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Consolidated Financial Results for the Third Quarter of the Term Ending March 31, 2025 (Under Japanese GAAP)

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(Yen amounts are rounded down to millions, unless otherwise noted.)

1. Consolidated business results for the Third quarter of the term ending March 31, 2025 (from April 1, 2024 to December 31, 2024)

(1) Consolidated operating results

1) Consolidated operating results (Percentages indicate year-on-year changes.)									
	Net sales	5	Operating profit		Ordinary profit		Profit attributable to owners of parent		
Nine-month period ended	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	
December 31, 2024	136,773	18.1	32,380	69.1	35,151	56.9	26,567	64.5	
December 31, 2023	115,826	8.2	19,143	8.0	22,400	4.6	16,151	1.7	

Note: Comprehensive income Nine-month period ended December 31, 2024: Nine-month period ended December 31, 2023:

¥32,062 million [9.9 %] [7.4 %] ¥29,166 million

	Basic earnings per share	Diluted earnings per share
Nine-month period ended	Yen	Yen
December 31, 2024	349.88	_
December 31, 2023	212.45	_

(2) Consolidated financial condition

	Total assets	Net assets	Equity-to-asset ratio
As of	Millions of yen	Millions of yen	%
December 31, 2024	463,807	318,322	62.9
March 31, 2024	428,254	295,364	63.2

Reference: Equity

As of December 31, 2024: As of March 31, 2024:

¥291,895 million ¥270,802 million

2. Dividends

		Annual dividends per share						
	First quarter-end	Second quarter-end Third quarter-end		Fiscal year-end	Total			
	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen			
Fiscal year ended March 31, 2024	_	35.00	_	50.00	85.00			
Fiscal year ending March 31, 2025	_	68.00	—					
Fiscal year ending March 31, 2025 (Forecast)				68.00	136.00			

Note: Revisions to dividends projection published most recently: No

3. Projections of consolidated business results for the term ending March 31, 2025 (From April 1, 2024 to March 31, 2025) . . <u>.</u>.

(110m April 1, 2024 to March 51, 2025)									
 (Figures in percentage show the rate of increase or decrease from the previous fiscal year)									
	Net sales Operating profit		g profit	Ordinary profit		Profit attributable to owners of parent		Profit per share	
	Million yen	%	Million yen %		Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Yen
Full-year	182,300	20.9	40,000	99.8	44,000	87.3	34,000	103.5	447.79

Note: Revisions to projections of consolidated business results published most recently: Yes

Regarding the revision to the consolidated business performance forecast, please refer to "1. Qualitative information on quarterly results, (3) Forward-looking statements such as consolidated business performance forecasts" on page 5 of the attachment.

* Notes

- (1) Changes in significant subsidiaries during the period: None
- (2) Adoption of accounting treatment specific to the preparation of quarterly consolidated financial statements: None
- (3) Changes in accounting policies, changes in accounting estimates, and restatement
 - (i) Changes in accounting policies due to revisions to accounting standards and other regulations: Yes
 - (ii) Changes in accounting policies due to other reasons: None
 - (iii) Changes in accounting estimates: None
 - (iv) Restatement: None
- Note: For details, see "2. Quarterly Consolidated Financial Statements and Key Notes (4) Notes to the Quarterly Consolidated Financial Statements (application of specific accounting treatment to the preparation of quarterly financial statements)" on page 12 of the material attached hereto.

(4) Number of issued shares (common shares)

(i) Total number of issued shares at the end of the period (including treasury shares)

As of December 31, 2024	76,758,362 shares
As of March 31, 2024	76,758,362 shares

(ii) Number of treasury shares at the end of the period

As of December 31, 2024	817,773 shares
As of March 31, 2024	829,871 shares

(iii) Average number of shares outstanding during the period

Nine-month period ended December 31, 2024	75,931,939 shares
Nine-month period ended December 31, 2023	76,024,654 shares

Note: The Company has introduced the BIP (Board Incentive Plan) trust for directors' compensation and ESOP (Employee Stock Ownership Plan) trust. As a result, the shares of the Company's stock held by the trust are included in treasury shares that are deducted in calculating the number of treasury shares at the end of the period and the average number of shares outstanding.

