

Kirin Group Financial Results for 2012 and Business Approach for 2013

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2012 consolidated performance highlights



Set a new record for operating income. Helped by strong results of overseas integrated beverages and in the pharmaceuticals business.

		FY2012	YoY change	
		(Billion yen)	(Billion yen)	(%)
	Domestic Alcohol Beverages	851.8	(16.4)	(1.9)
	Domestic Non-Alcohol Beverages	335.3	20.7	6.6
	Overseas Beverages	579.3	125.1	27.6
	Pharmaceuticals and Bio-chemicals	322.9	(9.8)	(3.0)
	Other	96.6	(5.2)	(5.2)
Sales		2,186.1	114.4	5.5
	Domestic Alcohol Beverages	63.3	(7.2)	(10.2)
	Domestic Non-Alcohol Beverages	4.4	1.6	58.8
	Overseas Beverages	27.6	12.2	79.4
	Pharmaceuticals and Bio-chemicals	55.5	6.0	12.2
	Other	4.8	(1.3)	(22.3)
Operat	ing Income	153.0	10.1	7.1
	Equity in earnings of affiliates	(0.6)	(11.2)	_
Ordina	ry Income	138.4	1.6	1.2
	Special income and expenses	(4.8)	47.0	_
Income interest	me before income taxes and minority 133.5 48.6		57.3	
Net Inc	come	56.1	48.7	658.7

Sales

- Increased revenue in the overseas beverages business following inclusion of Brasil Kirin's P&L
- Increased sales at Kirin Beverages (+10% YoY)
- \rightarrow Up 114.4 billion yen to 2,186.1 billion yen

Operating income

- Overseas beverages business achieved planned profit increase in both Australia and Brazil
- In the pharmaceuticals and bio-chemicals business, sales of core pharmaceutical products remained steady despite the impact of the revision of drug prices
- \rightarrow Up 10.1 billion yen to 153.0 billion yen (new record)
- Ordinary income
- \rightarrow Up 1.6 billion yen to 138.4 billion yen

Net income

- Decrease in special expenses
- →Up 48.7 billion yen to 56.1 billion yen Planned annual dividend: 29 yen per share (up 2 yen from original plan)

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Aim to increase revenue and profits for overall Group, expecting steady growth in overseas integrated beverages

		FY2013	YoY cha	inge
		(Billion yen)	(Billion yen)	(%)
	Japan Integrated Beverages	1,188.0	(2.0)	(0.2)
	Overseas Integrated Beverages	677.0	99.9	17.3
	Pharmaceuticals and Bio- chemicals	329.0	6.0	1.9
	Other	96.0	(0.1)	(0.1)
Sale	S	2,290.0	103.8	4.7
	Japan Integrated Beverages	60.5	(8.4)	(12.3)
	Overseas Integrated Beverages	38.0	10.3	37.5
	Pharmaceuticals and Bio- chemicals	58.0	2.4	4.5
	Other	5.0	1.2	32.2
Оре	rating Income	155.0	1.9	1.3
	Equity in earnings of affiliates	(4.3)	(3.6)	_
Ordi	nary Income	132.0	(6.4)	(4.7)
	Special income and expenses	41.0	45.8	_
	me before income taxes and rity interests	173.0	39.4	29.5
Net	Income	90.0	33.8	60.1

- Japan integrated beverages
- Expect increased sales in RTD, wine and soft drinks
- Increase selling expenses aimed at strategically fostering strong brands
- Overseas integrated beverages <Lion>
- Revitalize sales and accelerate profit growth through stronger sales in high-value-added products and growth categories

<Brasil Kirin>

• Increase profits through strategic investment in facilities and brand

Pharmaceuticals and Bio-chemicals

 Expect increased sales volume, especially in core pharmaceutical products; foreign exchange (YoY depreciation of the yen) will also help to increase profit

Net income

• Gain on sale of shares in Fraser & Neave (Special income: approx. 47.0 billion yen)

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Overseas business achieved targets due to good start in Brazil and improved business results in Australia

Realized improved profitability in overseas integrated beverages business

Achievements

- Lion: Built foundations for renewed growth, by means of strengthening the product portfolio in the alcohol beverages growth category, and as a result of structural changes in the soft drinks business
 - Brasil Kirin: Steadily promoted post-merger integration (PMI) activities, and achieved both sales and profits targets

Issues

Lion: Enhance profitability by strengthening the high-value-added categories in the soft drinks business, and through ongoing structural changes

