6)	+34.8% (+1.9)	13.6	+14.1% (+1.6)	-12.3% (-1.9)	21.0	-29.9% (-8.9)	±0% (± 0.0)
Ordinary income	8.6	-54.8% (-10.5)	+23.8% (+1.6)	13.3	+18.5% (+2.0)	-11.1% (-1.6)	22.0	-27.8% (-8.4)	±0% (± 0.0)
Net income	2.3	-74.8% (-7.0)	+18.0% (+0.3)	7.6	+4,298.9% (+7.4)	-4.5% (-0.3)	10.0	+4.7% (+0.4)	±0% (± 0.0)

^{*1:} The original plan announced on May 12, 2011.

^{*2:} The revised plan of 2H and full year for FYE 2012/3 announced on November 10, 2011.

(2) Financial Forecasts by Segment



(billions of yen)

						FYE 201	2/3			
		1H			2H (Revised plan)*2			Full Year (Revised plan)*2		
			YoY change	Change vs. plan*1		YoY change	Change vs. plan*1		YoY change	Change vs. plan ^{*1}
Food	Net sales	490.5	-2.4% (-12.0)	+3.2% (+14.9)	503.1	+3.5% (+16.8)	-0.3% (-1.3)	993.7	+0.5% (+4.8)	+1.4% (+13.6)
od	Op. income	2.6	-79.6% (-10.3)	-31.7% (-1.2)	10.8	+17.0% (+1.5)	+9.5% (+0.9)	13.5	-39.5% (-8.8)	-2.1% (-0.2)
Pharma	Net sales	58.5	+1.0% (+0.5)	+1.5% (+0.8)	66.0	-0.3% (-0.1)	-3.1% (-2.1)	124.5	+0.3% (+0.2)	-1.0% (-1.3)
rma	Op. income	4.3	-10.6% (-0.5)	+208.6% (+2.9)	2.9	+7.9% (+0.2)	-46.3% (-2.5)	7.2	-4.0% (-0.3)	+6.2% (+0.4)
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(billions of yen)

					F	YE 2012	/3				
		1H			2H (Revised plan)*2			Full Yea	Full Year (Revised plan)*2		
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Business plan – main points

- In the second half, we aim to ensure that net sales reach their normal level, so as to achieve an unchanged level of net sales on a year-on-year basis for the full year
- The decrease in profit from the healthcare and nutritionals business will be supplemented by realizing a recovery in the product mix of the dairy business, reducing advertising expenses, and achieving maximum net sales in the peak demand season in the confectionery business

^{*2:} The revised plan of 2H and full year for FYE 2012/3 announced on November 10, 2011.



Food segment forecasts, by business

(billions of yen)

		1H			2H (Revis	ed plan)*2		Full Yea	r (Revised pla	an)* ²
			Change vs. plan*1	(Ref.) YoY change		Change vs. plan*1	(Ref.) YoY change		Change vs. plan*1	(Ref.) YoY change
Dairy	Net sales	290.0	-0.2% (-0.6)	-7%	283.7	-0.4% (-1.0)	+1%	573.7	-0.3% (-1.7)	-3%
iry	Op. income	1.6	-21.4% (-0.4)	-78%	5.5	+41.6% (+1.6)	+209%	7.1	+19.5% (+1.1)	-22%
Confectionery	Net sales	145.5	+6.9% (+9.3)	+3%	154.5	-1.5% (-2.4)	+4%	300.1	+2.4% (+6.9)	+4%
tionery	Op. income	0.6	+67.0% (+0.2)	-76%	3.0	-5.1% (-0.1)	-8%	3.7	+2.9% (+0.1)	-39%
Healthcare & Nutritionals	Net sales	59.5	-5.6% (-3.5)	-8%	63.9	-9.0% (-6.3)	-4%	123.5	-7.4% (-9.8)	-6%
care & ionals	Op. income	0.2	-69.3% (-0.6)	-85%	2.0	-30.8% (-0.8)	-50%	2.2	-39.9% (-1.5)	-61%
Others	Net sales	89.9	+8.9% (+7.3)	+8%	91.4	+4.8% (+4.2)	+10%	181.3	+6.8% (+11.5)	+9%
ers	Op. income	-0.2	- (-0.7)	_ (-0.9)	0.7	- (+0.8)	+129%	0.4	+18.5% (+0.0)	-53%

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1. Dairy business (Drinking milk, yogurt, beverages, cheese, butter, dairy products for professional use business, etc.)

