# First Quarter of Fiscal 2018 Supplementary Material 

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## Cosmetics Market

■ The Japanese cosmetics market overall showed steady growth. However, the domestic market alone, excluding inbound demand seemed to be flat year-on-year.*

- By price range, high prestige remained steady.

■ As for the inbound market, the market overall continued to grow backed up by the increasing number of tourists visiting Japan, but the growth rate of the average spending price has slowed down slightly.
*Source: Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry, Japan Department Stores Association, Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications, Intage SLI.

## Our Group

■ The Group achieved increases in sales and operating income on a consolidated basis, driven by POLA and brands under development.
■ For POLA, thanks to the expansion of the customer base last year, the brand achieved increases in sales and operating income year on year, in spite of the high performance recorded in the first quarter of last year.

- ORBIS is currently implementing structural reforms; The sales ratio of the mainstay skincare series improved but the sales decreased due to the reduced number of customers.
- Jurlique maintained flat year on year due to strengthened investments for branding. Sales fell at H2O PLUS as a result of the selection and integration of sales channels.
- THREE and DECENCIA from brands under development maintained their momentum.


## Updates on Inbound Sales (Consolidated)

■ FY2016 (full year)
■ FY2017 (full year) : Approximately 7\% of consolidated net sales
$\downarrow$
■ FY2018 Q1 : Approximately 7\% of consolidated net sales

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Analysis of Consolidated P\&L Changes

| (mil. yen) | FY2017 <br> Q1 Results | FY2018 <br> Q1 Results | YoY Change |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Amount | \% |
| Consolidated net sales | 56,074 | 59,526 | 3,452 | 6.2\% |
| Cost of sales | 9,320 | 9,445 | 124 | 1.3\% |
| Gross profit | 46,753 | 50,081 | 3,327 | 7.1\% |
| SG\&A* expenses | 37,626 | 40,137 | 2,511 | 6.7\% |
| Operating income | 9,127 | 9,943 | 816 | 8.9\% |

Key Factors
*Selling, General and Administrative Expenses

Consol. net sales

■ Cost of sales

- SG\&A expenses

Sales were very strong driven by POLA, especially from existing customers, for which the brand successfully expanded its customer base during last year. On the other hand at ORBIS, sales did not recover but the sales from new customers increased year on year thanks to the promotion centered on ORBIS=U. The cost of sales ratio was improved owing to an increase in the sales compound ratio of high-prestige products under the POLA brand.
Cost of sales ratio 2017Q1: 16.62\% $\Rightarrow$ 2018Q1: 15.87\%
Labor expenses : up $¥ 282$ mil. YoY
Sales commissions : up $¥ 1,066$ mil. YoY
-> resulted from increased sales at POLA. The commission ratio within POLA has improved.
Sales related expenses : up $¥ 611$ mil. YoY
-> resulted from costs for customer structure reforms at ORBIS.
Administrative expenses : up $¥ 551$ mil. YoY
-> resulted from costs for launching new brands.

- Operating income Beauty care
: up $¥ 879$ mil. YoY

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|  |  |  | Amount | \% |
| Operating income | 9,127 | 9,943 | 816 | 8.9\% |
| Non-operating income | 107 | 155 | 48 | 44.5\% |
| Non-operating expenses | 279 | 638 | 359 | 128.4\% |
| Ordinary income | 8,955 | 9,460 | 505 | 5.6\% |
| Extraordinary income | 7 | 26 | 19 | 252.2\% |
| Extraordinary loss | 128 | 19 | (108) | (84.5\%) |
| Profit before income taxes | 8,834 | 9,467 | 633 | 7.2\% |
| Income taxes | 3,056 | 3,063 | 6 | 0.2\% |
| Profit attributable to noncontrolling interests | 0 | (2) | (2) | - |
| Profit attributable to owners of parent | 5,777 | 6,406 | 628 | 10.9\% |

Key Factors

■ Non-operating expenses : Loss from unfavorable foreign exchange rates $¥ 600$ mil.

■ Income taxes
: Lowered effective tax rate as a result of a reduction of losses in overseas business (effective tax rate $=32.4 \%$ )

Profit attributable to owners of parent was up 10.9\% yoy due to an increase in the gross margin and improvements in the profit structure


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|  |  |  | Amount | \% |
| Consolidated net sales | 56,074 | 59,526 | 3,452 | 6.2\% |
| Beauty care | 52,345 | 55,821 | 3,476 | 6.6\% |
| Real estate | 675 | 676 | 1 | 0.2\% |
| Others | 3,053 | 3,028 | (25) | (0.8\%) |
| Operating income | 9,127 | 9,943 | 816 | 8.9\% |
| Beauty care | 8,790 | 9,670 | 879 | 10.0\% |
| Real estate | 334 | 312 | (21) | (6.5\%) |
| Others | (10) | 74 | 85 | - |
| Reconciliations | 13 | (113) | (126) | - |

Segment Results Summary

- Beauty care Sales grew driven by POLA.

