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Financial highlights

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Financial summary

(Millions of yen)

Half year/year to	9/2000	3/2001	9/2001	3/2002	9/2002	% Change	3/2003 Forecast	% Change
Net sales	43,118	88,448	43,791	88,966	46,452	6.1	93,200	4.8
Operating income	9,284	16,538	6,955	11,790	7,158	2.9	13,100	11.1
Ordinary income	9,237	16,897	6,786	12,107	6,955	2.5	12,600	4.1
Net income	4,054	7,713	3,082	5,305	1,799	-41.6	3,800	-28.4

Balance sheets summary

(Millions of yen)

Half year/year to	9/2000	3/2001	9/2001	3/2002	9/2002	% Change
Total assets	150,324	153,242	150,881	152,103	151,149	-0.6
Shareholders' equity	96,490	94,834	96,311	95,101	94,581	-0.5
Interest-bearing debts (millions of yen)	25,413	25,092	24,772	24,466	24,260	-0.8

Financial indexes

Half year/year to	9/2000	3/2001	9/2001	3/2002	9/2002	% Change	3/2003 Forecast	% Change
EPS (yen)	42.66	81.32	33.25	57.34	19.84	-40.3	41.90	-26.9
Debt equity ratio (times)	0.26	0.26	0.25	0.25	0.25	_	_	_
PER (times)	24.9	27.3	31.0	25.3	26.2	_	_	
PBR (times)	2.08	2.17	1.98	1.38	0.99	_	_	_
ROE (%)	8.4	8.1	6.5	5.6	3.8	_	_	
* Free cash flows (millions of yen)	-1,926	1,889	575	356	9,272	1,512.5	_	
* EBITDA (millions of yen)	10,882	21,633	9,575	18,479	6,986	-27.0	_	_

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

Other figures

Half year/year to	9/2000	3/2001	9/2001	3/2002	9/2002	% Change	3/2003 Forecast	% Change
R&D expenses (millions of yen)	4,948	10,510	5,395	12,186	6,313	17.0	13,400	9.9
Capital expenditures								
(millions of yen)	846	3,039	2,276	8,516	1,905	-16.3	5,000	-41.2
Depreciation and amortization								
(millions of yen)	2,082	4,336	2,000	3,837	1,692	-15.4	3,650	-4.9
Number of employees	2,151	2,167	2,397	2,463	2,505	_	_	_

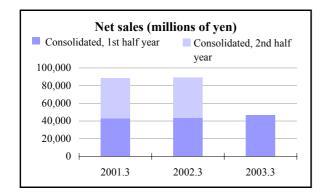
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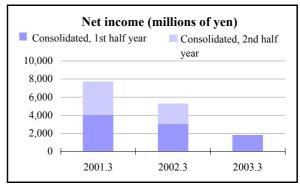
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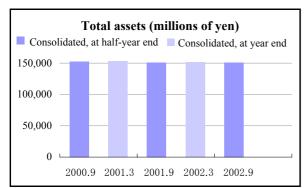
Half year/year to	9/2000	3/2001	9/2001	3/2002	9/2002	% Change	3/2003 Forecast	% Change
Net sales (millions of yen)	41,069	84,295	41,307	82,990	42,770	3.5	85,300	2.8
Operating income								
(millions of yen)	10,094	18,712	8,407	15,586	9,148	8.8	17,200	10.3
Ordinary income (millions of yen)	10,070	19,072	8,450	16,060	8,905	5.4	16,900	5.2
Net income (millions of yen)	5,081	10,165	4,927	9,932	3,817	-22.5	8,400	-15.4
Dividends per share (yen)	10	20	10	20	10	_	20	_
Payout ratio (%)	18.7	18.5	18.8	18.5	23.7	_	_	_

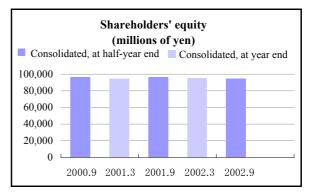
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*EBITDA = (Income before income taxes) + (Interest expenses) + (Depreciation and amortization)