(billions of yen)

		FYE 2012/3							
	1H			2H (Revised plan)*2			Full Year (Revised plan)*2		
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Business plan – main points

- Marketing activities are concentrated in the mainstay brands
- Cost reductions are achieved through structural reform

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1. Dairy business: Initiatives for 2H

Fresh dairy

- Increase the recognition rate of "Meiji Oishii Gyunyu":
 Implement marketing through a combination of TV commercials and storefront measures
- Strengthen the sales of yogurt products
 - <u>Bulgaria series</u>: Play up its functional value as a registered "food for specialized health use"
 - <u>LG21</u>: Stabilize the existing customers and obtaining new customers by strengthening communications

Processed dairy products

- Increase the net sales of "Meiji Hokkaido Tokachi Cheese" series
 - Increase first-time purchases by strengthening the storefront sales promotion of "Smart Cheese"
 - Expand the sales area of "Buono Cheese"
- Strengthen the development of the margarine product, "Offstyle" (launched in March): Aim to expand the sales area and increase the recognition rate to make it the top brand











1. Dairy business: Net sales of the mainstay brands

(billions of yen)

		FYE 2012/3						
	1H	YoY change	2H (Revised plan)	YoY change	Full Year (Revised plan)	YoY change		
Meiji Oishii Gyunyu	24.7	-7.5%	23.9	+2.1%	48.7	-3.0%		
Meiji Bulgaria Yogurt	33.2	-5.4%	32.3	+2.5%	65.5	-1.7%		
Meiji Probio Yogurt LG21	15.0	-14.4%	16.2	+6.2%	31.3	-4.8%		
Home delivery items	20.5	-6.1%	20.7	-0.4%	41.3	-3.4%		
Meiji Hokkaido Tokachi Cheese	5.1	-5.5%	5.6	+2.4%	10.7	-1.5%		

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2. Confectionery business

(Chocolate, chewing gum, candy, imported confectioneries, ice cream, institutional foodstuffs, such as confectioneries and other food products, etc.)

(billions of yen)

		FYE 2012/3							
	1H			2H (Revised plan)*2			Full Year (Revised plan)*2		
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Op. income	0.6	+67.0% (+0.2)	-76%	3.0	-5.1% (-0.1)	-8%	3.7	+2.9% (+0.1)	-39%

Business plan – main points

- Achieve maximum net sales and operating income in the peak demand season for chocolate
- Expand the lineup of ice cream products



2. Confectionery business: Initiatives for 2H

Chocolate

- Increase the number of products and measures, with a focus on limited-edition winter products
- Expand the sales of chocolate bars in the peak demand season from Christmas to Valentine's Day



Ice cream

- Intensify distribution of "Essel" for a limited season
- Commence full operation of Kansai Ice Cream Plant: Expand the sales of the "Chocolate Ice Cream Bar" and the "Milk Chocolate Cup"
- Fuse the technologies for confectionery and dairy products: "Dorea," a dessert featuring different textures in one product to be launched on December 5







3. Healthcare & Nutritionals business

(Sports nutrition, functional healthcare products, food, OTC drugs, enteral formula, nursing care foods, infant formula, etc.)

(billions of yen)

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Business plan – main points

- Further strengthen the storefront sales promotion and the reinforcement of activities to popularize the products in order to stimulate demand
- Recover profitability through the improvement of the product mix



3. Healthcare & Nutritionals business: Initiatives for 2H

Healthcare products

- "Amino Collagen" and "ISODINE UGAIGUSURI"
 Strengthen information transmission capabilities ahead of the demand season
- "SAVAS" and "VAAM"
 Sponsoring for sports events and implementation of product sampling









Nutritional products

- Infant formula
 - Achieve a recovery in sales by implementing storefront sales promotions
 - Improve profitability through increased sales of the "Raku Raku Cube"
- Expand the enteral formula product lineup and strengthen sales activities for these products



(4) Financial Forecasts for the Pharma Segment



(billions of yen)

			FYE 2012/3							
	1H			2H (Revised plan)*2		Full Year (Revised plan)*2		an)* ²		
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Business plan – main points

- Maintain the favorable performance of "MEIACT," and the growth of "REFLEX" and "ORAPENEM"
- Anticipate growth in generic drugs (GE) not only in the area of antibacterial drugs but also in the area of drugs for lifestyle-related diseases
- Increase revenue through the growth of new drugs and GE, and cost reductions





^{*2:} The revised plan of 2H and full year for FYE 2012/3 announced on November 10, 2011.