* Review of the accompanying quarterly consolidated financial statements by a certified public accountant or audit corporation: None

*Explanation about the proper use of financial projections and other important notes (Note about forward-looking information)

Forward-looking statements such as financial projections, which are stated in this document, are based on information currently available to the Company and certain assumptions deemed reasonable. There is a possibility that actual results, etc. will differ materially from forecasts due to various factors. Please see "1. Qualitative information on quarterly results (3) Forward-looking statements such as consolidated business performance forecasts" on page 5 for information regarding the forecast of consolidated financial results.

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1. Qualitative information on quarterly results

(1) Description of operating results

Consolidated business results for the third quarter under review were as follows:

[Consolidated business results]

				(Million yen)
		FY 3/2024 3Q	FY 3/2025 3Q	YoY Change Percent Change
Net sales		115,826	136,773	+20,947 +18.1%
	Domestic business	101,929	122,880	+20,951 +20.6%
	China business	13,896	13,892	(4) (0.0)%
Cost of sales		60,767	66,967	+6,200 +10.2%
Selling, gener expenses	ral and administrative	35,915	37,425	+1,510 +4.2%
Operating pro	ofit	19,143	32,380	+13,236 +69.1%
	Domestic business	19,427	32,568	+13,141 +67.6%
	China business	(283)	(187)	+95
Ordinary profit		22,400	35,151	+12,750 +56.9%
Profit attributable to owners of parent		16,151	26,567	+10,416 +64.5%

Net sales increased 18.1% year on year, to 136,773 million yen.

Net sales of the domestic business increased 20.6% year on year, to 122,880 million yen. Sales of 129 prescription Kampo preparations increased 20.8% year on year, to 117,904 million yen, attributable to price rises of 66 prescriptions as a result of the application of price revisions in April 2024, for unprofitable products. Sales of Daikenchuto, Yokukansan and Goshajinkigan rose significantly, partly owing to the impact of price rises as a result of the application of price revisions for unprofitable products. Sales of Goreisan increased, attributable to activities to provide information according to needs related to headaches and dizziness. Sales of Rikkunshito, Hochuekkito, Kamishoyosan, Kamikihito and Ninjin'yoeito decreased compared to a year ago, given the absence of the front-loaded orders that occurred in March 2024 in association with price revisions.

	Ranking in sales	No. / Product Nam	ie	FY 3/2024 3Q	FY 3/2025 3Q		Change/ Change
	1	100 Daikenchuto	*3	7,590	11,367	+3,777	+49.8%
Drug-fostering program	2	54 Yokukansan	*3	5,826	8,602	+2,776	+47.6%
formulations	5	43 Rikkunshito		5,661	5,486	(174)	(3.1)%
*1	8	107 Goshajinkigan	*3	2,827	4,281	+1,454	+51.4%
	25	14 Hangeshashinto		1,097	1,113	+15	+1.4%
Total of Drug-foste	ring Program	formulations		23,003	30,852	+7,848	+34.1%
	3	41 Hochuekkito		6,185	5,879	(306)	(5.0)%
	4	17 Goreisan		5,528	5,751	+222	+4.0%
"Growing" formulations *2	9	24 Kamishoyosan		3,935	3,786	(149)	(3.8)%
*2	18	137 Kamikihito		1,782	1,740	(41)	(2.3)%
	20	108 Ninjin`yoeito		1,761	1,645	(115)	(6.6)%
Total of "Growing" formulations				19,193	18,803	(390)	(2.0)%
Total of 119 prescriptions excluding Drug-fostering program formulations and "Growing" formulations		*3	55,438	68,248	+12,810	+23.1%	
Total of 129 presc	ription Kan	npo products		97,635	117,904	+20,269	+20.8%

Sales of "Drug fostering" program formulations and "Growing" formulations (unit: millions of yen)

In addition, sales of OTC Kampo formulations in the domestic business increased 22.3% year on year, to 4,037 million yen, reflecting a rise in the number of stores handling the products.