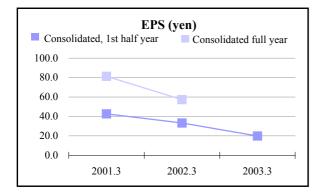


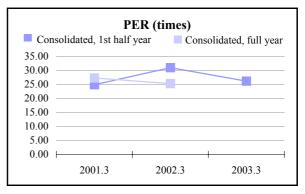


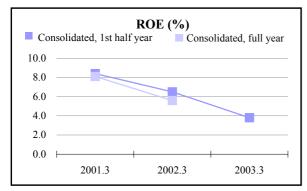


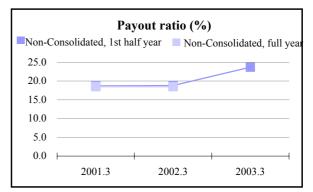












Consolidated Information Consolidated income statements

(Millions of yen)

Half year/year to	9/2000	3/2001	9/2001	3/2002	9/2002	Change over previous half year (%)
Net sales	43,118	88,448	43,791	88,966	46,452	6.1
Cost of sales	15,999	33,363	15,932	32,699	16,901	6.0
(Percentage of net sales)	37.1%	37.7%	36.4%	36.8%	36.4%	
Gross profit	27,119	55,085	27,858	56,266	29,551	6.0
(Percentage of net sales)	62.9%	62.3%	63.6%	63.2%	63.6%	
Selling, general and administrative expenses	17,834	38,546	20,902	44,475	22,392	7.1
(Percentage of net sales)	41.4%	43.6%	47.7%	50.0%	48.2%	
R&D expenses	4,948	10,510	5,395	12,186	6,313	17.0
(Percentage of net sales)	11.4%	11.9%	12.3%	13.7%	13.5%	
Operating income	9,284	16,538	6,955	11,790	7,158	2.9
(Percentage of net sales)	21.5%	18.7%	15.9%	13.2%	15.4%	
Non-operating income	527	1,414	375	1,128	374	-0.2
Non-operating expenses	574	1,055	544	811	576	5.9
Ordinary income	9,237	16,897	6,786	12,107	6,955	2.5
(Percentage of net sales)	21.4%	19.1%	15.5%	13.6%	15.0%	
Extraordinary gain	2	57	27	952	0	_
Extraordinary loss	1,250	1,434	72	380	2,257	3,018.3
Income before income taxes	7,989	15,520	6,741	12,678	4,698	-30.3
(Percentage of net sales)	18.5%	17.5%	15.4%	14.3%	10.1%	
Income taxes - current	4,103	8,973	3,280	6,932	2,551	-22.2
Income taxes - deferred	-168	-1,166	378	440	347	-8.3
Net income	4,054	7,713	3,082	5,305	1,799	-41.6
(Percentage of net sales)	9.4%	8.7%	7.0%	6.0%	3.9%	

Exchange rates

(Yen)

Half year/year to	9/2000	3/2001	9/2001	3/2002	9/2002
Exchange rate: US dollar	107.14	110.54	122.48	125.57	123.05
Euro	100.23	100.02	107.73	110.07	116.65



Major change in income statements

[Net sales] (Millions of year)									
Half year to	9/2001	9/2002	Change over previous half year (%)						
Cravit ophthalmic solution	6,346	6,885	8.5						
Tarivid ophthalmic solution	4,060	3,202	-21.1						
Hyalein	5,948	6,635	11.6						
Quixin	98	595	502.8						
Detantol	213	696	225.8						
Livostin	651	791	21.6						
Azulfidine EN tablets	1,312	1,454	10.8						
OTC pharmaceuticals	2.974	3.281	10.3						

Selling, general and administrative expenses

(Millions of yen)

Half year/year to	9/2000	3/2001	9/2001	3/2002	9/2002	Change over previous half year (%)
Personnel expenses	4,896	10,049	5,623	11,919	5,818	3.4
Sales promotion expenses	1,353	3,366	1,836	4,014	1,725	-6.0
Royalty expenses	1,402	2,552	1,222	2,457	1,127	-7.7
Advertising expenses	732	1,578	1,041	2,189	1,239	19.0
R&D expenses	4,948	10,510	5,395	12,186	6,313	17.0

Other income and expenses

(Millions of yen)

