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Financial highlights

Consolidated financial summary

Consolidated financial summary							(Millio	ons of yen)
Half year/year to	9/2006	3/2007	9/2007	3/2008	9/2008	% Change	3/2009 Forecast	% Change
Net sales	51,380	100,485	51,942	103,394	52,217	0.5	104,000	0.6
Operating income	12,105	20,412	10,668	20,370	5,636	-47.2	15,100	-25.9
Ordinary income	12,247	20,843	10,971	20,702	6,014	-45.2	15,600	-24.6
Net income	7,747	13,147	6,918	12,650	3,724	-46.2	9,800	-22.5
Dividends per share (yen)	30	65	40	80	40	—	80	_
DOE (%)	4.2	4.4	5.3	5.4	5.3	_	_	_

Consolidated balance sheets summary	y				(Million	ns of yen)
Half year/year to	9/2006	3/2007	9/2007	3/2008	9/2008	% Change
Total assets	154,205	159,098	160,797	156,547	154,396	-4.0
Net assets	124,804	128,645	131,827	127,118	127,583	-3.2
Interest-bearing debts	5,530	5,446	5,362	5,278	194	-96.4

Consolidated financial indexes

Half year/year to	9/2006	3/2007	9/2007	3/2008	9/2008	% Change	3/2009 Forecast	% Change
EPS (yen)	89.34	151.58	79.72	146.15	43.81	-45.0	115.32	-21.1
BPS(yen)	1,438.24	1,481.83	1,517.43	1,494.48	1,498.47	-1.2	_	_
Debt equity ratio (times)	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.00	_	_	_
PER (times)	16.8	20.0	18.2	15.9	30.5	_	_	_
PBR (times)	2.09	2.04	1.89	1.56	1.78	_	_	_
ROE (%)	12.7	10.6	10.6	9.9	5.9	_	_	-
ROA (%)	10.2	8.5	8.7	8.0	4.8	_	_	_
* Free cash flows (millions of yen)	4,097	11,404	5,152	12,316	4,078	-20.8	_	-
* EBITDA (millions of yen)	14,831	25,890	13,233	25,172	8,288	-37.4	_	_

*Free cash flows = (Cash flows from operating activities) - (Capital expenditures)

Not adjusting increase/decrease in trade receivables for fiscal years ending on holidays.

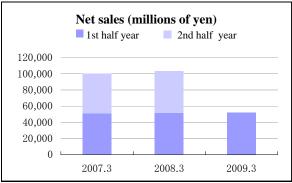
*EBITDA = (Income before income taxes) + (Interest expense) + (Depreciation and amortization)

Consolidated other figures

Half year/year to	9/2006	3/2007	9/2007	3/2008	9/2008	% Change	3/2009 Forecast	% Change
R&D expenses (millions of yen)	6,332	13,663	6,355	12,941	11,832	86.2	19,400	49.9
Capital expenditures (millions of yen)	1,558	2,716	1,764	2,758	1,005	-43.0	2,380	-13.7
Depreciation and amortization (millions of yen)	1,545	3,295	1,631	3,353	1,645	0.9	3,700	10.3
Number of employees	2,361	2,409	2,508	2,483	2,552	_	_	_

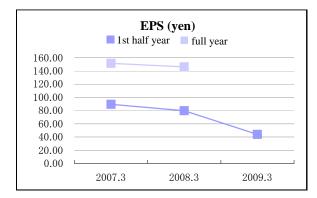
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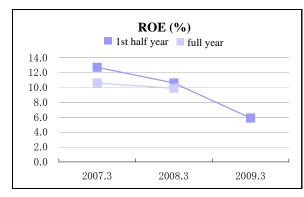


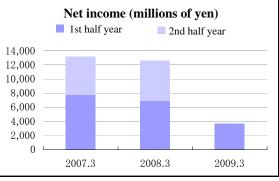


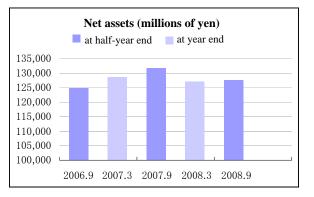
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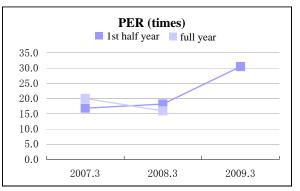
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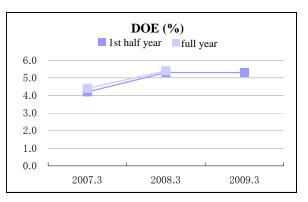












Consolidated Information Consolidated income statements

					(Mi	illions of yen)
Half year/year to	9/2006	3/2007	9/2007	3/2008	9/2008	Change over previous half year (%)
Net sales	51,380	100,485	51,942	103,394	52,217	0.5
Cost of sales	18,080	35,483	18,310	36,513	18,423	0.6
(Percentage of net sales)	35.2%	35.3%	35.2%	35.3%	35.3%	
Gross profit	33,300	65,001	33,632	66,880	33,793	0.5
(Percentage of net sales)	64.8%	64.7%	64.8%	64.7%	64.7%	
Selling, general and administrative expenses	21,194	44,589	22,963	46,510	28,157	22.6
(Percentage of net sales)	41.2%	44.4%	44.3%	45.0%	53.9%	
R&D expenses	6,332	13,663	6,355	12,941	11,832	86.2
(Percentage of net sales)	12.3%	13.6%	12.2%	12.5%	22.7%	
Operating income	12,105	20,412	10,668	20,370	5,636	-47.2
(Percentage of net sales)	23.6%	20.3%	20.5%	19.7%	10.8%	
Non-operating income	453	1,138	590	1,356	782	32.5
Non-operating expenses	311	707	287	1,024	403	40.2
Ordinary income	12,247	20,843	10,971	20,702	6,014	-45.2
(Percentage of net sales)	23.8%	20.7%	21.1%	20.0%	11.5%	
Extraordinary gain	250	250	0	237	18	30,941.5
Extraordinary loss	26	55	50	457	39	-22.0
Income before income taxes	12,471	21,039	10,921	20,482	5,994	-45.1
(Percentage of net sales)	24.3%	20.9%	21.0%	19.8%	11.5%	
Income taxes - current	4,489	7,902	4,114	8,145	4,379	6.5
Income taxes - deferred	234	-10	-111	-313	-2,109	1,798.6
Net income	7,747	13,147	6,918	12,650	3,724	-46.2
(Percentage of net sales)	15.1%	13.1%	13.3%	12.2%	7.1%	