Net sales of the China business totaled 13,892 million yen. In the crude drug platforms (Ping An Tsumura Pharma Inc., Shenzhen Tsumura Medicine Co., Ltd. and others) that mainly sell crude drugs and crude drug pieces for decoction, sales of crude drugs fell 3.3% year on year, mainly due to the impact of certain suppliers' restrained purchases occurred temporarily in the first quarter of the fiscal year, although sales of crude drug pieces rose 38.4% year on year.

The cost of sales increased 10.2% year on year, to 66,967 million yen, due to sales growth and higher processing costs and crude drug procurement costs. The cost-to-sales ratio dropped 3.5 percentage points, to 49.0%, attributable to increases in the prices of 66 prescription Kampo preparations as a result of the application of price revisions for unprofitable products, offsetting the rise in processing costs and crude drugs procurement costs and other factors.

Selling, general and administrative expenses increased 4.2% year on year, to 37,425 million yen, mainly due to an increase in expenses associated with the operation of the integrated trunk system and the impact of the depreciation of the yen. The SGA ratio fell 3.6 percentage points year on year, to 27.4%, attributable to the increase in net sales.

As a result of the above, operating profit increased 69.1% year on year, to 32,380 million yen, while the operating profit margin rose 7.2 percentage points, to 23.7%. Ordinary profit increased 56.9% year on year, to 35,151 million yen. Profit attributable to owners of parent increased 64.5% year on year, to 26,567 million yen, owing to the posting of extraordinary income associated with sales of shares in cross-shareholding, in addition to the foregoing.

*1 "Drug fostering" program formulations:

Formulations the Company is addressing by looking hard at the structure of diseases in recent years, targeting diseases that are difficult to treat with new drugs for which prescription Kampo preparations prove specifically effective in domains where demand for medical treatment is high, and calling the establishment of evidence "drug fostering"

*2 Growing formulations:

Growth drivers aimed at registration in clinical practice guidelines as strategic formulations after five drug fostering program formulations by constructing evidence (such as data on safety and effectiveness) in domains where the degree of satisfaction with medical treatment and the degree of drug contribution are low

*3 The number of Kampo preparations to which price revisions for unprofitable products were applied: 66 (3 prescriptions falling under drug-fostering and evolution of Kampo + 63 other prescriptions, Revision rate: +36.2% - +50.7%)

[Situation of limited shipments]

Shipments of 129 prescription Kampo products had been restricted limited number of 21 prescriptions at end of FY2023 because demand for prescription Kampo preparations was greater than expected, reflecting increases in the number of COVID-19 and influenza cases and instability in the supply of antitussives. Restrictions on shipments gradually lifted by boosting production and adjusting production plans. As a result, all limits to shipments of 129 prescription Kampo products were removed by November 28, 2024.

On the other hand, due to a quality survey of raw material crude drugs, we have been making limited shipments of 8 prescriptions again since the end of December, and we have been lifting the limited shipments as needed starting with prescriptions for which the quality survey has been completed, and the product is ready for shipment. As of February 6, 2025, 4 prescriptions were in limited shipments, and we expect to remove all prescriptions by early April.

(2) Description of financial condition

The financial position at the end of the third quarter under review was as follows:

Total assets at the end of the third quarter increased 35,553 million yen from the end of the previous fiscal year, to 463,807 million yen. Current assets increased 25,317 million yen from the end of the previous fiscal year, mainly due to a rise in cash and deposits, raw materials and supplies. Non-current assets increased 10,235 million yen from the end of the previous fiscal year, mainly due to increases in property, plant and equipment.

Total liabilities were 145,484 million yen, an increase of 12,594 million yen from the end of the previous fiscal year. Current liabilities increased 4,875 million yen from the end of the previous fiscal year mainly due to an increase in short-term borrowings and income taxes payable. Non-current liabilities increased 7,719 million yen from the end of the previous fiscal year mainly due to a rise in long-term borrowings.