Half year/year to	9/2000	3/2001	9/2001	3/2002	9/2002	Change over previous half vear (%)
Interest and dividend income	279	578	177	304	156	-12.1
Interest expenses	226	430	196	465	209	6.7
Amortization of goodwill	120	239	129	263	139	8.2

Extraordinary gain and loss

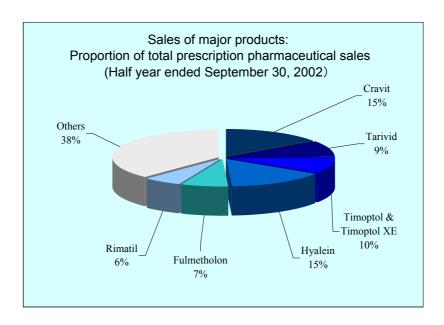
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Half year/year to	9/2000	3/2001	9/2001	3/2002	9/2002	Change over previous half vear (%)
Gain on settlement of suit regarding Princeton Notes		_	l	886	_	_
Loss on valuation of marketable securities	_	_	57	178	25	_
Impairment losses on golf membership rights	310	445	3	45	11	_
Loss on withdrawal of OTC products	906	906	_	_	_	_
Special premium payment incurred upon secession from pension fund	_	_	_	_	2,202	_

Sales details

Sales of major prescription pharmaceuticals

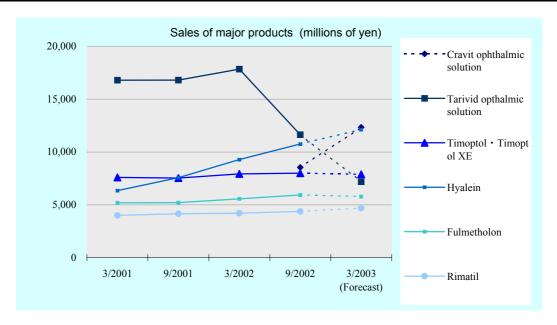
Therapeutic category	Generic name/formulation	Brand name	Region	Launched
	levofloxacin/ophthalmic solution	Cravit	Japan	4 00
Bacterial conjunctivitis	levonoxaem/opinnamme solution	Quixin	U.S.A.	11 00
	ofloxacin/ophthalmic solution	Tarivid	Japan	9 87
	timolol maleate/ophthalmic solution	Timoptol	Japan	9 81
Claura ma	timotol maleate/ long-acting ophthalmic solution	Timoptol XE	Japan	11 99
Glaucoma -	dipivefrine hydrochloride	Pivalephrine	Japan	12 88
	bunazosin hydrochloride	Detantol	Japan	9 01
	timolol ophthalmic solution	Betimol	U.S.A.	6 95
	levocabastine hydrochloride/ ophthalmic solution	Livostin	Japan	1 01
Allergy	•	Alegysal	Japan	4 95
	pemirolast potassium/ophthalmic solution	Alamast	U.S.A.	7 00
_	ketotifen fumarate/ophthalmic solution	Zaditen	Japan	7 91
Corneal disease	sodium hyaluronate/ophthalmic solution	Hyalein	Japan	6 95
Inflammation	fluorometholone/ophthalmic solution	Flumetholon	Japan	10 75
Early-stage senile cataract	pirenoxine/ophthalmic solution	Kary Uni	Japan	7 92
Adjuvant for ophthalmic operations	sodium hyaluronate/ adjuvant for ophthalmic operations	Opegan Hi	Japan	1 95
Perfusate/lotion	oxiglutatione/ophthalmic perfusate and lotion	BSS PLUS	Japan	1 92
Rheumatoid arthritis -	bucillamine/tablet	Rimatil	Japan	9 87
Kiicumatotu artiirtis –	salazosulfapyridine/enteric coated tablet	Azulfidine EN	Japan	4 63





(Millions of yen)