Operating income rose 10\% thanks to sales increase at POLA and COGS improvement.
■ Real estate Occupancy rate has been maintained at a high level. However, temporary maintenance expenses were incurred.

■ Others At pharmaceutical business, sales increased year-on-year by concentrating sales and promotion resources on mainstay products.
At building maintenance business, sales dropped due to staffing shortages.

## Beauty Care Business Results by Brands

| (mil. yen) | FY2017 <br> Q1 Results | FY2018 <br> Q1 Results | YoY Change |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Amount | \% |
| Beauty care net sales | 52,345 | 55,821 | 3,476 | 6.6\% |
| POLA | 33,126 | 36,164 | 3,037 | 9.2\% |
| ORBIS | 12,760 | 12,475 | (284) | (2.2\%) |
| Jurlique | 2,603 | 2,599 | (3) | (0.1\%) |
| H2O PLUS | 635 | 517 | (118) | (18.6\%) |
| Brands under development | 3,220 | 4,065 | 844 | 26.2\% |
| Beauty care operating income | 8,790 | 9,670 | 879 | 10.0\% |
| POLA | 6,794 | 7,693 | 899 | 13.2\% |
| ORBIS | 2,626 | 2,466 | (160) | (6.1\%) |
| Jurlique | (695) | (775) | (79) | - |
| H2O PLUS | (180) | (157) | 22 | - |
| Brands under development | 245 | 443 | 197 | 80.6\% |

[^0]Brand Analysis (1)

## Q1 Result

■ The number of existing customer grew.

- New whitening products are strong.
- Entered the Korean duty-free store market.(January)

■ The inbound ratio was approximately $11 \%$.

| Q1 | Results (mil. yen) | YoY Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | 36,164 | 9.2\% |
| Operating income | 7,693 | 13.2\% |
| Key indicators |  |  |
| Number of sales offices (vs. Dec. 2017) |  | $\begin{array}{r} 4,135 \\ \text { (down } 15 \text { ) } \end{array}$ |
| Number of $\mathrm{PB}^{(1)}$ (vs. Dec. 2017) |  | 658 (up 2) |
| Cosmetics sales ratio | $\mathrm{PB}^{(1)}$ | 39.6\% |
|  | Esthe-inn | 47.6\% |
|  | D2D ${ }^{(2)}$ and other | 12.8\% |
| Sales growth* | PB | up 4.9\% |
|  | PB (like-for-like) | up 4.8\% |
|  | Esthe-inn | up 5.9\% |
|  | D2D | up 1.5\% |
| Purchase per customer* |  | down 4.6\% |
| Number of new customers* |  | down 12.2\% |
| Growth rate of overseas sales |  | up 156.6\% |

## Topics

■ Renewed "White Shot", the whitening series.
"MAQUIA Whitening \& UV Grand-Prix"

- Best of best whitening awards (left two)
- Whitening inner care awards \#1 (right)



(1) PB: POLA THE BEAUTY stores (2) D2D: Conventional door-to-door *YoY


## Q1 Result

■ Developed promotions centered on "ORBIS=U".
■ The purchase price per customer recovered to the same level as the first quarter of last year. However, the number of customers decreased.

- Focused on acquisition of customers with potential of high lifetime value in ORBIS. Result started to appear in a leading indicator.
(\# of customers purchasing the mainstay skincare product series)

| Q1 | Results (mil. yen) | YoY change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | 12,475 | (2.2\%) |
| Operating income | 2,466 | (6.1\%) |
| Key indicators |  |  |
| Sales ratio | Online | 47.2\% |
|  | Other mail-order | 24.5\% |
|  | Stores and overseas | 28.3\% |
| Sales increase* | Online | up 1.0\% |
|  | Other mail-order | down 12.0\% |
|  | Stores and overseas | up 0.8\% |
| Mail-order ${ }^{(1)}$ purchase per customer* |  | up 0.3\% |
| Number of mail-order ${ }^{(1)}$ customers* |  | down 4.1\% |
| Number of customers purchasing the mainstay skincare product series*(2) |  | up 11.2\% |

(1) Mail-order includes online and other mail-order
(2) For the last 6 months period
${ }^{*}$ YoY basis

## Topics

- Initiatives for unified design across the brand


Quarterly net sales (mil. yen)


Quarterly operating income (mil. yen)


## Jurlique

Brand Analysis (3)

## Q1 Result

■ Sales increased by $1 \%$ yoy (on an AUD basis).