(5) Analysis of Operating Income (2H)







[Pharma] Increase in income due to increased sales: +0.6

[Pharma] Improvement in cost of sales: +0.9 Increase in sales promotion expenses: -1.5

^{*2:} Breakdown: [Food] Increase in income due to increased sales: +1.0 Worsening of the product mix: -0.5

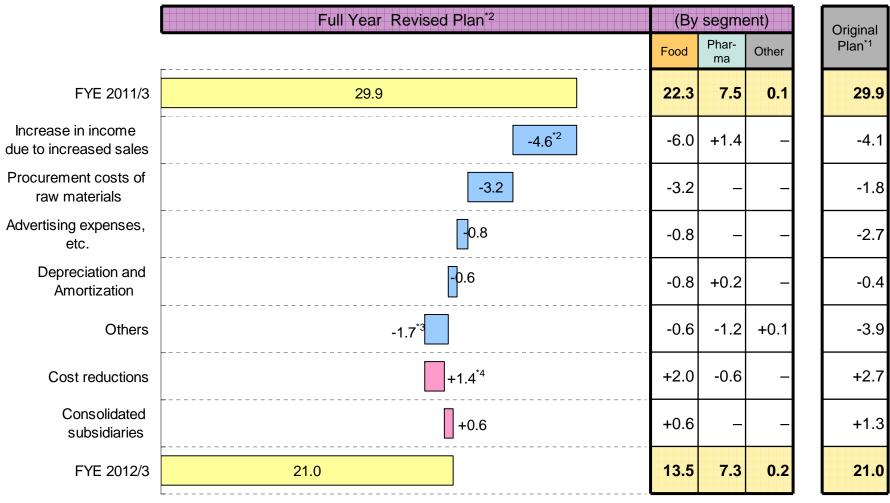
^{*3:} Breakdown: [Pharma] Decrease in R&D expenses: +1.1 Increase in strategic investments: -1.1 Foreign exchange: +0.1

^{*4:} Breakdown: Efficiency in producing: +1.3 Efficiency in sales promotion expenses: +1.3 Distribution costs: -0.1 Other: -0.5

(5) Analysis of Operating Income (Full Year)



(billions of yen)



*4: Breakdown:

[Food]

^{*1:} The revised plan of full year for FYE 2012/3 announced on November 10, 2011.

^{*2:} Breakdown: [Food] Decrease in income due to decreased sales: -2.4 Worsening of the product mix: -3.6

[[]Pharma] Increase in income due to increased sales: +1.4

^{*3:} Breakdown: [Food] Cost of corporate reorganization: -0.3 Other: -0.3

[[]Pharma] Decrease in R&D expenses: +0.4 Increase in strategic investments: -1.1

Foreign exchange: -0.3 Other: -0.2

Efficiency in producing: +1.9 Efficiency in sales promotion expenses: +1.9

Distribution costs: -1.2 Other: -0.6

[[]Pharma] Improvement in cost of sales: +1.1 Increase in sales promotion expenses: -1.7



3. For Achieving the "2020 Vision"

(1) Outline of the "2020 Vision"



[Understanding of the business environment at the time the Vision was formulated*]

- 1. A shrinking domestic population and an aging society with a declining birthrate
 - (i) Diversification of consumer needs, values, and lifestyles
 - (ii) Rising awareness of safety and assurance
 - (iii) Growing health consciousness
 - (iv) Reform of the medical-care system
- 2. Accelerating globalization and the growth of emerging economies
 - (i) Strategy for overseas markets (such as China), which are growing rapidly due to the population explosion and economic development (business opportunities and intensified competition)
 - (ii) Risk associated with the scramble for raw materials both in Japan and overseas

Goals of the "2020 Vision"

Net sales: ¥1,500 billion

Operating income ratio: 5% or higher

◆ ROE: 10% or more (based on net income for the year)

Net sales for Fiscal Year 2020, ending March 31,2021				
Meiji Co., Ltd. Confectionery/dairy/healthcare and nutritionals/international	¥1,300 billion			
Meiji Seika Pharma Co., Ltd. Ethical pharmaceuticals/agricultural chemicals and veterinary drugs	¥200 billion			
Total	¥1,500 billion			

^{*} The "2020 Vision" was announced on September 14, 2010.