Brasil Kirin: Further expand market presence through strengthening brands

Made start toward renewed growth in Japan integrated beverages business

Achievements Creation of new value for customers

- Skirin Beverage: First-ever cola drink designated for specified health uses, Kirin Mets Cola, was a major hit
- Kirin Brewery: Received great response to KIRIN Ichiban shibori Frozen Beer, featuring a new tasting experience

ISSUES Stirin Brewery: Achieve growth in new genre and non-alcohol categories

2013 basic policy: first year in shift to organic growth

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Improve overall Group profitability based on growth overseas

- Reliable delivery of results according to the business stage of each region, driven by a "federation" group management structure
- Switch to a trajectory of renewed growth in Japan, through fostering strong brands based on strategic investment
- Improvement in whole Group's ability to create value, through the promotion of innovation based on collaboration that transcends organizational boundaries

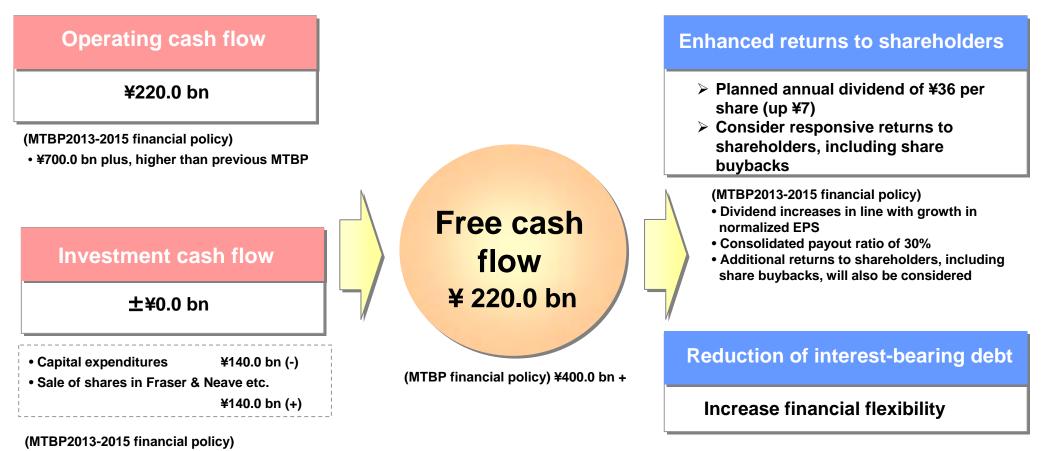
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Mid single-digit CAGR in normalized	EBITDA∗	316.0 billion yen (up 2.8% YoY)	
High single-digit CAGR in normalized	IEPS*	121 yen (up 3.4% YoY)	
(Guidance on Group consolidated results)	FY2015	FY2013	
Sales	Over 2,300.0 billion yen	2,290.0 billion yen	
 Operating income 	Over 180.0 billion yen	155.0 billion yen	
< MTBP financial policy >		< 2013 Policy >	
Increase dividend with 30% conso of normalized* EPS	lidated payout ratio	Planned full-year return: 36 yen per share (up 7 yen)	
Reduce interest-bearing debt		Increase financial flexibility	

• Normalization: Removing special income and expenses and other extraordinary items to reflect actual earnings more accurately 2012 actuals: Normalized EBITDA was 307.3 billion yen, Normalized EPS was 117 yen

FY2013 financial strategies

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Determine use of free cash flow in accordance with MTBP 2013-2015 financial policy



• Approximately ¥300.0 bn (excluding strategic investment for growth) Note: Excluding cash inflow from sale of shares in Fraser & Neave (MTBP2013-2015 financial policy)

Same as above

Japan integrated beverages (1) 2012 results



Strengthened core brands through selection and concentration, and created new value for customers

		FY2012	YoY chan	ge
		(Billion yen)	(Billion yen)	(%)
	Kirin Brewery ^{*2}	752.4	(22.8)	(2.9)
	Mercian	69.7	(2.1)	(2.9)
	Kirin Beverage	336.8	19.7	6.2
Sales*1		1,187.1	4.3 0.4	
	Kirin Brewery ^{*2}	57.8	(8.7)	(13.2)
	Mercian	2.1	0.8	67.5
	Kirin Beverage	3.9	1.3	50.2
Operat	ing income ^{*1}	67.8	(5.5)	(7.6)

*1 Domestic alcohol beverages + Domestic non-alcohol beverages

*2 Kirin Brewery + Kirin Beer Marketing

Achieved results through efforts to create new forms of value that meets customer needs, both for alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages



- Achieved sales target set at beginning of year
- Sales volume of Mercian wine +13% YoY
- Sales volume of Kirin Beverages +10% YoY Set a new sales record for *Kirin Gogo-no-Kocha* for the 3rd consecutive year



Japan integrated beverages (2) 2013 forecast



Increase value of the KIRIN brand, through invigorating the market by co-creating value with consumers

		FY2013	YoY cha	ange
		(Billion yen)	(Billion yen)	(%)
	Kirin Brewery*	743.1	(9.3)	(1.2)
	Mercian	68.2	(1.4)	(2.1)
	Kirin Beverage	351.3	14.4	4.3
Sales		1,188.0	(2.0)	(0.2)
	Kirin Brewery*	51.7	(6.1)	(10.6)
	Mercian	1.8	(0.2)	(13.5)
	Kirin Beverage	1.6	(2.3)	(59.5)
Operat	ing income	60.5	(8.4)	(12.3)

* Kirin Brewery + Kirin Beer Marketing

- Implement new type of brand communication
- New promotion for Kirin Nodogoshi Nama
 - Propose new drinking style for *Ichiban Shibori Two Tone Nama*



Expand two-way communication with consumers, using the web and SNSs



- Actively invest in leading brands
- Actively inject resources into *Hyoketsu*
- Increase focus on Gogo-no-Kocha
- Nurture Mets Cola into a megabrand
- **a** Take up challenge for new business areas
- Enter home delivery service for mineral water

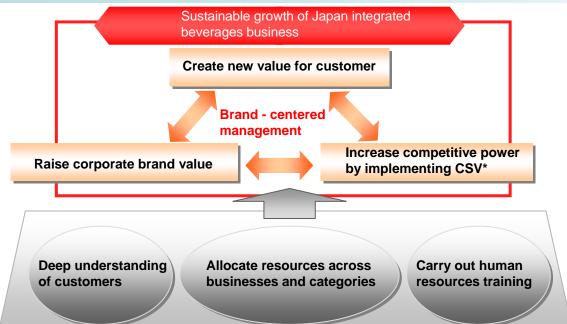


Successively develop new types of brand communication based on ideas for integrated beverages that break the boundaries of beverage categories. (Announcement for new product proposals in new genres and RTD scheduled for late February)

Japan integrated beverages (3) Renewed growth

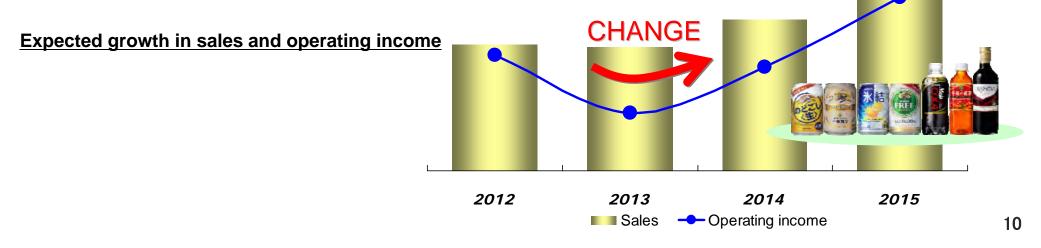
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Steadily shift to a trajectory of renewed growth in 2013



*CSV (Creating Shared Value): CSV is a management concept that combines two ideas: engaging in societal issues to create social value, and improving a company's competitive position.

- Aim for renewed growth using "brand-centered management" with the Japan integrated beverages business acting as one unified whole
- Quickly increase specialist capabilities by bringing together the marketing research functions and R&D functions of each operating company
- Clarify points for reinforcement, and allocate resources intensively towards growing categories
- In 2013, steadily shift to a trajectory of renewed growth by focusing more on strengthening brands. Accelerate growth and deliver results in second half of MTBP





Thanks to the strong performance of the Australian alcohol business, which became the leading brewer in 2012, Lion achieved its earnings growth plan in a declining beer market.