[Exchange rates]

-					(Yen)
Half year/year to	9/2006	3/2007	9/2007	3/2008	9/2008
Exchange rate: US dollar	115.25	116.86	119.35	114.29	105.75
Euro	144.56	148.99	161.78	161.98	163.13



(Millions of yen)

■ Major Selling, general and administrative expenses

Half year/year to	9/2006	3/2007	9/2007	3/2008	9/2008	Change over previous half year (%)
Personnel expenses	5,733	12,197	6,591	13,220	6,694	1.6
Sales promotion expenses	1,772	3,944	1,993	4,184	2,100	5.4
Royalty expenses	1,186	2,203	1,147	2,211	986	-14.0
Advertising expenses	1,105	1,807	1,249	2,671	991	-20.7
R&D expenses	6,332	13,663	6,355	12,941	11,832	86.2

■ Major Non-operating income and expenses

Half year/year to	9/2006	3/2007	9/2007	3/2008	9/2008	Change over previous half year (%)
Interest and dividend income	200	459	267	606	289	8.3
Interest expense	34	90	44	96	45	1.0
Equity in losses of affiliates	—	—	—	—	282	—

■ Major Extraordinary gain and loss

Half year/year to	9/2006	3/2007	9/2007	3/2008	9/2008
Gain on sale of fixed assets	250	250	0	0	_
Loss on disposal of fixed assets	10	36	50	66	23

(Millions of yen)

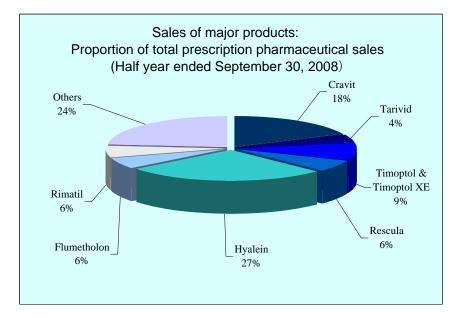
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Sales details

■ Sales of major prescription pharmaceuticals

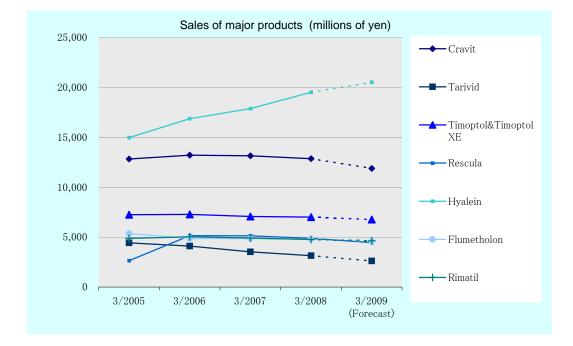
Therapeutic category	Generic name/formulation	Brand name	Region	Launched
Bacterial conjunctivitis	levofloxacin/ophthalmic solution	Cravit	Japan	Apr-00
Bacterial conjunctivitis	ofloxacin/ophthalmic solution	Tarivid	Japan	Sep-87
	timolol maleate/ophthalmic solution	Timoptol	Japan	Sep-81
Glaucoma	timotol maleate/ long-acting ophthalmic solution	Timoptol XE	Japan	Nov-99
	bunazosin hydrochloride	Detantol	Japan	Sep-01
	isopropyl unoprostone	Rescula 💥	Japan	Oct-94
Allergy	levocabastine hydrochloride/ ophthalmic solution	Livostin	Japan	Jan-01
Corneal disease	sodium hyaluronate/ophthalmic solution	Hyalein	Japan	Jun-95
Inflammation	fluorometholone/ophthalmic solution	Flumetholon	Japan	Oct-75
Early-stage senile cataract	pirenoxine/ophthalmic solution	Kary Uni	Japan	Jul-92
Vernal keratoconjunctivitis	Ciclosporin/ophthalmic solution	PAPILOCK Mini	Japan	Jan-06
Adjuvant for ophthalmic operations	sodium hyaluronate/ adjuvant for ophthalmic operations	Opegan Hi	Japan	Jan-95
Perfusate/lotion	oxiglutatione/ophthalmic perfusate and lotion	BSS PLUS	Japan	Jan-92
Rheumatoid arthritis –	bucillamine/tablet	Rimatil	Japan	Sep-87
	salazosulfapyridine/enteric coated tablet	Azulfidine EN	Japan	Dec-95

* Rescula: This product, which was launched in October 1994, has been sold by Santen Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd since October 2004.





(Millions of yen)									
Brand name		Half year/year to							
2	% Change	3/2009 Forecast	% Change	9/2008	3/2008	9/2007	3/2007	9/2006	
5 Cravit	-7.6	11,888	2.0	7,008	12,864	6,868	13,155	7,227	
5 Tarivid	-16.6	2,619	-20.6	1,451	3,139	1,828	3,524	2,037	
5 Timoptol	-11.5	3,163	-7.3	1,741	3,574	1,877	3,816	1,975	
Timoptol XE	5.1	3,606	4.3	1,822	3,432	1,747	3,258	1,615	
Detantol	0.0	2,337	-1.1	1,182	2,337	1,194	2,288	1,158	
5 Rescula	-8.6	4,461	-8.7	2,308	4,880	2,529	5,127	2,590	
2 Livostin	-13.2	3,766	-5.5	1,390	4,341	1,472	4,305	1,656	
2 Hyalein	5.2	20,536	9.3	10,539	19,521	9,640	17,891	9,022	
Flumetholon	-4.4	4,606	-3.6	2,303	4,821	2,390	4,854	2,466	
5 Kary Uni	1.5	3,707	-1.4	1,852	3,652	1,878	3,465	1,760	
PAPILOCK Mini	1,166.1	1,937	210.5	242	153	78	120	63	
5 Opegan Hi	0.5	3,221	0.2	1,634	3,204	1,632	2,839	1,421	
5 BSS PLUS	-5.6	1,196	-1.7	638	1,267	649	1,277	658	
Rimatil	-2.8	4,633	-4.9	2,339	4,767	2,460	4,912	2,608	
2 Azulfidine EN	3.2	4,254	3.0	2,150	4,121	2,087	3,889	1,957	