(2) [Food] New developments in the Confectionery and Dairy Business [11] @ [11]

Establish a business scale of more than ¥800 billion in net sales by FY2020

(FY2009: Confectionery business: approx. ¥250 billion; dairy business: approx. ¥470 billion)

(Launch of ice cream under

the confectionery brand)

<u>lce cream</u>



Launched on Sep. 19 Combining the skills for

chocolate and ice cream





▼ Kansai Ice Cream Plant (Started operation in May 2011)

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Chilled/ frozen desserts





To be launched on Dec. 5

Dessert featuring different textures in one product "Dorea"





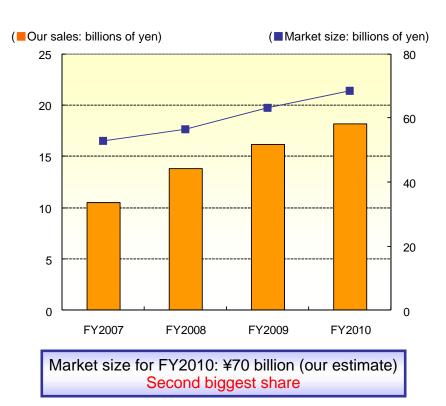
(2) [Food] New developments in the Healthcare and Nutritionals Business [[]]



Establish a business scale of more than ¥200 billion in net sales by FY2020

(FY2009: approx. ¥120 billion)

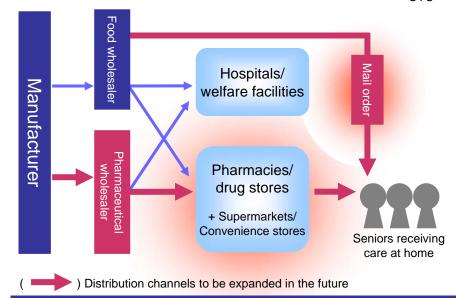
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Increase supply to the health food floors of drugstores



OTC



Number of stores selling the Company's products FYE 2011/3: 1,800 → FYE 2012/3: 5,000 (estimate)

(2) [Food] New developments in the International Business



Establish a business scale of more than ¥150 billion in net sales by FY2020

(FY2009: approx. ¥50 billion)

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	Ch	ina	As	ia	U.S.		
Co	ontents in the "2020 Vi	sion"					
	Businesses to be strengthened	Businesses to be newly launched	Businesses to be strengthened	Businesses to be newly launched	Businesses to be strengthened	Businesses to be newly launched	
	Confectioneries, ice cream, infant formula, healthcare products	Dairy products	Confectioneries, dairy Ice cream products, infant formula, healthcare products		Confectioneries	Healthcare products	
Ini	itiatives for this fisc	al year					
	Released on April <u>Established Meiji</u> <u>Co., Ltd.</u>		 Released on May <u>CP-Meiji Co., Ltd.</u> <u>Formulate the five</u> 	(Thailand)		es to increase the " brand products cts)	

- 1) Commence manufacturing and
 - sales targeting large cities, including Shanghai, by around January 2013
 - 2) Undertake manufacturing and sales of chilled milk and yogurt products



Rendering

Develop a production system according to the plan specifications



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Established Meiji India Private Limited (India) Commence marketing activities for confectionery and healthcare products



Trade Fair





(3) [Pharmaceuticals] Efforts to Expand Our Business**meiji**

As a "Speciality and Generic Pharmaceuticals Company," establish a business scale of more than ¥200 billion in net sales by FY2020