		Consolidat	ed basis	Local ba	isis
		(Billion yen)	YoY(%)	(Million AUD)	YoY (%)
Sales	Alcohol Beverages			+ 0.2% Yo	ſ
Volume	Soft drinks Beverages			(13.3)% Yo	iΥ
	Alcohol Beverages	189.8	1.7	2,326	3.9
	Soft drinks Beverages	206.8	(11.9)	2,535	(10.0)
Sales		396.6	(5.8)	4,862 (3.9)	
	Alcohol Beverages	50.0	4.8	613	7.0
	Soft drinks Beverages	7.4	(3.7)	91	(1.7)
	Corporate expense	(7.9)	23.5	(97)	26.1
Operating	g income	49.6	1.0	608	3.1
Goodwill		(25.2) (308)			
Brand am	ortization	(3.8)		(47)	
	g income after tion of goodwill etc.	20.5			50.1

Consolidation period : October, 2011 - September, 2012 / Currency exchange rate: 81.58 yen

Operating income breakdown (Prior to amortization of goodwill and brand)

Million AUD	FY2012	FY2011	YoY change	Cause of change	
Alcohol Beverages	613	573	40	(3) (34) 77	Volume COGS Other
Soft drink Beverages	91	93	(2)	(123) (51) 172	Volume COGS Other

Alcohol Beverages

Strong performance from core trademarks such as XXXX, with XXXX GOLD becoming the no.1 beer in the market, and improved mix through premiumisation as international premium brands such as Corona Extra and Stella Artois joined the portfolio.



Soft Drink Beverages

Improved profitability through innovation, including the launch of permeate free Dairy Farmers and PURA, and sustainable cost reduction.



Accelerating profit growth by focusing on the high-value-added and growing categories.

		Consolidate	ed basis Local basis		asis
		(Billion yen)	YoY(%)	(Million AUD)	YoY (%)
	Alcohol Beverages	235.4	24.1	2,616	12.5
	Soft drinks Beverages	231.7	12.0	2,575	1.6
Sales		467.2	17.8	5,191	6.8
	Alcohol Beverages	61.8	23.5	687	11.9
	Soft drinks Beverages	11.7	57.3	130	42.6
	Corporate expense	(10.8)	36.9	(120)	24.1
Operat	ing income	62.7	26.5	697	14.6
Goodw	ill	(29.6)		(329)	
Brand a	amortization	(4.0)		(44)	
	ing income after zation of goodwill etc.	29.0	41.4	323	28.2

Consolidation period : October, 2012 – September, 2013 Currency exchange rate: 90.00 yen

Alcohol Beverages

- Strengthening the thriving craft beer categories.
 - James Squire trademark (Aus.) driving overall craft category growth
 - Enhancing portfolio through newly acquired brands;

Little World Beverage: (Australia) Emerson's (New Zealand)



average growth rate of Australian craft beer market ; 2007 -2011

in the Australian craft beer market

Improving operational efficiency by the closure of Swan Brewery in Perth, Western Australia

Soft Drink Beverages



- Premiumisation through innovative new products
- Manufacturing optimization to improve efficiency
- Innovation in NARTD category for future growth



Achieved first-year targets for sales volume, sales revenue and profit, and made a good start for medium-term growth

		Consolidated bas	is (Billion yen)	Local basis	(Million BRL)
		Results	Results FY2012 Plan		FY2012 Plan
	Alcohol beverages			+ 5.5%	YoY
	Soft drink beverages			+ 11.09	∕6 YoY
Sales	volume			+ 7.4%	YoY
Sales		148.8	150.5	3,623 3,500	
	ating income (before PPA tment *)	16.4	15.2	400 35	
	ating income (after PPA tment *)	13.0	—	317	—
Good	will *	(4.8)	(9.6)	(118)	(225)
Brand	amortization *	(2.8)	_	(69)	_
	ating income after tization of goodwill, etc.	5.2 5.5 128		129	
EBITE	DA	24.0	23.6	602	550

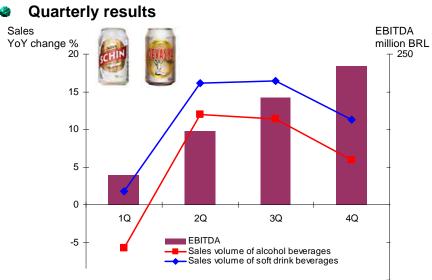
Consolidated results period: January - December 2012 / Currency exchange rate: BRL 1 = JPY 41.08

* PPA (Purchase Price Allocation; allocation of the acquisition cost associated with a business combination)

Pursuant to Brazilian accounting standards, the assets and liabilities of Brasil Kirin on the date of the business combination were assessed at fair value. As a result of allocating the pre-PPA goodwill to tangible/intangible fixed assets, etc., while local amortization, etc. has increased(83 million BRL), amortization of goodwill, etc. on a consolidated basis has decreased in comparison to budget(38 million BRL in total).