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Sales details

■ Sales by division

■ Sales by division	Sales by division (Millions										
Half year/year to	9/2006	3/2007	9/2007	3/2008	9/2008	% Change	3/2009 Forecast				
Prescription pharmaceuticals	47,051	91,849	47,886	95,322	48,606	1.5	96,172				
Ophthalmic	42,036	82,152	42,870	85,426	43,469	1.4	86,006				
Anti-rheumatic drugs	4,863	9,379	4,883	9,626	4,986	2.1	9,908				
Other prescription pharmaceuticals	151	317	132	269	151	14.2	257				
OTC pharmaceuticals	2,757	5,307	2,804	5,451	2,722	-2.9	5,615				
Medical devices	271	537	232	414	227	-2.1	1,118				
Others	1,300	2,791	1,018	2,205	660	-35.2	1,094				
Total net sales	51,380	100,485	51,942	103,394	52,217	0.5	104,000				

[Domestic]

(Millions of yen)

Half year/year to	9/2006	3/2007	9/2007	3/2008	9/2008	% Change	3/2009 Forecast
Prescription pharmaceuticals	40,873	80,743	41,076	82,088	41,711	1.5	82,557
Ophthalmic	36,061	71,272	36,133	72,319	36,615	1.3	72,537
Anti-rheumatic drugs	4,692	9,208	4,819	9,519	4,964	3.0	9,801
Other prescription pharmaceuticals	119	263	123	248	131	6.5	218
OTC pharmaceuticals	2,739	5,286	2,793	5,430	2,716	-2.8	5,602
Medical devices	260	515	218	401	227	4.1	1,118
Others	255	605	295	646	242	-17.9	445
Total domestic sales	44,129	87,152	44,384	88,566	44,898	1.2	89,723
(Percentage of total net sales)	85.9%	86.7%	85.4%	85.7%	86.0%	—	86.3%

[Overseas]

[Overseas] (Millions of year										
Half year/year to	9/2006	3/2007	9/2007	3/2008	9/2008	% Change	3/2009 Forecast			
Prescription pharmaceuticals	6,177	11,105	6,810	13,234	6,895	1.2	13,614			
Ophthalmic	5,974	10,880	6,737	13,106	6,854	1.7	13,469			
Anti-rheumatic drugs	170	170	64	107	21	-67.1	106			
Other prescription pharmaceuticals	32	54	8	20	19	121.0	38			
OTC pharmaceuticals	17	20	10	20	5	-47.9	12			
Medical devices	10	21	13	13	_	-100.0	_			
Others	1,045	2,185	723	1,559	417	-42.2	649			
Total overseas sales	7,251	13,333	7,558	14,827	7,318	-3.2	14,276			
(Percentage of total net sales)	14.1%	13.3%	14.6%	14.3%	14.0%	_	13.7%			

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Breakdown by geographic segment



	Half year/year to	9/200	9/2006		3/2007		7	3/200	8	9/2008	8
ient		Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%
s by segment	Japan	46,421	90.3	90,695	90.3	46,467	89.5	92,098	89.1	46,705	89.5
	Europe	4,622	9.0	9,186	9.1	5,101	9.8	10,617	10.3	5,081	9.7
Net sale geographic	Others	336	0.7	604	0.6	373	0.7	678	0.6	430	0.8
geo	Total	51,380	100.0	100,485	100.0	51,942	100.0	103,394	100.0	52,217	100.0
	Japan	12,458		21,768		11,622		22,633		6,896	
come by segment	Europe	600		979		458		554		112	
ncon segi	Others	-257		-754		-361		-819		-101	
ng iı phic	Total	12,801		21,993		11,719		22,368		6,906	
Operating income by geographic segment	Corporate and eliminations	-695		-1,580		-1,050		-1,997		-1,270	
-	Consolidated total	12,105		20,412		10,668		20,370		5,636	

Breakdown by geographic segment

Europe: Finland, Germany and Sweden

Others: U.S.A., China, Korea and Taiwan

Note: Sales of prescription ophthalmics in the U.S.A. are included in sales in Europe.

Overseas sales

Half year/year to	9/200	6	3/2007		9/200	9/2007		8	9/2008	
	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%
Europe	3,379	46.6	6,916	51.9	4,229	56.0	8,532	57.5	4,547	62.1
North America	1,193	16.5	2,128	16.0	820	10.8	1,951	13.2	449	6.2
Asia	—	_	_	_	2,507	33.2	4,326	29.2	2,320	31.7
Others*	2,678	36.9	4,287	32.1	—	_	16	0.1	1	0.0
Total	7,251	100.0	13,333	100.0	7,558	100.0	14,827	100.0	7,318	100.0

Europe: Finland, Russia, Sweden, Germany and Norway

North America: U.S.A.

Asia: Korea, China, Vietnam and Taiwan

 $* \mbox{Others}$ in the 2006 fiscal year include the sales amount to the Asian region.

Note: Overseas sales represent sales generated in countries or regions other than Japan by Santen Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd. and its subsidiaries.

Consolidated balance sheets

Assets

At half-year/year end	9/200	6	3/200	7	9/200	7	3/200	8	9/200	8
	Million yen	Propor- tion (%)								
Current assets	97,913	63.5	100,820	63.4	103,435	64.3	102,754	65.6	99,085	64.2
Cash and deposits	32,777		34,295		37,158		35,483		30,970	
Notes and accounts receivable-trade	37,527		35,034		36,416		35,614		36,727	
Marketable securities	15,206		16,914		15,410		15,868		15,389	
Inventories	8,821		10,357		10,021		11,332		11,131	
Deferred tax assets	1,514		1,625		1,623		1,699		1,692	
Other current assets	2,066		2,593		2,805		2,757		3,175	
Allowance for doubtful receivables	-0		-0		-0		-1		-2	
Fixed assets	56,270	36.5	58,228	36.6	57,213	35.6	53,548	34.2	55,311	35.8
Tangible assets	30,579	19.8	30,485	19.2	30,748	19.1	29,848	19.1	29,601	19.2
Buildings and structures	16,544		16,063		15,596		15,160		16,023	
Machinery, equipment and vehicles	1,958		1,817		2,181		2,656		2,654	
Land	8,839		8,842		8,838		8,558		8,565	
Construction in progress	1,272		1,806		2,311		1,879		859	
Other tangibles	1,964		1,955		1,820		1,594		1,499	
Intangible assets	2,787	1.8	2,771	1.7	2,460	1.5	2,233	1.4	1,720	1.1
Software	943		1,660		1,613		1,602		1,387	
Other intangibles	1,843		1,111		847		630		333	
Investments and other assets	22,903	14.9	24,971	15.7	24,004	15.0	21,466	13.7	23,989	15.5
Investment securities	18,398		21,019		20,425		16,949		17,137	
Deferred tax assets	_		—		203		1,822		4,790	
Other assets	4,504		3,951		3,374		2,694		2,060	
Deferred assets	21	0.0	50	0.0	148	0.1	244	0.2	_	_
Total assets	154,205	100.0	159,098	100.0	160,797	100.0	156,547	100.0	154,396	100.0



