

Third Quarter of the Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 2016 Unicharm Presentation Materials for Investor Meeting

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- Net sales -18.1 billion JPY (-3.4%) Approx. 5% increase in income excluding exchange effects.
- Operating profit +1.5 billion JPY (+3.2%) Approx. 8% increase in profits excluding exchange effects
 - ✓ Japan: Favorable performance for both Personal Care and Pet Care businesses led to increase in income and profit
 - ✓ China: About 30% growth for imports from Japan (mainly cross-border EC, authorized imports)

 Sale Shift to EC has been positive
 - ✓ Indonesia: Increase of competition expenses and temporary inventory adjustment expenses.
- Ordinary profit +2.4 billion JPY (+6.1%)
 - ✓ Greater exchange gain mainly due to revaluation of inter company loans +1.8 billion JPY
- Quarterly net income +11.9 billion JPY (+67.9%)
 - ✓ Profit from sale of policy-held stocks that do not contribute to improvement of corporate value +3.7 billion JPY
 - **√** Tax cost decrease due to lowering of effective tax rate, etc. mainly +3.8 billion JPY
 - ✓ Profit increase of parent company return from purchase of shares of Middle-East subsidiaries
 +1.9 billion JPY
- Cash flows form operating activities +24.5 billion JPY (44.2 billion JPY →68.7 billion JPY +56%)

Year-on-year: 3.4% net sales decrease, 3.2% operating income increase Public achievement rates: 71.0% net sales, 62.0% operating profit



Consolidated account highlights

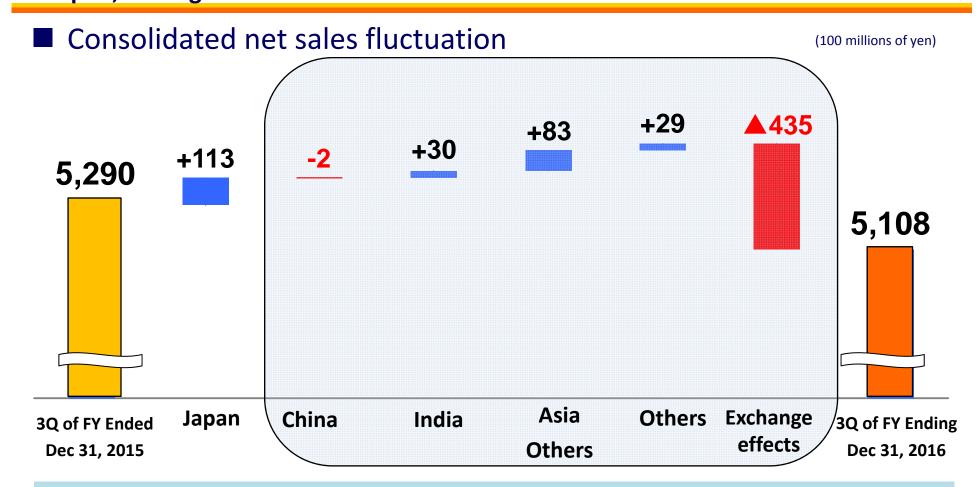
(Millions of yen)

	3Q of FY Ending Dec 31, 2016	3Q of FY Ended Dec 31, 2015	Difference	Difference (%)	(Reference) FY Ending Dec 31, 2016 (Published value)	Achievement rate
Net sales *1	510,893	529,071	-18,177	-3.4%	720,000	71.0%
Operating income Operating income margin *1	51,456 10.1%	49,878 9.4%	1,577	3.2% (+0.7%P)	83,000 11.5%	62.0%
Ordinary income Ordinary income margin	42,937 8.4%	40,486 7.7%	2,451	6.1% (+0.7%P)	70,000 9.7%	61.3%
Net income Net income margin	29,515 5.8%	17,576 3.3%	11,939	67.9% (+2.5%P)	42,000 5.8%	70.3%
EPS (Yen)	49.60	29.26	20.34	69.5%	71.08	_

^{*1:} Excluding effects from exchange fluctuations (Replaced with rate from FY Ended Dec 31, 2015) Approx. 5% growth in net sales, approx. 8% growth in operating income

The appreciation of the yen had a negative impact, but overseas, local currency base grew by approx. 4% In Japan, driving forces are Health Care and Feminine Care businesses.