Net assets totaled 318,322 million yen, an increase of 22,958 million yen from the end of the previous fiscal year. Shareholders' equity rose 17,583 million yen from the end of the previous fiscal year, mainly reflecting an increase in retained earnings. Accumulated other comprehensive income climbed 3,509 million yen from the end of the previous fiscal year, chiefly due to an increase in foreign currency translation adjustment. Non-controlling interests increased 1,865 million yen from the end of the previous fiscal year. As a result, the equity ratio decreased by 0.3 percentage points to 62.9%.

Cash flows in the first three quarters under review were as follows:

Cash and cash equivalents as of the end of the third quarter under review were 82,942 million yen, an increase of 4,907 million yen from the end of the previous fiscal year. Cash flows in the first nine months under review and year-on-year changes in cash flows were as follows.

Cash flows in operating activities increased 22,472 million yen. Looking at the breakdown, there were profit before income taxes of 37,996 million yen, an increase in trade receivables of 4,499 million yen and an increase in inventories of 9,175 million yen. Compared to a year ago, it rose 23,270 million yen.

Cash used in investing activities was 11,675 million yen. Looking at its breakdown, a major cash outflow item was the purchase of property, plant and equipment of 14,696 million yen, and proceeds from sale and redemption of short-term and long-term investment securities of 7,075 million yen. Compared to a year ago, cash outflow decreased 698 million yen.

Cash used in financing activities was 8,510 million yen. Looking at its breakdown, major cash flow items were proceeded from short-term borrowings of 24,000 million yen, repayments of short-term borrowings of 19,000 million yen, and dividends paid of 9,009 million yen. Compared to a year ago, cash outflow rose 4,121 million yen.

(3) Forward-looking statements such as consolidated business performance forecasts

As announced in "Tsumura Announces Revision of Earnings Forecast" dated February 6, 2025, the Company revised its projections of full-year consolidated business performance for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2025 released on May 9, 2024 in light of recent performance trends. Details are as follows.

(i) Revision of projections of consolidated business results for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2025 (from April 1, 2024 to March 31, 2025)

						Profit	
	Net sales	Domestic business	China business	Operating profit	Ordinary profit	attributable to owners of parent	Profit per share
	Million yen	Million yen	Million yen	Million yen	Million yen	Million yen	Million yen
Previous forecast (A)	185,000	163,400	21,600	39,500	39,500	28,500	375.35
Revised forecast (B)	182,300	161,800	20,500	40,000	44,000	34,000	447.79
Change (B - A)	(2,700)	(1,600)	(1,100)	500	4,500	5,500	
Percentage change (%)	(1.5) %	(1.0) %	(5.1) %	1.3%	11.4%	19.3%	
(Reference) Results for previous fiscal year(ended March 31, 2024)	150,845	132,099	18,745	20,017	23,493	16,707	219.83

(ii) Reason of revision

Tsumura expects that net sales will come to 182,300 million yen, a decrease of 2,700 million yen from the forecast. The revision to net sales in the domestic business, the recovery in sales of Kampo formulation for prescription was slower than expected after the end of limited shipments. In the Chinese business, sales of crude drugs for Kampo preparation were lower than the projection in the crude drugs platform.

Operating profit is expected to exceed the forecast by 500 million yen, reaching 40,000 million yen. This mainly reflects lower-thanexpected processing costs and selling and administrative expenses.

Ordinary profit is expected to come to 44,000 million, an increase of 4,500 million yen from the forecast due to the impact of the depreciation of the yen, as well as the upward revision of operating profit.

Profits attributable to owners of parent is expected to exceed the forecast by 5,500 million yen, standing at 34,000 million yen mainly due to gains on the sale of investment securities.

(iii) Dividend forecast

There is no change in the dividend forecast accompanying this revision of business performance forecasts. The Company plans to pay dividends for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2025 in accordance with the shareholder return policy released on November 7, 2023.

(Note) The above business performance forecasts were prepared based on information available as of the date of this announcement, and actual performance may differ from the forecasts due to a variety of factors.