Liabilities and net assets

Half year/year to	9/200	6	3/200	7	9/200	7	3/200	8	9/200	8
	Million yen	Propor- tion (%)								
Current liabilities	21,609	14.0	22,369	14.0	26,124	16.2	26,561	17.0	23,650	15.3
Notes and accounts payable -trade	5,038		6,089		4,906		5,633		5,151	
Current portion of long-term debt	168		168		5,168		5,168		168	
Other payables	8,395		8,572		8,224		7,690		10,268	
Income taxes payable	4,590		3,917		4,217		4,323		4,439	
Reserve for bonuses	2,184		2,477		2,425		2,612		2,473	
Other current liabilities	1,233		1,145		1,181		1,132		1,148	
Noncurrent liabilities	7,791	5.1	8,084	5.1	2,846	1.8	2,867	1.8	3,162	2.1
Long-term debt	5,362		5,278		194		110		26	
Retirement and severance benefits for employee Retirement and severance	1,307		1,405		1,632		1,815		2,173	
benefits for directors and auditors	504		513		478		487		496	
Other liabilities	617		887		541		455		466	
Total liabilities	29,401	19.1	30,453	19.1	28,970	18.0	29,429	18.8	26,813	17.4
Shareholders' equity	122,133	79.2	124,997	78.6	128,909	80.2	126,398	80.7	126,813	82.1
Common stock	6,343	4.1	6,382	4.0	6,401	4.0	6,418	4.1	6,451	4.2
Capital surplus	7,038	4.6	7,077	4.5	7,097	4.4	7,113	4.5	7,146	4.6
Retained earnings	108,846	70.6	111,645	70.2	115,526	71.9	117,786	75.2	118,144	76.5
Treasury stock, at cost	-94	-0.1	-106	-0.1	-115	-0.1	-4,920	-3.1	-4,928	-3.2
Accumulated gains on	•				•		600		-04	
evaluation and translation	2,611	1.7	3,587	2.3	2,797	1.7	600	0.4	581	0.4
Unrealized gains on securities, net of taxes	4,643	3.0	5,202	3.3	4,470	2.7	2,273	1.5	2,158	1.4
Unrealized gains on hedging derivatives, net of taxes	-1	-0.0	3	0.0	0	0.0	_	_	_	_
Foreign currency translation adjustments	-2,030	-1.3	-1,618	-1.0	-1,674	-1.0	-1,673	-1.1	-1,577	-1.0
Stock subscription rights	59	0.0	59	0.0	119	0.1	119	0.1	188	0.1
Total net aseets	124,804	80.9	128,645	80.9	131,827	82.0	127,118	81.2	127,583	82.6
Total liabilities and net aseets	154,205	100.0	159,098	100.0	160,797	100.0	156,547	100.0	154,396	100.0

Consolidated statements of cash flows

				(Mi	llions of yen)
Half year/year to	9/2006	3/2007	9/2007	3/2008	9/2008
I. Cash flows from operating activities:					
Income before income taxes	12,471	21,039	10,921	20,482	5,994
Depreciation and amortization	2,323	4,761	2,267	4,593	2,248
Increase/decrease in retirement and severance benefits	63	160	228	411	314
Interest and dividend income	-200	-459	-267	-606	-289
Interest expense	34	90	44	96	45
Equity in losses of affiliates	—	—	_	—	282
Increase/decrease in trade receivables	-2,904	-414	-1,387	-586	-1,110
Increase/decrease in inventories	1,125	-356	335	-1,005	223
Increase/decrease in trade accounts payable	-629	400	-1,199	-430	-467
Other, net	-1,746	-1,717	-208	-244	2,085
Subtotal	10,537	23,504	10,734	22,710	9,326
Interest and dividend income received	199	460	271	610	289
Interest expense paid	-34	-91	-44	-94	-45
Income taxes paid	-4,835	-8,914	-3,834	-7,758	-4,276
Net cash provided by operating activities	5,866	14,959	7,125	15,468	5,294
II. Cash flows from investing activities:					
Increase in fixed deposits	-263	-1,223	-506	-1,518	-2,824
Decrease in fixed deposits	107	553	1,159	2,160	2,768
Proceeds from sale of marketable securities	-		1,000	1,000	2,700
Payments for acquisition of fixed assets	-1,768	-3,555	-1,972	-3,151	-1,215
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets	599	600	6	5,151	
Purchase of investment securities	-596	-2,208	-1,008	-3,266	-854
Proceeds from sale of investment securities	-570	-2,200	382	2,660	-054
Payments for loans	-11	-13	-0	-0	-300
Proceeds from loans	-11	-15	-0	-0	-500
Other, net	0	_	1	28	
Net cash provided by investing activities	-1,932	-5,845	-938	-2,083	-2,114
III. Cash flows from financing activities:	_		_		
Repayment of long-term debt	-84	-168	-84	-168	-5,084
Parchase of treasury stock	-5	-16	-9	-4,815	-8
Dividens paid	-3,031	-5,632	-3,036	-6,505	-3,397
Other, net	48	126	40	73	66
Net cash provided by financing activities	-3,072	-5,691	-3,089	-11,415	-8,423
IV. Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	176	313	-59	-140	192
V. Net increase/decrease in cash and cash equivalents	1,037	3,736	3,037	1,828	-5,051
VI. Cash and cash equivalent at beginning of year	46,104	3,730 46,104	49,841	49,841	51,669
VI. Cash and cash equivalent at end of year	47,142	49,841	52,878	51,669	46,618

Capital expenditures and number of employees



(Millions of yen)

■Capital expenditures					(N	fillions of yen)
Half year/year to	9/2006	3/2007	9/2007	3/2008	9/2008	3/2009 Forecast
Consolidated	1,558	2,716	1,764	2,758	1,005	2,380

Note: Includes investment in facilities spent on a lease contract basis.