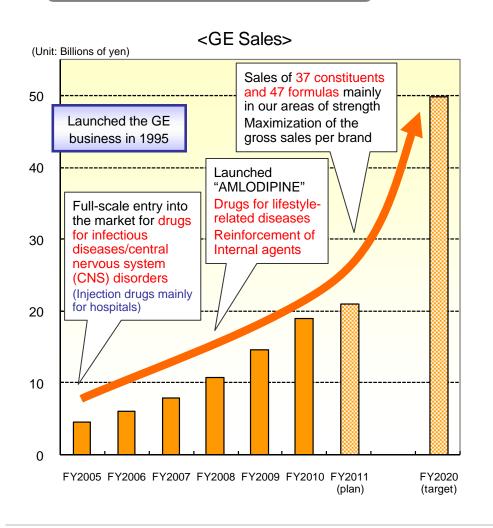
New drugs business

Reinforcement of anticancer drugs and biomedicines, in addition to the fields in which we specialize (infectious diseases and central nervous system (CNS) disorders)

- Reinforce the R&D capabilities in the fields of infectious diseases and CNS disorders, as well as new business fields where there are no satisfactory treatments or drugs (such as anticancer drugs and biomedicines)
- Speed up the development of new drugs in the fields of infectious diseases and CNS disorders, as well as the development of product lifecycle management (antibacterial drugs, therapeutic drugs for schizophrenia, etc.)
- Increase our product lineup in the areas of pediatrics, otorhinolaryngology and psychiatry (increase sales in our areas of strength)
- Continuously reinforce the sales system through the increase of medical representatives (MRs), mainly in the field of CNS disorders (maximize sales of new drugs, such as REFLEX and therapeutic drugs for schizophrenia)

(3) [Pharmaceuticals] Efforts to Expand Our Business**meiji**

Generic drugs business



Reinforce sales capabilities in drugs for major lifestyle-related diseases

 Reinforce sales capabilities in drugs for lifestyle-related diseases with the potential to become mainstream, such as "RABEPRAZOLE," "Pioglitazone" and "Donepezil Hydrochloride," in addition to the fields of infectious diseases and CNS disorders

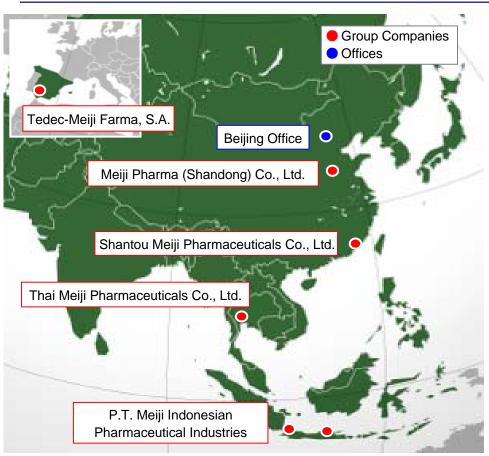
Strengthen the areas of anticancer drugs and biosimilars through alliances

- Released on January 27, 2011
 Strategic partnership with Fresenius Kabi (generic anticancer drugs)
- Released on September 29, 2011
 Strategic partnership with Dong-A Pharmaceutical (biosimilars)

(3) [Pharmaceuticals] Efforts to Expand Our Business meiji

International business

Accelerating our international business, mainly in Asia and emerging countries based on the activities of Group companies abroad



- Establish an operational structure for achieving high-quality products, stable supply, and low-cost operations by optimizing production systems and improving their efficiency
 - (Optimize use of 3 plants in Japan & 5 plants overseas)
- Develop business in the market for low-priced pharmaceuticals, primarily in Asia and emerging countries
 - Actively launch antibacterial drugs, generic drugs, and agricultural chemicals and veterinary drugs
 - Establish value chains ranging from the manufacturing of bulk drugs to the building of an in-house sales network