< Sales breakdown** >	Billion yen	Million BRL
Alcohol beverages	104.1	2,536
Soft drink beverages	28.5	706

** Calculated on a management accounting basis which excludes taxes, etc. that are included in institutional accounting



- Completed PMI activities to plan
- Progressed better than planned in procurement process reforms
- Maintained strong market presence in Northern and North-Eastern regions



In-house event to mark the change of name to Brasil Kirin



Move toward stage of increased profits through strategic investment in facilities and brands

	Consolidated basis (Billion yen) YoY Change(%)		Local basis (Million BRL) YoYChange(%)	
Sales	176.8	18.8	4,112	13.5
Operating income	15.6	20.2	364	14.8
Goodwill	(5.1)		(118)	
Brand amortization	(2.9)		(69)	
Operating income after amortization of goodwill, etc.	7.5	42.8	175	36.4
EBITDA	28.8	20.0	670	11.3

Consolidated results period: January - December 2013 Forecast currency exchange rate: BRL 1 = JPY 43.00

< Sales breakdown* >

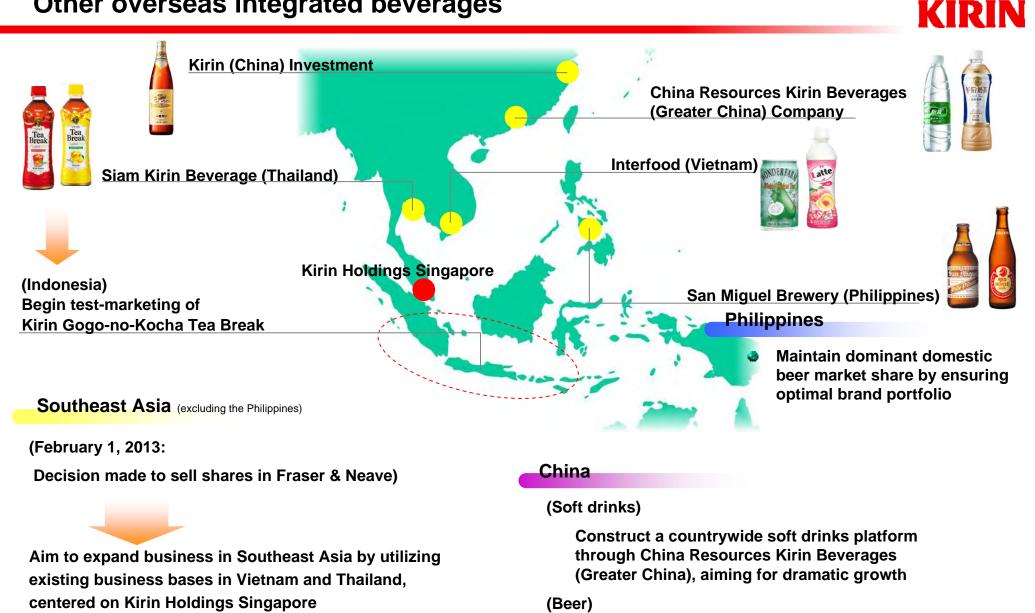
	(Billion yen)	YoY change (%)	(Million BRL)	YoY change (%)
Alcohol beverages	125.0	20.0	2,909	14.7
Soft drink beverages	34.9	22.5	813	15.2

Growth linked to the market

- Real GDP growth rate in 2013 is about 3.3% *1
- Inflation rate is around 5% *1
- Outlook for growth in the beer market is 4.9% *2
- Outlook for growth in soft drinks market is 5.9% *2
- *1: Kirin estimates based on reports published by the Central Bank of Brazil, etc.
- *2: Kirin estimates
- Efforts aimed at achieving growth
- Extend drink can lines, and respond to increase in household demand
- Strengthen reach to areas with weak presence
- Focus resources on core brands
- Strengthen brand through advertising, shop presence, and expanding the drinking experience via events, etc.
- Efforts aimed at increasing efficiency
- Improve gross margin ratio of non-alcoholic beverages (Raise gross margin ratio to over 40% for alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages combined)

Other overseas integrated beverages

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Stabilize revenue base and achieve continued growth in sales of KIRIN brand products

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Kyowa Hakko Kirin: Medium-term Business Plan 2013-2015



Leveraging Kyowa Hakko Kirin Group synergies to achieve sustainable growth by responding to environmental changes