Brand name	Half year/year to											
e	% Change	3/2003 Forecast	% Change	9/2002	3/2002	9/2001	3/2001	9/2000				
Cravit	4.1	12,850	8.5	6,885	12,338	6,346	8,543	3,634				
Quixin	206.4	1,670	502.8	595	545	98	189	_				
Tarivid	-21.8	5,620	-21.1	3,202	7,184	4,060	11,639	7,236				
Timoptol	-7.6	5,310	-5.7	2,790	5,745	2,960	6,363	3,307				
Timoptol EX	24.0	2,660	21.7	1,254	2,145	1,030	1,634	714				
Pivalephrine	-15.1	720	-25.5	346	848	465	1,135	621				
Detantol	159.7	1,540	225.8	696	593	213	_	<u> </u>				
Betimol	4.3	930	17.2	425	892	362	229	99				
Livostin	51.9	3,380	21.6	791	2,225	651	1,204	_				
Alegysal	-2.9	840	4.5	370	865	354	1,016	465				
Alamast	-17.9	170	321.3	97	207	23	80	194				
Zaditen	_	_	_	_	166	166	4,718	1,903				
Hyalein	9.7	13,310	11.6	6,635	12,130	5,948	10,758	5,279				
Flumetholon	-4.9	5,510	-5.0	2,677	5,792	2,818	5,938	2,965				
' Kary Uni	6.7	3,300	13.1	1,762	3,092	1,557	2,909	1,447				
Opegan Hi	-5.1	2,200	1.4	1,196	2,319	1,179	2,449	1,271				
BSS PLUS	-24.9	1,510	-20.7	821	2,010	1,036	2,058	1,050				
Rimatil	-1.0	4,640	1.7	2,414	4,685	2,374	4,380	2,176				
Azulfidine EN	6.7	2,780	10.8	1,454	2,605	1,312	2,349	1,155				



Sales details

Sales by division

(Millions of yen)

Half year/year to	9/2000	3/2001	9/2001	3/2002	9/2002	% Change	3/2003 Forecast
Prescription pharmaceuticals	39,396	78,878	38,862	78,149	40,752	4.9	80,750
Ophthalmic	35,531	71,231	34,728	70,043	36,523	5.2	72,750
Anti-rheumatic	3,331	6,729	3,687	7,291	3,869	4.9	7,430
Other prescription pharmaceuticals	532	916	445	814	359	-19.4	570
OTC pharmaceuticals	1,674	5,255	2,974	6,592	3,281	10.3	7,060
Medical devices	565	1,144	425	916	464	9.1	1,150
Others	1,482	3,170	1,527	3,308	1,953	27.9	4,240
Total net sales	43,118	88,448	43,791	88,966	46,452	6.1	93,200

[Domestic]

(Millions of yen)

Half year/year to	9/2000	3/2001	9/2001	3/2002	9/2001	% Change
Prescription pharmaceuticals	37,645	75,435	36,430	72,270	36,824	1.1
Ophthalmic	33,827	67,919	32,440	64,425	32,699	0.8
Anti-rheumatic	3,322	6,661	3,617	7,156	3,831	5.9
Other prescription pharmaceuticals	495	853	372	688	293	-21.2
OTC pharmaceuticals	1,651	5,207	2,958	6,555	3,252	10.0
Medical devices	565	1,143	425	839	431	1.4
Others	441	966	471	982	562	19.3
Total net sales	40,304	82,753	40,285	80,647	41,070	1.9
(Percentage of total net sales)	93.5%	93.6%	92.0%	90.7%	88.4%	_

[Overseas]

(Millions of yen)

Half year/year to	9/2000	3/2001	9/2001	3/2002	9/2001	% Change
Prescription pharmaceuticals	1,750	3,443	2,432	5,878	3,928	61.5
Ophthalmic	1,703	3,312	288	5,617	3,824	67.1
Anti-rheumatic	9	67	70	134	37	-46.3
Other prescription pharmaceuticals	37	63	73	126	65	-10.4
OTC drugs	22	47	16	36	29	74.5
Medical devices	_	_	_	76	32	_
Others	1,040	2,204	1,056	2,325	1,391	31.7
Total overseas sales	2,813	5,695	3,505	8,318	5,382	53.5
(Percentage of total net sales)	6.5%	6.4%	8.0%	9.3%	11.6%	_