Depreciation and amortization

Half year/year to	9/2006	3/2007	9/2007	3/2008	9/2008	3/2009 Forecast
Manufacturing cost	716	1,494	789	1,635	898	2,010
Selling, general and administrative expenses	284	576	334	626	323	590
R&D expenses	538	1,212	507	1,091	423	1,100
Others	6	12	_	_	—	_
Consolidated total	1,545	3,295	1,631	3,353	1,645	3,700

Note: Excludes amortization of long-term prepaid expense.

Amortization of long-term prepaid expense is 603 million yen from April 2008 to September 2008.

Lease expenses					(N	Aillions of yen)
Half year/year to	9/2006	3/2007	9/2007	3/2008	9/2008	3/2009 Forecast
Consolidated	530	1,064	525	1,042	485	950
Manufacturing cost	468	936	465	925	431	830

■ Number of employees

At half-year/year end	9/2006	3/2007	9/2007	3/2008	9/2008
Consolidated	2,361	2,409	2,508	2,483	2,552
Sales division	822	853	914	907	938
Production division	752	754	800	798	818
R&D division	528	533	520	519	526
Corporate or back-office division	259	269	274	259	270

*Forecasts in this report are based on the currently available information. Actual results may differ materially depending on a number of factors including adverse economic conditions etc.

Reference information Research & development

■ Pipeline of prescription pharmaceuticals (Clinical studies)

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Generic name	Brand name/dev. code	Indication	Original/licensor	Region	Ph I	Ph II	Ph III	NDA Filed	Approved	Launched
	Cravit			Japan		Ap			Apr-00	
Levofloxacin (0.5%)	Quixin	Bacterial conjunctivitis	Daiichi Sankyo	USA					1	Nov-00
	Oftaquix			Europe					Ν	May-02
Levofloxacin (1.5%)	DE-108	Bacterial conjunctivitis	Daiichi Sankyo	Japan						
Characteristics: Fluoroquino	olone antibacterial ag	ent. A high-concentration produc	t for control of drug resis	stance.						
Levofloxacin + prednisolone A	DE-094	Infectious keratitis	Daiichi Sankyo	USA						
Characteristics: Fluoroquino	Characteristics: Fluoroquinolone antibacterial agent. Levofloxacin + prednisolone A is a combination treatment with steroids.									

Generic name	Dev. code	Indication	Original/licensor	Region	Ph I	Ph II	Ph III	NDA Filed	Approved	Launched
				Japan	Oct-08					
Tafluprost	DE-085	Glaucoma/	Co-development	Europe	a J			Jun-08		
Tallupiosi	DL-003	Ocular hypertension	with Asahi Glass	USA						
				Asia*					Nov-07	

Characteristics: Prostaglandin derivative for treatment of glaucoma and ocular hypertension. In Japan, approved in Oct, 2008. In Europe, In April 2008, the first national approval was granted in Denmark. In Jun. 2008, launched in Germany. In the US, we will decide our future development plan based on study results and marketability. In Korea, NDA filed in Nov, 2007. In China, Phase III study is ongoing. (*: excluding Japan)

Generic name	Dev. code	Indication	Original/licensor	Region	Ph I	Ph II	Ph III	NDA Filed	Approved	Launched
Diquafosol sodium	DE-089	Corneal and conjunctival epithelial disorder associated with dry eye, etc.	Inspire Pharm.	Japan				May-08		
Characteristics: A treatment for comparison and conjunctival epithelial disorder mostly associated with dry evel etc. that stimulates the ocular surface to secrete tear fluid										

Characteristics: A treatment for corneal and conjunctival epithelial disorder mostly associated with dry eye, etc. that stimulates the ocular surface to secrete tear fluid and components. Expected to be used in combination with existing treatments. A comparative Phase III study cleared the initial objective and we filed for manufacturing and marketing approval for corneal and conjunctival epithelial disorder associated with dry eye, etc.

Generic name	Dev. code	Indication	Original/licensor	Region	Ph I	Ph II	Ph III	NDA Filed	Approved	Launched
Olmesartan	DE-092	Glaucoma/	Daiichi Sankyo	Japan Pilot study		etudy				
Oimesaitan	DL-092	Ocular hypertension	Dalichi Sahkyo	USA/Europe	1 1101	Sludy				
Characteristics: The angiotensin II receptor antagonist. In Japan, Europe and the USA, the Phase II studies did not demonstrate clear dose-response, and therefore										

we decided to suspend clinical studies. We are now conducting the phase II pilot study in Europe with different formulation.

area. In order to produce sterile microsphere in commercial scale, we collaborate with Oakwood Laboratories (USA).

Generic name	Dev. code	Indication	Original/licensor	Region	Ph I	Ph II	Ph III NDA Filed	Approved	Launched
Lomerizine HCI	DE-090	Glaucoma	Schering-Plough*	Japan					
Characteristics: A new type of oral glaucoma treatment studied for inhibiting the progression of visual field defects. The only calcium antagonist in development as a									

characteristics: A new type of oral glaucoma treatment studied for innibiting the progression of visual field defects. The only calcium antagonist in development as a glaucoma treatment. Compared with NMDA receptor antagonists, fewer systemic side effects are expected, thus having excellent safety. Marketed by Nippon Organon as a migraine treatment.

* Nippon Organon was merged in Schering-Plough.

Generic name (USA)	Dev. code	Indication	Original/in-licensor	Region	Ph I	Ph II	Ph III	NDA Filed	Approved	Launched
Diversiterane	DE-101	Corneal and conjunctival epithelial	Doilahi Contura	USA						
Rivoglitazone	DE-101	disorder associated with dry eye, etc.	Daiichi Sankyo	Japan						
Characteristics: It is expected to show a potent effect on corneal and conjunctival epithelial disorder mostly associated with dry eye, etc. by directly acting on the										he
corneal and conjunctival epithelial cells. It has an action mechanism which differs from any other existing treatment or drug candidate in development. The compound										
is currently under developm	ient by Daiichi Sanky	o as an oral anti-diabetic drug in t	he USA.							