(3) [Pharmaceuticals] Efforts to Expand Our Business meiji

Agricultural chemicals business

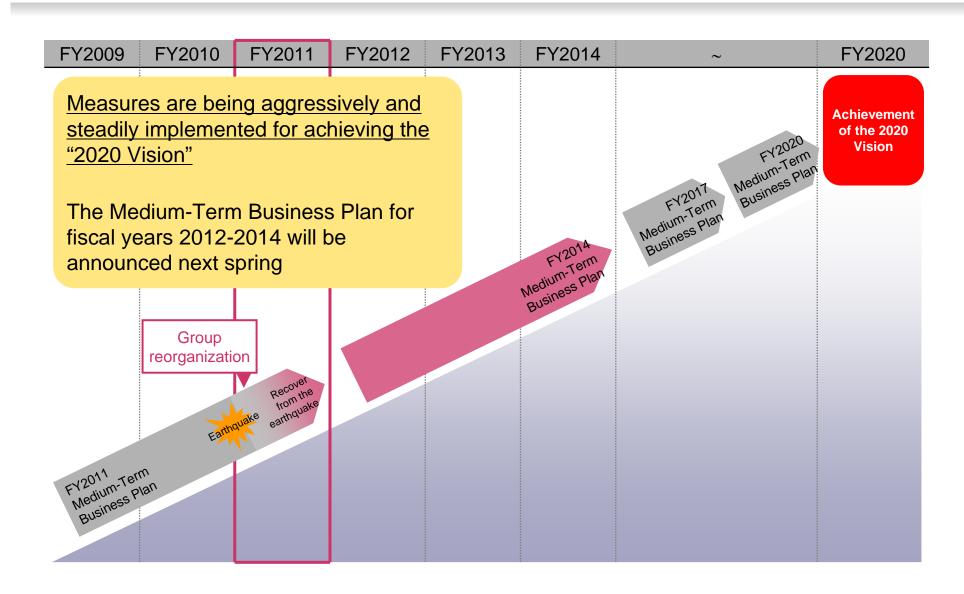
- Achieve the early maximization of sales of the liquid formula "ZAXA" herbicide
- Maintain the No.1 market share for "ORYZEMATE," a rice blast preventative
- Strengthen overseas business through sales of "ORYZEMATE" and "ZAXA" (in South Korea, Taiwan and China)
- Undertake the launch of in-house drug discovery products on schedule and achieve the maximization of profits by promoting licensing

Veterinary drugs business

- Actively develop the market for companion animals in Japan (Enhance the product lineup, appoint full-time MRs)
- Increase the market share of the animal husbandry industry in Japan (Increase sales in the cattle market in addition to the hog and chicken markets)
- Undertake full-scale entry into Asian markets

(4) Roadmap for Achieving the "2020 Vision"







4. Appendix

(1) Consolidated Statements of Income (Summary)



(billions of yen)

		1H of FYE 2012/3						
	Plan*1	Results	Change	vs. plan*1	YoY c	YoY change		
	Παπ	results	(Rate)	(Amounts)	(Rate)	(Amounts)		
Net sales	527.0	548.1	+4.0%	+21.1	-2.1%	-11.6		
Gross profit	1	179.0	1	_	-5.6%	-10.6		
SG&A		171.5	ı	_	-0.0%	-0.0		
Operating income	5.5	7.4	+34.8%	+1.9	-58.9%	-10.6		
Non-operating income/loss	1	1.2	-	_	+8.2%	+0.0		
Ordinary income	7.0	8.6	+23.8%	+1.6	-54.8%	-10.5		
Extraordinary income/loss	_	-2.4	_	_	-	-0.6		
Tax expense, etc.	_	3.7	_	_	-52.6%	-4.1		
Net income	2.0	2.3	+18.0%	+0.3	-74.8%	-7.0		

^{*1:} The original plan announced on May 12, 2011.

(2) Consolidated Balance Sheets (Summary)



(billions of yen)

As of Sep. 30, 2011	Results	Compared to beginning of period	YoY change
Current assets	309.2	+7.5	-2.2
Cash and deposits	11.4	-10.2	-2.8
Notes and accounts receivable	150.2	+3.8	-3.3
Inventories	114.9	+9.8	+2.1
Other	32.5	+4.1	+1.8
Fixed assets	426.2	+7.9	+8.7
Property, plants and equipment	316.7	+3.0	+6.9
Intangible assets	9.4	-0.2	-0.0
Investments and other fixed assets	100.0	+5.2	+1.7
Total assets	735.5	+15.5	+6.4