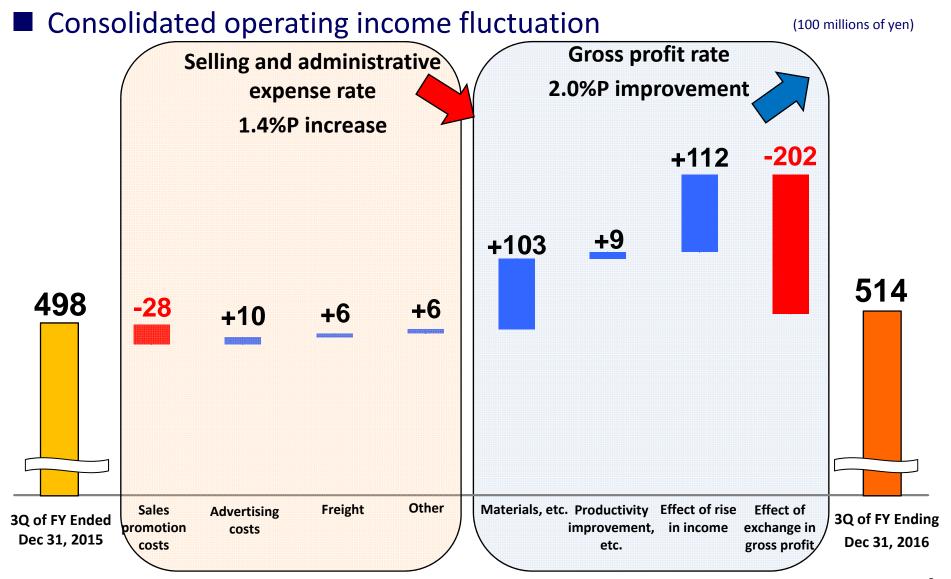




- ♦ Japan: While inbound decreased, Personal Care, Pet Care continued with stable growth.
- ♦ China: Baby Care seeing recovering trend, and Feminine Care maintaining favorable sell-out conditions.
- ♦India: Area expansion was promoted and growth continued more than market growth.
- ◆Asia, others: Vietnam, Thailand and Taiwan seeing upward shifts.

Profit increased due to effects of material cost fluctuations and rise in income





In Japan, steady growth from sales expansion of high value-added products



In Asia, active investment to expand the market

Geographical Segment Information

(Millions of yen)

	3Q of FY Ending Dec31, 2016		3Q of F Dec31	Y Ended , 2015	Net sales Operating i		g income	
	Net sales	Operating income Operating income margin	Net sales	Operating income Operating income margin	Difference	Difference (%)	Difference	Difference (%)
Japan	215,487	34,069 15.8%	204,165	30,079 14.7%	11,321	5.5%	3,989	13.3% (+1.1%P)
Asia	220,681	13,604 6.2%	243,510	17,982 7.4%	-22,829	-9.4%	-4,378	-24.3% (-1.2%P)
Others*	74,724	3,425 4.6%	81,395	2,253 2.8%	-6,670	-8.2%	1,171	52.0% (+1.8%P)
Elimination/ Companywide	-	357	ı	-437	-	-	794	-
Consolidated	510,893	51,456 10.1%	529,071	49,878 9.4%	-18,177	-3.4%	1,577	3.2% (+0.7%P)

^{*}Others: Main regions are U.S.A., Saudi Arabia, Brazil, and the Netherlands

Effects of exchange fluctuations: Net sales -43.5 billion JPY, operating profit -3 billion JPY (Breakdown of operating profit: Conversion -2.5 billion JPY, rise in purchase price -0.5 billion JPY)

Rate changes by currency

Currency	Exchange rate Jan – Sep 2016	Exchange rate Jan – Sep 2015	Change in rate	
Taiwan (TWD)	3.35	3.85	-13.0%	
Thailand (THB)	3.08	3.59	-14.2%	
South Korea (KRW)	0.0936	0.1079	-13.3%	
Indonesia (IDR)	0.0082	0.0092	-10.9%	
Malaysia (MYR)	26.60	32.14	-17.2%	
Netherlands (EUR)	121.17	134.77	-10.1%	
China (CNY)	16.50	19.32	-14.6%	
Philippines (PHP)	2.33	2.71	-14.0%	
Saudi Arabia (SAR)	29.03	32.28	-10.1%	
India (INR)	1.63	1.92	-15.1%	
USA (USD)	108.69	120.89	-10.1%	
Russia (RUB)	1.59	2.05	-22.4%	
Australia (AUD)	80.46	92.27	-12.8%	
Vietnam (VND)	0.0049	0.0055	-10.9%	