 Generic name (USA)
 Dev. code
 Indication
 Original/in-licensor
 Region
 Ph I
 Ph II
 Ph III
 NDA Filed
 Approved
 Launched

 (Undetermined)
 DE-102
 Diabetic Macular Edema
 Co-development with Oakwood (USA)
 Japan
 (Phase I / IIa)
 Image: Co-development with Oakwood (USA)
 Characteristics: A steroid microsphere product for a sustained release injection. Animal studies demonstrated sustained efficacy when injected around the injected

Generic name (USA)	Dev. code	Indication	Original/in-licensor	Region	Ph I	Ph II	Ph III	NDA Filed	Approved	Launched
(Undetermined)	DE-103	Allergic conjunctivitis	Ono Pharmaceutical	Japan						
Characteristics: A PDE4 (Phosphodiesterase type 4) inhibitor for allergic conjunctivitis which has a different action mechanism from the existing drugs. Expected to be										

effective for allergic conjunctivitis through its inhibitory effect against PDE4.

Generic name (USA)	Dev. code	Indication	Original/in-licensor	Region	Ph I	Ph II	Ph III	NDA Filed	Approved	Launched
(Undetermined)	DE-104	Glaucoma/	Co-development with	USA						
(Undetermined)	DE-104	Ocular hypertension	Ube Industries	Japan						
Characteristics: A ROCK inhibitor co-development with Ube Industries for treatment of glaucoma and ocular hypertension which has a different action mechanism										

from other existing drugs. It is expected to show a strong IOP-reduction by promoting aqueous humor outflow by acting directly on trabecular meshwork cells.

Generic name (USA)	Dev. code	Indication	Original/in-licensor	Region	Ph I	Ph II	Ph III	NDA Filed	Approved	Launched
(Undetermined)	DE-105	Persistent corneal epithelial defects	Original	USA						
Characteristics: DE-105 ac	celarate corneal epit	herial migration and is expected to	be highly safe and effe	ctive with i	ntractab	le persis	stent cori	neal epit	herial de	fects
with existing therapy.										

Reference information Research & development

■ Pipeline of prescription pharmaceuticals (In preparation for clinical trials)

Generic name	Brand name	Indication	Original/in-licensor						
Bucillamine	Rimatil	Osteoarthritis (additional indication)	Original						
Characteristics: Shown to be effective on joint inflammation caused by osteoarthritis.									

Generic name	Dev. Code	Indication	Original/in-licensor
Sirolimus	DE-109	wet age related macular degeneration(wet AMD)/ diabetic macular edema(DME)	MacuSight (USA)

Characteristics: Subconjunctival or intravitreal injection having immunosuppressive effect, anti-angiogenic effect, etc. Phase I clinical trials in patients with wet AMD and DME have shown patients who participated in these studies exhibited improvements in visual acuity that were consistent with morphological changes following a single administration of sirolimus. Santen made a research and development collaboration and license agreement with MacuSight for the Japanese and Asian development and commercialization of sirolimus for the treatment of ocular diseases and conditions including wet AMD and DME.

■License out

Dev. code	Indication	Licensee	Status	in-licensor					
DE-098	Rheumatoid arthritis Argenes Phase I / Ila								
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Characteristics: Joint injection that induces apoptosis in diseased joints of rheumatoid arthritis patients. Bulk pharmaceutical									
manufacturing process for actual production scale has been established. Santen granted the domestic development rights to									
Argenes, Inc. The compound had been in-licensed from Centocor. In Japan and Europe, the clinical study has been started.									
Santen continues to hold the marketing rights in Japan and the overseas marketing and development rights.									

■Changes from August 4, 2008

[Progress]

Dev. code	Indication	Status change	Clinical trial, NDA filing, Launch Region	
DE-108	Bacterial conjunctivitis	Phase I	Japan	
		NDA Filed \rightarrow Approved	Japan	
DE-085	Glaucoma/ Ocular hypertension	NDA Filed	Asia *	
		Launched	Europe**	

*:NDA Filed in Korea, Phase III in China.

**: Launched in Germany and <u>Denmark</u>. (Country underlined was added from 1Q of fiscal 2008.)

Pharmaceutical market in Japan

Revision of l	Nationa	al Healt	h Insu	rance (I	NHI) di	rug prio	ces						(%)
	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Industry average	-6.8	-4.4	-9.7	—	-7.0	—	-6.3	—	-4.2	_	-6.7	—	early -5%
Ophthalmic drugs	-3.5	-1.8	-7.5	_	-6.2	_	-6.0	_	-2.7	_	-5.5	_	late -3%
Santen	-2.6	-1.3	-7.2	_	-5.7		-6.0		-3.2	_	-5.3	_	mid -3%

(Compiled by Santen)

Revision of NHI drug prices:

In Japan, drug prices are generally revised every two years to reflect their market price. The drugs marketed at lower market prices will bear larger reduction margins at the revision.

■ Major healthcare reforms

5	1997	Enforcement of the Revised Health Insurance System Law Increased contribution for insured employees (10% to 20%) Revision of the Insurance Law for Seniors Contribution: 500 yen/day for out-patients (up to four times a month) and 1,000 yen/day for in- patients
	2001	Revision of the Insurance Law for Seniors Contribution: fixed rate of 10% for out-patients and in-patients
April	2002	Reimbursed consulting fee for physicians were reduced by 2.7% on average
1		Revision of prescription fee (two points are added for every prescription of generic drugs)
October	2002	Increased contribution for seniors (fixed amount system was abolished for a uniform fixed rate system of 10% contribution)
April	2003	Increased contribution for insured employees (20% to 30%)
April	2006	Revision of the prescription form from the standpoint of attempting environmental considerations of the generic use promotion
October	2006	Increased contribution for seniors (from the age of 70) who have a certain amount of income (20% to 30%)



Market shares

(Billions of yen)

Half year/year to	9/2006	3/2007	9/2007	3/2008	9/2008
Prescription ophthalmics	40.9%	39.7%	39.9%	38.9%	39.1%
	105.7	214.4	107.5	221.0	110.2
Anti-rheumatic drugs	46.3%	46.3%	46.3%	46.1%	45.5%
	11.7	23.2	12.0	24.1	12.4

Notes: - On an NHI drug price basis.