2. Quarterly Consolidated Financial Statements and Key Notes

(1) Quarterly Consolidated Balance Sheets

	As of March 31, 2024	As of December 31, 2024
	AS 01 Watch 51, 2024	AS 01 December 51, 2024
Assets		
Current assets Cash and deposits	78,075	83,051
Notes and accounts receivable - trade	67,149	72,023
Merchandise and finished goods	12,139	14,049
Work in process	18,309	19,232
Raw materials and supplies	87,168	95,364
Other	18,761	23,253
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(311)	(36:
Total current assets	281,292	306,610
Non-current assets	- / -)
Property, plant and equipment		
Buildings and structures	95,434	98,718
Other	121,118	138,76
Accumulated depreciation	(112,493)	(119,030
Total property, plant and equipment	104,058	118,44
Intangible assets	· · · · ·	
Goodwill	8,350	8,17
Other	8,902	8,90
Total intangible assets	17,253	17,07
Investments and other assets		
Investment securities	15,241	10,60
Retirement benefit asset	3,626	3,97
Other	6,781	7,082
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(0)	(
Total investments and other assets	25,650	21,67
Total non-current assets	146,961	157,19
Total assets	428,254	463,80
iabilities		
Current liabilities		
Notes and accounts payable - trade	19,828	20,41
Short-term borrowings	10,313	15,31
Current portion of bonds payable	15,000	
Income taxes payable	2,979	7,25
Provision for employee stock ownership plan trust	-	79
Provision for share awards for directors (and other	-	278
officers) Other	20,435	29,38
Total current liabilities	68,557	73,43
Non-current liabilities	00,557	75,75.
Bonds payable	45,000	45,00
Long-term borrowings	9,377	20,05
Retirement benefit liability	49	558
Provision for employee stock ownership plan trust	414	55
Provision for share awards for directors (and other officers)	220	
Other	9,270	6,44
Total non-current liabilities	64,332	72,05
Total liabilities	132,889	145,484

	As of March 31, 2024	As of December 31, 2024
Net assets		
Shareholders' equity		
Share capital	30,142	30,142
Capital surplus	13,739	13,749
Retained earnings	205,804	223,341
Treasury shares	(2,378)	(2,342)
Total shareholders' equity	247,307	264,891
Accumulated other comprehensive income		
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	5,910	3,830
Deferred gains or losses on hedges	1,328	2,326
Revaluation reserve for land	2,673	2,673
Foreign currency translation adjustment	13,870	18,432
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans	(287)	(257)
Total accumulated other comprehensive income	23,494	27,004
Non-controlling interests	24,562	26,427
Total net assets	295,364	318,322
Total liabilities and net assets	428,254	463,807

(2) Quarterly Consolidated Statements of Income and Quarterly Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income Quarterly Consolidated Statements of Income / For the Third Quarter Consolidated Accumulative Term

	For the nine months ended December 31, 2023	For the nine months ended December 31, 2024
Net sales	115,826	136,773
Cost of sales	60,767	66,967
Gross profit	55,059	69,806
Selling, general and administrative expenses	35,915	37,425
Operating profit	19,143	32,380
Non-operating income		
Interest income	522	445
Dividend income	300	380
Foreign exchange gains	2,201	1,935
Other	540	532
Total non-operating income	3,565	3,299
Non-operating expenses		
Interest expenses	278	37:
Other	29	153
Total non-operating expenses	308	528
Ordinary profit	22,400	35,15
Extraordinary income		
Gain on sale of non-current assets	1	
Gain on sale of investment securities	446	2,95
Total extraordinary income	447	2,95
Extraordinary losses		
Loss on sale of non-current assets	-	
Loss on retirement of non-current assets	26	7
Loss on valuation of investment securities	-	3.
Total extraordinary losses	26	10
Profit before income taxes	22,821	37,99
Income taxes	5,034	9,79
Profit	17,786	28,20
Profit attributable to non-controlling interests	1,635	1,63
Profit attributable to owners of parent	16,151	26,56

Quarterly Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income (For the nine months)