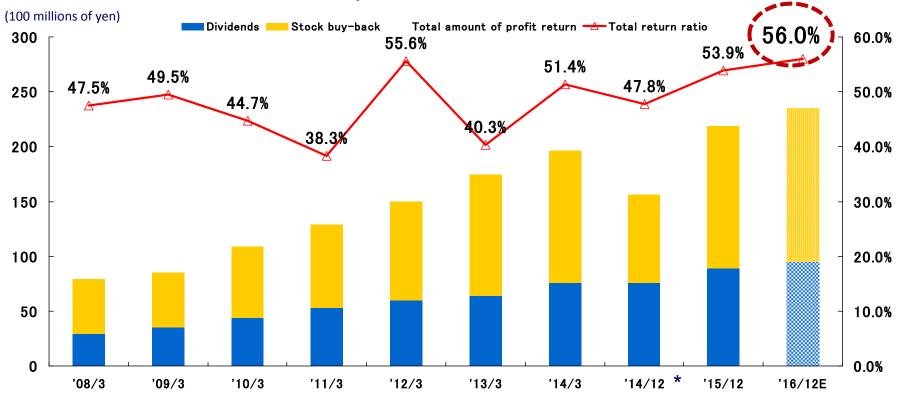


FY Ending Dec. 31, 2016 Shareholder Return Policy

With a 50% total return ratio policy, forecast of increased dividends for 21 consecutive periods and 56% total return ratio



Shareholder Return Policy



*Irregular results due to change in settlement period

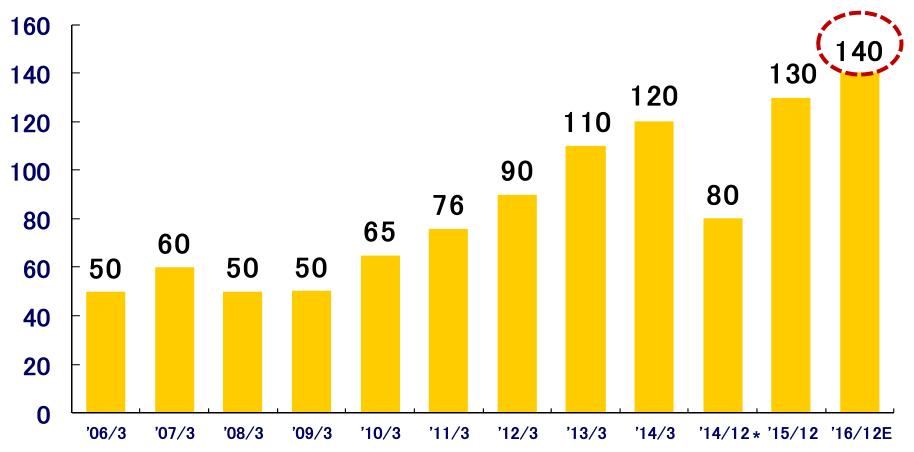
Our aim is to provide profit return with <u>a total return ratio of 50% as our goal</u> (Estimated payout ratio of 20%), in combination with shareholder allotment and stock buy-back acquisition, by implementing stable and continuous share allotment based on growth of mid-term consolidated earnings, while prioritizing business investment that ensures continuous growth, and swiftly acting as necessary in regards to shareholder allotment and stock buyback.

Swiftly acquired stocks through buy-back based on cash conditions Acquisition for FY 2016 is 14 billion JPY, 5.72 million stocks (0.9% of the total issued shares)



Stock buy-back acquisition graph

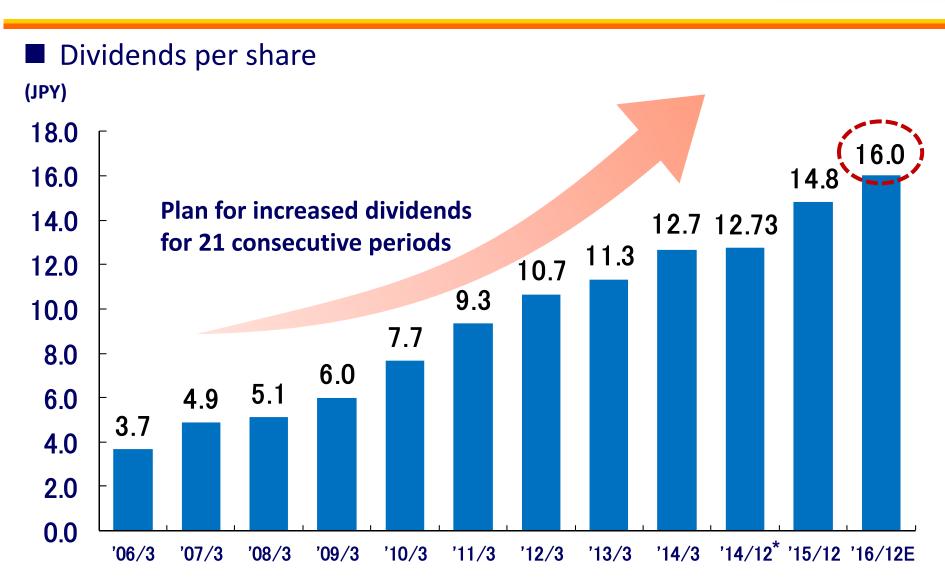
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Steady and continual dividend payments