- Lower figures indicate market size.

- Anti-rheumatic drugs exclude immunosuppressants and biologic agents.

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■ Market shares by therapeutic area - prescription ophthalmics

(Billions of yen)

Half year/year to	9/2006	3/2007	9/2007	3/2008	9/2008
Anti-glaucoma	22.3%	22.1%	21.3%	20.8%	19.7%
-	39.9	79.9	41.3	83.1	42.3
Anti-infective	76.7%	76.1%	74.0%	73.5%	72.3%
	13.7	25.9	13.4	25.6	13.3
Anti-allergy	27.8%	24.3%	25.0%	22.7%	23.9%
	9.7	24.7	9.4	25.4	10.0
Agents for surgeries	42.9%	42.8%	43.2%	43.0%	42.7%
	7.1	14.1	7.5	15.1	7.6
Corneal disease treatments	79.5%	79.3%	78.9%	78.7%	77.9%
	13.1	26.4	14.0	28.8	15.2
Anti-cataract	61.9%	62.6%	65.4%	66.2%	68.0%
	3.2	6.3	3.1	6.1	3.0
Corticosteroids	51.6%	51.4%	51.5%	51.3%	50.6%
	5.5	10.8	5.2	10.6	5.2

Notes: - On an NHI drug price basis.

- Lower figures indicate market size.

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Stock information

	Oct-07	Nov-07	Dec-07	Jan-08	Feb-08	Mar-08	Apr-08	May-08	Jun-08	Jul-08	Aug-08	Sep-08
Stock price:												
Open	2,880	2,700	2,680	2,705	2,800	2,590	2,330	2,550	2,900	2,695	2,905	2,950
High	2,980	2,880	2,860	2,945	2,860	2,615	2,590	2,990	2,935	2,965	3,050	2,975
Low	2,680	2,480	2,655	2,570	2,590	2,140	2,325	2,465	2,620	2,535	2,720	2,605
End of month	2,700	2,715	2,765	2,825	2,660	2,325	2,570	2,945	2,665	2,950	2,955	2,670
Volume	4,339	5,471	3,827	6,859	6,027	5,805	4,952	6,183	7,886	5,282	5,877	5,414
2,800 2,600 2,400 2,200 2,000								•				
10,000 5,000												

Major shareholders	As of Se	As of September 30, 2008				
Name	Number of shares held	Percentage of investment				
	Thousand shares	%				
Japan Trustee Service Bank, Ltd.	11,461	13.2				
Mita Sangyo Co., Ltd.	4,756	5.5				
Japan master Trust and Banking Co., Ltd.	4,398	5.1				
The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd.	4,241	4.9				
Nippon Life Insurance Company	3,043	3.5				
Trust & Custody Services Bank, Ltd.	2,871	3.3				
The Tokio Marine and Nichido Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	2,668	3.1				
The Silchester International Investors International Value Equity Trust	2,636	3.0				
DAIICHI SANKYO CAMPANY, LIMITED	1,642	1.9				
Northern Trust CO. AVFC Re U.S. tax exempted Pension Funds	1,573	1.8				

Note: Santen Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd has held the treasury stock (1,891 thousand shares), but it is excluded from the major shareholders.

■Stock option

At half-year/year end	3/2004	3/2005	3/2006	3/2007	3/2008	9/2008
Stock option balance (thousand shares)	472.6	504.3	541	569.6	627.5	747.7
Granted in June 1998 - 106 thousand shares at 1,540 yen/share	62	35	27	24	24	—
Granted in June 1999 - 66 thousand shares at 2,480 yen/share	66	66	57.3	48	37	37
Granted in June 2000 - 60 thousand shares at 2,705 yen/share	60	60	58	48.2	46.2	45.2
Granted in June 2001 - 55 thousand shares at 2,299 yen/share	55	55	42.6	38.6	38.6	34
Granted in June 2002 - 92 thousand shares at 1,326 yen/share	92	72.5	53.7	32.1	30.9	27.4
Granted in June 2003 - 137.6 thousand shares at 1,176 yen/share	137.6	137.6	95	72.9	55.2	48.6
Granted in June 2004 - 78.2 thousand shares at 1,743 yen/share	_	78.2	78.2	73.9	66.1	64.3
Granted in June 2005 - 129.2 thousand shares at 2,480 yen/share	—	—	129.2	129.2	127.5	127.5
Granted in June 2006 - 102.7 thousand shares at 2,715 yen/share	_	_	_	102.7	102.7	102.7
Granted in June 2007 - 99.3 thousand shares at 3,050 yen/share	—	—	—	—	99.3	99.3
Granted in June 2008 - 161.7 thousand shares at 2,734 yen/share	—	_	_	_	_	161.7

■Purchase of Tresury stock

	3/2004	3/2005	3/2006	3/2007	3/2008	9/2008
A purchased amount of money (millions of yen)	_	2,569	—	—	4,800	-
The number of the purchased stocks (thousand shares)	_	1,351	_	_	1,833	—

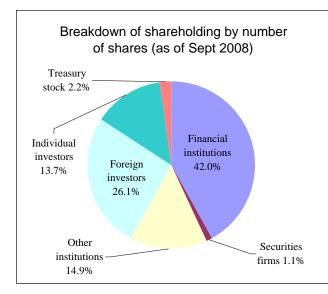


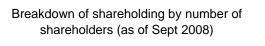
At half-year/year end	9/20	06	3/20	07	9/20	07	3/20	08	9/20	08
	Thousand	Propor-								
	shares	tion (%)								
Financial institutions	31,242	36.0	30,366	35.0	31,159	35.9	33,186	38.2	36,474	42.0
City & regional banks	4,646	5.3	4,628	5.3	4,702	5.4	4,907	5.6	4,873	5.6
Trust banks	18,561	21.4	17,049	19.6	17,068	19.7	19,133	22.0	22,428	25.8
(concerned in trust works)	16,049		14,538		14,594		16,680		19,957	
Life and non-life insurance	7,898	9.1	8,470	9.8	9,111	10.5	8,924	10.3	8,718	10.1
Other financial institutions	135	0.2	217	0.3	278	0.3	221	0.3	455	0.5
Securities firms	1,129	1.3	1,486	1.7	488	0.6	585	0.7	924	1.1
Other institutions	11,989	13.8	12,375	14.2	12,851	14.8	13,014	15.0	13,003	14.9
Foreign investors	30,085	34.7	31,024	35.7	29,514	34.0	25,227	29.0	22,712	26.1
Individual investors	12,286	14.1	11,521	13.3	12,784	14.7	12,963	14.9	11,904	13.7
Treasury Stock	46	0.1	50	0.1	53	0.0	1,888	2.2	1,891	2.2
Total	86,781	100.0	86,825	100.0	86,849	100.0	86,866	100.0	86,908	100.0