Basic strategy of MTBP2013-2015

- Further strengthen competitiveness in Japan through our category-based strategy
 - Implement product portfolio management in each category from R&D to S&M
 - Realize sustainable growth while enhancing productivity
- Expand our business base in the USA, Europe and Asia and aim to become a global specialty pharmaceutical company

Compared

to FY2012

+24.9

+7.1

+4.0

+5.9

+10.7

Strengthen the revenue base of our Bio-Chemicals business

(Billion yen)	FY 2012 Results	FY2013 Planned	l.	FY2015 Guidance ¹⁾
Net sales	333.1	338.0		358.0
Operating income ²⁾ *	52.9	55.0		60.0
(operating income to sales ratio)	(15.9%)	(16.3%)		(16.8%)
Ordinary income ²⁾	49.0	49.0		53.0
Net income ²⁾	24.1	30.0		30.0
EPS ³⁾ (¥)	61.0	71.7		71.7
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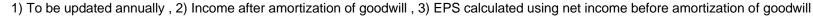
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Pharmaceuticals



Bio-chemicals





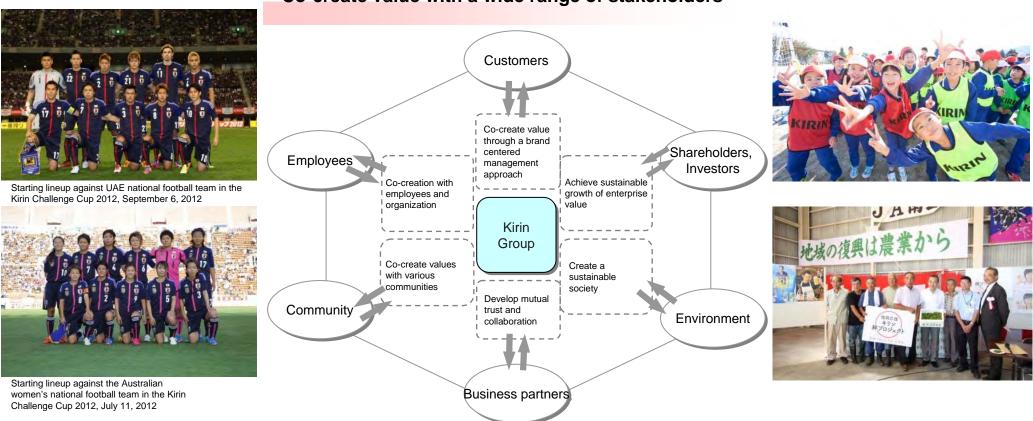
* Consolidated operating income at Kirin Holdings after adjustment of goodwill: FY2012 55.5bn yen / FY2013(Planned) 58.0bn yen

From CSR to CSV

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In support of Kirin's brand-centered management approach—through which Kirin aims to deepen engagement with stakeholders and take its CSR activities to the next level—Kirin is adopting a CSV approach to business. With CSV, Kirin aims to create value together with a wide range of stakeholders through its overall business activities along the value chain.



Co-create value with a wide range of stakeholders



Appendix



(Normalized EBITDA)

(Billion yen)	2013 Target
Operating income	155.0
Depreciation	106.0
Amortization of goodwill	46.7
Dividends received from equity- method affiliated companies	8.3
Normalized EBITDA	316.0

(Normalized EPS)

(Billion yen)	2013 Target
Net income	90.0
Amortization of goodwill, etc.	62.1
Special income and expenses after income taxes and minority interests	(35.3)
Normalized net income (A)	116.7
Average number of shares outstanding during period (B)	961,497,936
Normalized EPS = A/B	121yen



(Foreign exchange rate) (Yen) BRL AUD Average rate for the period 81.58 41.08 2012 Actual (Oct 2011 - Sep 2012) 90.00 43.00 2013 Forecast (Oct 2012 - Sep 2013) Rate at end of period 81.12 2012 Actual 42.37 (End of Sep 2012)

(Impact of 1-yen change in foreign exchange rate on consolidated business results)

(Billion yen)

	AUD (Lion)	BRL (Brasil Kirin)
Consolidated sales	5.1	4.1
Consolidated operating income	0.32	0.18
Foreign currency translation adjustments	Approx.6.0	Approx.6.0

Appendix 3. Strengthening of the soft drinks production system aimed at renewed growth in the Japan integrated beverage business (plan outline)





Kirin Beverage Maizuru Plant

PET bottle products

Production line for soft drink canned products

roduction line for alcohol/ non-alcohol beverages oft drink tts

Relocate production base