- By region, sales grew in China, Hong Kong and dutyfree markets.
- Operating income dropped due to strengthened investments in branding.

| Q1 | Results (mil. yen) | YoY change ${ }^{(1)}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | 2,599 | (0.1\%) |
| Operating income (before goodwill amortization) | (760) | (79) |
| Operating income | (775) | (79) |
| Key indicators |  |  |
| Number of doors in China (vs. Dec. 2017) |  | 104 (down 6) |
| Sales ratio | ina | 19\% |
|  | ng Kong | 14\% |
|  | ty free | 17\% |
|  | stralia | 26\% |
| Sales growth ${ }^{(2)}$ | ina | up 0\% |
|  | ng Kong | up 4\% |
|  | ty free | up 13\% |
|  | stralia | down 13\% |

[^1]
## Topics

- Reinforce brand communication as a premium natural skincare brand



BEAUTY

## Q1 Result

■ Sales were down year on year in North America due to the reduction of sales channels.

- Strengthened communication with existing retailers and implemented marketing strategies focused on hero products development. (OASIS series)

| Q1 | Results (mil. yen) | YoY change ${ }^{(1)}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | 517 | (18.6\%) |
| Operating income | (157) | 22 |
| Key indicators |  |  |
| Sales ratio | North America | 88\% |
|  | Others | 12\% |
| Sales growth ${ }^{(2)}$ | North America | down 9\% |
|  | Others | down 42\% |

[^2]
## Topics

- Implemented management changes and kicked off for brand revitalization


OASIS series
Quarterly net sales (mil. yen)


Quarterly operating income (mil. yen)


Q1 Result
■ At THREE, sales were strong, especially from existing customers. Holistic care products contributed to the sales.

- Costs for launching new brands amounted to approximately $¥ 150$ mil.
- The whitening product series was revamped at DECENCIA, which showed sales growth of $20 \%$.

| Q1 | Results (mil. yen) | YoY change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | 4,065 | 26.2\% |
| Operating income | 443 | 80.6\% |
| ACRO Net sales | 2,313 | 27.6\% |
| ACRO OP income | 175 | (25.6\%) |
| (THREE Net sales) | 2,313 | 27.6\% |
| (THREE OP income) | 321 | 36.3\% |
| Key indicators |  |  |
| THREE Dept. store | ters in Japan | 38 |
| Other store | Japan | 65 |
| Overseas s | (in 7 countries \& regions) | 37 |
| Overseas | ratio | 20\% |

- Brand Portfolio of Brands Under Development

| Company | ACRO INC. | DECENCIA INC. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Brand | TH R E E <br> + <br> + <br> New Brands | DECENCIA |

[^3]
## Topics

■ New products from THREE and DECENCIA
From left:
THREE new base makeup
THREE "THREE" series
DECENCIA "saeru" series
Quarterly net sales (mil. yen)


Quarterly operating income (mil. yen)


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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | H1 Plan | Amount | \％ |  | Amount | \％ |
| Consol．net sales | 121，000 | 3，621 | 3．1\％ | 253，000 | 8，664 | 3．5\％ |
| Beauty care | 112，900 | 3，596 | 3．3\％ | 235，800 | 8，666 | 3．8\％ |
| Real estate | 1，300 | （48） | （3．6\％） | 2，600 | （94） | （3．5\％） |
| Others | 6，800 | 73 | 1．1\％ | 14，600 | 92 | 0．6\％ |
| OP income | 19，600 | $(1,344)$ | （6．4\％） | 41，500 | 2，618 | 6．7\％ |
| Beauty care | 19，200 | （895） | （4．5\％） | 40，700 | 2，578 | 6．8\％ |
| Real estate | 500 | （92） | （15．7\％） | 900 | （182） | （16．9\％） |
| Others | 150 | （15） | （9．2\％） | 300 | 614 | － |
| Reconciliations | （250） | （341） | － | （400） | （391） | － |
| Ordinary income | 19，600 | $(1,344)$ | （6．4\％） | 41，500 | 2，249 | 5．7\％ |
| Net income attributable to owners of parent | 13，000 | （955） | （6．8\％） | 28，000 | 862 | 3．2\％ |

【Assumptions behind the plan】【Assumed exchange rates】
－Inbound sales ：approximately $¥ 17,500$ mil．（almost same level as last year）
－Sales of Wrinkle Shot Serum ：$¥ 10,000$ mil．
FY2017
Shareholder

Annual $¥ 70$ returns

Consol．payout ratio 57．1\％

## Capital

investment
$\neq 8,885$ million
$¥ 6,551$ million

## FY2018（plan）

Annual $¥ 80$（Interim $¥ 35$ ，Year－end $¥ 45$ ）
Consol．payout ratio 63．2\％
$¥ 8,000 \sim 9,000$ million
$¥ 7,000 \sim 8,000$ million