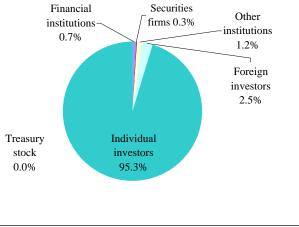
Breakdown of shareholding by number of shares

Breakdown of shareholding by number of shareholders

At half-year/year end	9/20	06	3/20	07	9/20	07	3/20	08	9/20	08
	Number of	Propor-								
	shareholders	tion (%)								
Financial institutions	97	0.8	88	0.9	97	0.7	88	0.6	87	0.7
City & regional banks	8	0.1	7	0.1	10	0.1	14	0.1	11	0.1
Trust banks	49	0.4	44	0.4	37	0.3	30	0.2	29	0.2
Life and non-life insurance	27	0.2	26	0.3	34	0.2	29	0.2	34	0.3
Other financial institutions	13	0.1	11	0.1	16	0.1	15	0.1	13	0.1
Securities firms	27	0.2	37	0.4	42	0.3	38	0.3	34	0.3
Other institutions	214	1.8	133	1.3	172	1.4	150	1.2	137	1.2
Foreign investors	276	2.3	306	3.0	287	2.3	268	2.1	285	2.5
Individual investors	11,348	94.9	9,451	94.4	12,042	95.3	12,568	95.8	10,946	95.3
Treasury stock	1	0.0	1	0.0	1	0.0	1	0.0	1	0.0
Total	11,963	100.0	10,016	100.0	12,641	100.0	13,113	100.0	11,490	100.0







Consolidated subsidiaries

[Domestic]

[Domestic]					
Claire Co., Ltd.					
Main business	Cleaning of antidust and steril	lized clothing			
Location	Shiga, Japan	Paid-in capital	90 million yen	Equity owned	100%
[Overseas]					
Santen Holdings	U.S. Inc.				
Main business	Holding company for North A	merican business	es and business development		
Location	California, U.S.A.	Paid-in capital	24,784 thousand US\$	Equity owned	100%
Santen Inc.					
Main business	Clinical development of pharm	naceuticals			
Location	California, U.S.A.	Paid-in capital	8,765 thousand US\$	Equity owned	100%*
Advanced Vision	Science, Inc.				
Main business	Research and development, pr		keting of medical devices		
Location	California, U.S.A.	Paid-in capital	10 thousand US\$	Equity owned	100%*
Phacor Inc.					
Main business	_				
Location	California, U.S.A.	Paid-in capital	10 thousand US\$	Equity owned	100%*
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Santen Oy					
Main business	Development, production and	marketing of pha	rmaceuticals		
Location	Tampere, Finland	Paid-in capital	20,000 thousand euros	Equity owned	100%
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SantenPharma A		· 1			
Main business	Marketing support of pharmac	1	500 (1 1 C IZD	F '(1	1000/
Location	Stockholm, Sweden	Paid-in capital	500 thousand S.KR	Equity owned	100%
Santen GmbH					
Main business	Marketing of pharmaceuticals	and business dev	elopment		
Location	Germaring, Germany	Paid-in capital	25 thousand euros	Equity owned	100%
	eutical (China) Co., Ltd.				
Main business	-				
Location	Suzhou, China	Paid-in capital	2,300 million yen	Equity owned	100%
Taiwan Santen P	harmaceutical Co., Ltd.				
Main business	Import and marketing of pharm	maceuticals			
Location	Taipei, Taiwan	Paid-in capital	42,000 thousand Taiwan dollars	Equity owned	100%
	eutical Korea, Co., Ltd.				
Main business	Import and marketing of pharm				
Location	Seoul, Korea	Paid-in capital	1,500,000 thousand won	Equity owned	100%

* Indirect investment through Santen Holdings U.S. Inc.

News releases



News releases during April 2008-September 2008

For details, please refer to our Web site (http://www.santen.co.jp/en/).

(Date) (Summary)

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7-May Santen Oy Receives Marketing Authorization for its Glaucoma and Ocular

Hypertension Treatment, TAFLOTANTM in Denmark

Santen Oy, a wholly owned subsidiary in Finland, Tampere, received the marketing authorization for its new glaucoma and ocular hypertension treatment drug TAFLOTAN (development code: DE-085, generic name: Tafluprost) in Denmark on April 30, 2008.

23-May Santen to Issue Stock Acquisition Rights to the Directors for the Purpose of Granting Stock Options

Santen to Issue Stock Acquisition Rights to the Corporate Officers for the Purpose of Granting Stock Options

Santen's Board of Directors on May 20, 2008 adopted a resolution to issue rights to subscribe for new shares as stock options without consideration to Santen directors and corporate officers. The resolution was approved at the 96th Annual General Meeting held on June 25, 2008.

2-Jun Santen Files Manufacturing and Marketing Approval for Corneal and Conjunctival Epithelial Disorder Treatment DE-089 (JAN: Diquafosol sodium)

Santen Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd. filed manufacturing and marketing approval for its corneal and conjunctival epithelial disorder treatment DE-089 (JAN: Diquafosol sodium) to the Japanese Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare on May 30, 2008.

2-Jun Santen and Macusight Annouce Collaboration and License Agreement for Sirolimus in Ocular Diseases and Conditions

Santen Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd. and MacuSight, Inc. entered into a research and development collaboration and license agreement for the Japanese and Asian development and commercialization of sirolimus for the treatment of ocular diseases and conditions including wet age related macular degeneration (wet AMD) and diabetic macular edema (DME). Sirolimus, ordinaly known as rapamycin, is a highly-potent, broad-acting compuond that has demonstrated the ability to combat a broad range of

10-Jun Revision of Performance Forecast

Santen Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd. revised its performance forecasts for the first half and full year of fiscal 2008, which were announced on May 8, 2008.