As of Sep. 30, 2011	Results	Compared to beginning of period	YoY change
Current liabilities	309.1	-7.8	+7.4
Accounts payable	101.2	+9.0	+1.6
Debts (finance)	114.0	+3.8	+11.3
Other	93.8	-5.1	-5.4
Long-term liabilities	131.1	+6.0	+3.0
Debts (finance)	91.9	+5.0	-2.1
Other long-term liabilities	39.1	+0.9	+5.1
Total liabilities	440.3	+13.8	+10.4
Shareholder's equity	292.1	+0.4	-2.4
Others	3.0	+1.2	-1.6
Total net assets	295.1	+1.6	-4.0
Total liabilities and net assets	735.5	+15.5	+6.4

Total amount of interest-bearing debt*	206.4	+8.9	+9.2
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^{*} Total amount of interest-bearing debt includes discount bills.

(3) Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income



(billions of yen)

1H of FYE 2012/3	(billions of yen)
Net income before minority interests	2.4
Other comprehensive income	
Net unrealized holding gains or losses on securities	0.2
Deferred gains or losses on hedges	-0.5
Foreign currency translation adjustments	0.4
Equity in affiliates accounted for by equity method	0.0
Total other comprehensive income	0.1
Comprehensive income	2.5
Comprehensive income attributable to shareholders of parent company Comprehensive income attributable to minority shareholders	2.3
Comprehensive income attributable to minority shareholders	0.2

(4) Consolidated Financial Indices and Cash Flows



(billions of yen)

	1H of FYE 2011/3	FYE 2011/3	1H of FYE 2012/3
Earning per share (EPS)	127.26 yen	129.63 yen	32.03 yen
Return on equity (ROE)	3.3%	3.3%	0.8%
Cash flows from operating activities(1)	29.8	57.9	6.2
Cash flows from investing activities(2)	-18.9	-32.4	-22.7
Cash flows from financing activities	-12.5	-19.5	4.5
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the term	14.2	21.7	11.2
Free cash flows(1)+(2)	+10.8	+25.5	-16.4

(Reference) Cash Flow Prospects for FYE 2012/3



(billions of ven)

	FYE 2012/3					
	1H	YoY change	2H (Revised plan)	YoY change	Full Year (Revised plan)	YoY change
Cash flows from operating activities(1)	6.2	-23.6	34.4	+6.3	40.6	-17.3
Cash flows from investing activities(2)	-22.7	-3.8	-17.6	-4.2	-40.3	-8.0
Cash flows from financing activities	4.5	+17.0	-15.0	-8.0	-10.5	+9.0
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the term	11.2	-3.0	13.0	-8.7	13.0	-8.7
Free cash flows(1)+(2)	-16.4	-27.4	16.8	+2.1	0.3	-25.3

• Issuance of corporate bonds:

[Rating] A+ (JCR)

As of Sep. 16 20 billion yen (five-year bond) Interest rate: 0.485%

15 billion yen (seven-year bond) Interest rate: 0.760%

(5) Dividends



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	Interim	Year-end (forecast)	Annual (forecast)	Payout ratio (Consolidated)	
FYE 2012/3	40.00 yen	40.00 yen	80.00 yen	58.9%	

*Record of the donation of shareholder special benefits in FYE 2012/3

 Number of shareholders who agreed to the donation 	Approx. 4,500
 Amount of donation from shareholders 	Approx. 12 million yen

In combination with donations from Meiji Holdings, confectioneries worth approximately 24 million yen were donated to a group that provides support to disabled children throughout Japan and to the devastated areas affected by the Great East Japan Earthquake.



Members of the Yotsukura Children's Club (in Fukushima)

(6) CAPEX, Depreciation, R&D Expenses



(billions of yen)

	1H of	FYE 201	2/3	
		Food	Pharma- ceuticals	Notes
Capital expenditures	19.8	17.3	2.5	Cash basis (including leases)
Depreciation	18.2	15.2	2.4	Property, plants and equipment (including leases)
R&D expenses	10.8	4.7	6.1	

Main capital expenditures

Segment	Contents	1H Results
Food	[Meiji Oils and Fats Co., Ltd.] New margarine plant [Meiji Co., Ltd.] Construction of Kansai Ice Cream Plant	1.2 billion yen 1.0 billion yen
Pharmaceuticals	[P.T. Meiji Indonesian Pharmaceutical Industries] Manufacturing equipment	1.2 billion yen



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