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Reference materials

[Ref.] Pet Care business: Increase in income/profit in Japan via brand enhancement, etc. and shift to high value-added products overseas



Segment information by business

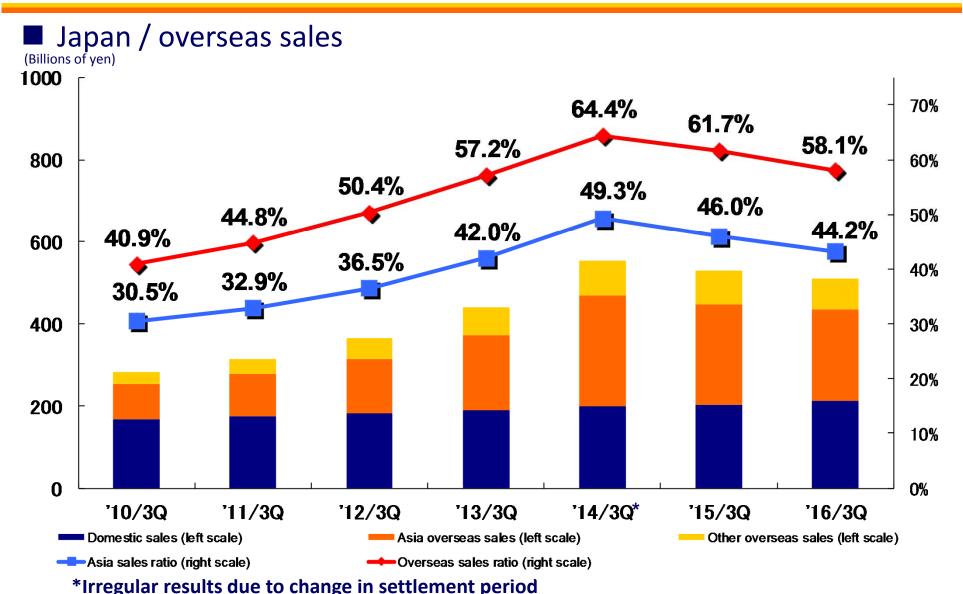
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Personal Care	445,264	47,982 10.8%	463,860	48,350 10.4%	-18,595	-4.0%	-367	- <mark>0.8%</mark> (+0.4%P)
Pet Care	61,216	3,201 5.2%	61,377	1,351 2.2%	-161	-0.3%	1,850	136.9% (+3.0%P)
Others*	4,413	271 6.1%	3,833	175 4.6%	579	15.1%	95	54.3% (+1.5%P)
Elimination/ Companywide	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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[Ref.] Overseas net sales ratio: 58.1% (61.4% excluding exchange effects)

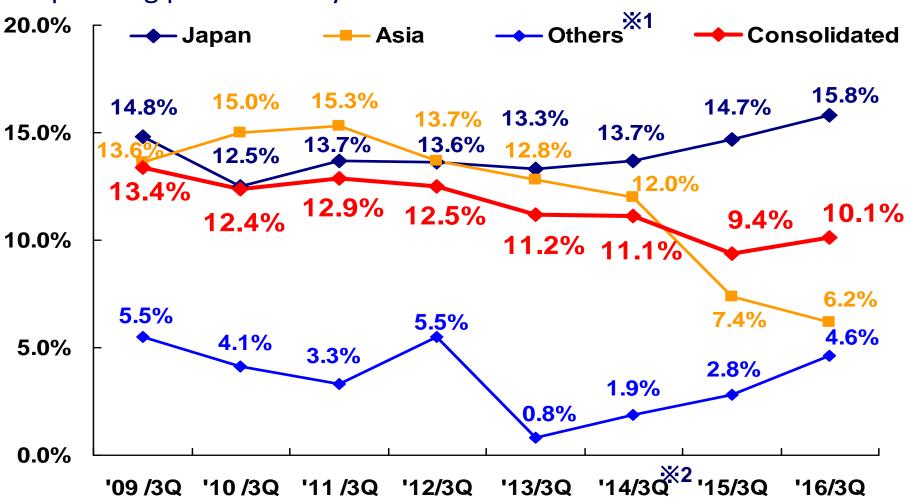




[Ref.]In Japan, improvement of product mixing with high value-added products In Asia, active marketing investment ahead of the market



Operating profit ratio by location



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^{*2} Irregular results due to change in settlement period

Thank you