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Sustain stable growth of flagship brands to lead Group earnings
■ Launch Wrinkle Shot overseas (see next page for details)
POLA

- Introduce seasonal promotions for new whitening products and cross-sells through Wrinkle Shot
- Accelerate overseas store openings (Open four new stores in Beijing, Shanghai and Hong Kong by April)


POLA

- Reinforce communication through "ORBIS=U"
(left) WHITISSIMO UV Block Shield White Plus Concentrate resources on targeted customer acquisition (right) Wrinkle Shot Season Special Kit

Bring overseas operations solidly into the black overall
Jurlique

- Constantly launch new products
- Develop unified branding at every customer touchpoint
- Focus on main products and main retailers in view of investment efficiency


New Cleansing Line

Expand brands under development, create new brands, pursue M\&A activity
THREE May-Summer makeup collection June - New scalp \& hair care series

DECENCIA

- Focus on acquisition and retention of new customers Sustain strong sales among existing customers



## Overseas Expansion of POLA Wrinkle Shot Serum



## Overseas launch in 2018; starting from June 15 (Hong Kong and Taiwan)

Being backed up by post-marketing surveillance in Japan since the launch

There are no serious problems at the moment

Set out to undertake overseas launches
(in Hong Kong and Taiwan,
at channels with face-to-face consultations)


## (Appendix) About POLA ORBIS Group

## Beauty care is the core business of the Group, and 6 different cosmetics brands are operated under the Group umbrella

## FY2017

Consol. Net Sales $¥ 244.3$ bil.


Beauty care business 93\%
Real estate business 1\%

Other businesses 6\% (dermatological drugs and building maintenance business)


## Our strengths

- Multi-brand strategy
- Focus on skincare products
- Flagship brands, POLA and ORBIS own and operate through their own unique sales channels
- Meeting diversified needs of customers

■ High customer repeat ratio
■ Strong relationships with customers
(Appendix) Beauty Care Business Brand Portfolio

|  | Sales <br> ratio* | Brand | Concept and products | Price |  | Sales channel |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

[^4]
## STAGE3



## (Appendix) 2017 - 2020 Medium-term Management Plan

## The final stage of the long-term vision for 2020.

Aim to improve profitability in Japan, promote a solid shift toward overall profitability from overseas operations and build a brand structure for next-generation growth.

Consolidated net sales

- Consol. net sales: CAGR 3 to $4 \%$ ( $¥ 250.0$ bil. in FY2020)

Operating income

- Operating income:

CAGR 10\% or higher

- Operating margin: $15 \%$ or higher in FY2020

Capital efficiency
■ Target for ROE: 12\% in FY2020

## Shareholder returns

■ Consolidated payout ratio: 60\% or higher
from FY2017


## POLA ORBIS (Appendix) Beauty Care Business Results

| (mil. yen) | FY2015 <br> Results | FY2016 <br> Results | FY2017 <br> Results | 2016 vs 2017 YoY Change |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Amount | \% |
| Consolidated net sales | 214,788 | 218,482 | 244,335 | 25,853 | 11.8\% |
| Beauty care net sales | 200,570 | 202,446 | 227,133 | 24,686 | 12.2\% |
| POLA | 109,352 | 116,126 | 144,012 | 27,886 | 24.0\% |
| ORBIS | 56,354 | 55,857 | 53,066 | $(2,790)$ | (5.0\%) |
| Jurlique | 18,390 | 13,118 | 12,772 | (346) | (2.6\%) |
| H2O PLUS | 3,944 | 2,547 | 2,303 | (243) | (9.6\%) |
| Brands under development | 12,529 | 14,796 | 14,978 | 181 | 1.2\% |
| Consol. operating income | 22,511 | 26,839 | 38,881 | 12,041 | 44.9\% |
| Beauty care operating income | 21,290 | 25,904 | 38,121 | 12,216 | 47.2\% |
| POLA | 12,302 | 16,993 | 28,584 | 11,591 | 68.2\% |
| ORBIS | 11,197 | 11,279 | 9,080 | $(2,199)$ | (19.5\%) |
| Jurlique | (379) | $(1,183)$ | (505) | 677 | - |
| H2O PLUS | $(1,814)$ | $(2,027)$ | (317) | 1,709 | - |
| Brands under development | (15) | 841 | 1,278 | 437 | 51.9\% |

Note : Consolidated operating income and loss for each brand are shown for reference purpose only (figures are unaudited)


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[^1]:    (1) For operating income , the YoY difference is shown as an amount (mil. yen).
    (2) AUD basis, YoY

[^2]:    (1) For operating income, the YoY difference is shown as an amount (mil. yen)
    (2) USD basis, YoY

[^3]:    Note: Apart from the portfolio above, Brands Under Development includes the OEM business.

[^4]:    *Sales ratio in the beauty care business as of FY2017