		(Millions of yen)
	For the nine months ended December 31, 2023	For the nine months ended December 31, 2024
Profit	17,786	28,205
Other comprehensive income		
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	2,602	(2,080)
Deferred gains or losses on hedges	284	997
Foreign currency translation adjustment	8,466	4,909
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans, net of tax	26	29
Total other comprehensive income	11,380	3,856
Comprehensive income	29,166	32,062
Comprehensive income attributable to		
Comprehensive income attributable to owners of parent	25,417	30,076
Comprehensive income attributable to non-controlling interests	3,749	1,985

(3) Quarterly Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

		(Millions of yen)	
	For the nine months ended December 31, 2023	For the nine months ended December 31, 2024	
Cash flows from operating activities			
Profit before income taxes	22,821	37,996	
Depreciation	7,583	7,931	
Amortization of goodwill	385	412	
Increase (decrease) in allowance for doubtful accounts	58	46	
Interest and dividend income	(823)	(832)	
Interest expenses	278	375	
Loss (gain) on sale and retirement of property, plant and equipment	25	72	
Decrease (increase) in trade receivables	(10,691)	(4,499)	
Decrease (increase) in inventories	(8,601)	(9,175)	
Increase (decrease) in trade payables	(660)	176	
Loss (gain) on sale of short-term and long-term investment securities	(446)	(2,950)	
Decrease (increase) in retirement benefit asset	(292)	(312)	
Increase (decrease) in retirement benefit liability	(2)	525	
Other, net	(4,813)	(2,066	
Subtotal	4,821	27,700	
Interest and dividends received	860	837	
Interest paid	(148)	(333	
Income taxes paid	(6,332)	(5,732	
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	(798)	22,472	
Cash flows from investing activities	(196)	22,172	
Decrease (increase) in time deposits	7	7	
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(11,060)	(14,696	
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment	19	(14,090	
Purchase of intangible assets	(2,087)	(1,351	
Purchase of short-term and long-term investment securities	(5,541)	(2,524	
Proceeds from sale and redemption of short-term and long-term investment securities	6,610	7,075	
Proceeds from collection of loans receivable	0	70	
Other, net	(322)	(256	
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	(12,373)	(11,675	
Cash flows from financing activities			
Proceeds from short-term borrowings	-	24,000	
Repayments of short-term borrowings	-	(19,000	
Proceeds from long-term borrowings		10,674	
Redemption of bonds	-	(15,000	
Purchase of treasury shares	(1,316)	(1)	
Proceeds from share issuance to non-controlling shareholders	2,158	-	
Dividends paid	(5,117)	(9,009	
Dividends paid to non-controlling interests	(40)	(133	
Other, net	(72)	(40	
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	(4,388)	(8,510)	
Effect of exchange rate change on cash and cash equivalents	3,326	2,620	
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(14,233)	4,907	
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	94,730	78,034	
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	80,496	82,942	

(4) Notes to the Quarterly Consolidated Financial Statements (Notes on premise of a going concern)No relevant items.

(Notes on case of extreme change in shareholder's equity amount) No relevant items.

(Changes in accounting policies)

(Application of the Accounting Standard for Current Income Taxes, etc.)

At the beginning of the fiscal quarter under review, the Company started to adopt the Accounting Standard for Current Income Taxes (ASBJ Statement No. 27 of October 28, 2022; hereinafter, "Revised Accounting Standard 2022"), etc.

Regarding revisions to the accounting classification for corporate taxes, etc. (taxation on other comprehensive income), the Company conformed to the specific transitional provisions prescribed in the provisory clause under Paragraph 20-3 of the Revised Accounting Standard 2022 and the specific transitional provisions prescribed in the provisory clause under Paragraph 65-2(2) of the Implementation Guidance on Tax Effect Accounting (ASBJ Guidance No. 28 of October 28, 2022). This does not affect the quarterly consolidated financial statements.

(Notes on Segment Information)

[Segment Information]

1. Nine-months ended December 31, 2023 (From April 1, 2023 to December 31, 2023)

Segment information is not shown because the Group's operations are limited to the single segment of pharmaceutical products.

2. Nine-months ended December 31, 2024 (From April 1, 2024 to December 31, 2024)

Segment information is not shown because the Group's operations are limited to the single segment of pharmaceutical products.