Breakdown by geographic segment

	Half year/year to	9/200	0	3/200	1	9/200	1	3/200	2	9/200	2
ent		Million yen	%								
s by segm	Japan	40,984	95.0	84,138	95.1	41,175	94.0	82,623	92.9	42,496	91.5
Net sales by graphic segn	Europe	1,502	3.5	3,016	3.4	1,944	4.5	4,844	5.4	3,147	6.8
Net sales by geographic segment	Others	631	1.5	1,293	1.5	671	1.5	1,497	1.7	808	1.7
geo	Total	43,118	100.0	88,448	100.0	43,791	100.0	88,966	100.0	46,452	100.0
80	Japan	29,029		59,951		30,725		64,263		32,198	
ses b	Europe	2,810		6,187		3,941		9,327		5,438	
xpen:	Others	2,539		5,848		3,876		9,385		5,016	
ng ea	Total	34,379		71,987		38,543		82,976		42,653	
Operating expenses by geographic segment	Corporate and eliminations	-545		-77		-1,707		-5,800		-3,358	
	Consolidated total	33,833		71,910		36,835		77,175		39,294	
<u> </u>	Japan	12,105		24,482		10,654		18,879		10,648	
segment	Europe	-928		-2,307		-1,523		-3,384		-1,797	
ncon	Others	21		45		-7		-473		-379	
ing ii phic	Total	11,198		22,220		9,123		15,021		8,470	
Operating income by geographic segment	Corporate and eliminations	-1,913		-5,681		-2,167		-3,230		-1,312	
	Consolidated total	9,284		16,538		6,955		11,790		7,158	

Europe: Finland, Sweden, Germany and Netherlands

Other: U.S., Taiwan and Korea

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

Overseas sales

Half year/year to	9/2000 3/2001			9/200	1	3/200	2	9/2002		
	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%
Europe	1,186	42.2	2,252	39.5	1,309	37.3	3,009	36.2	1,741	32.4
North America	1,054	37.5	2,206	38.8	1,271	36.3	3,499	42.1	2,192	40.7
Others	572	20.3	1,237	21.7	924	26.4	1,809	21.7	1,448	26.9
Total	2,813	100.0	5,695	100.0	3,505	100.0	8,318	100.0	5,382	100.0

Europe: Finland, Sweden, Norway, Denmark and Russia

North America: U.S, and Canada

Other: Southeast Asia

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	0	3/200	1	9/200	1	3/200	2	9/200	2
	Million yen	Proportion (%)								
Current assets	85,544	56.9	88,025	57.4	89,245	59.1	86,064	56.6	85,726	56.7
Cash and deposits	28,898		27,293		28,576		24,185		31,414	
Notes receivable and accounts receivable	38,850		40,921		39,343		39,415		33,710	
Marketable securities	2,947		3,189		4,249		4,131		5,266	
Inventories	11,119		11,986		12,867		12,371		10,376	
Deferred tax assets	1,642		2,412		1,922		1,870		1,600	
Other current assets	2,235		2,316		2,402		4,157		3,498	
Allowance for doubtful receivables	-149		-94		-116		-67		-140	
Fixed assets	64,778	43.1	65,215	42.6	61,636	40.9	66,038	43.4	65,422	43.3
Tangible assets	36,460	24.3	36,683	24.0	37,407	24.8	42,159	27.7	42,593	28.2
Buildings and structures	20,428		19,789		19,100		18,562		17,786	
Machinery, equipment and vehicles	1,896		1,644		1,648		1,926		1,797	
Land	10,954		10,988		10,981		11,009		10,990	
Construction in progress	667		1,750		3,217		8,200		9,782	
Others	2,512		2,511		2,460		2,460		2,235	
Intangible assets	4,676	3.1	4,781	3.1	4,389	2.9	5,164	3.4	4,732	3.1
Goodwill	1,502		1,556		1,462		2,260		2,052	
Softwear	759		721		913		992		912	
Consolidation adjustments	2,414		_		_		17		15	
Others	_		2,504		2,014		1,893		1,751	
Investments and other assets	23,641	15.7	23,750	15.5	19,838	13.2	18,715	12.3	18,097	12.0
Investment securities	14,675		13,237		10,385		9,821		10,329	
Long-term deferred tax assets	1,155		1,826		2,264		2,515		2,554	
Others	7,811		8,687		7,189		6,392		5,227	
Allowance for doubtful receivables	0		-0		-1		-13		-14	
Deferred assets	1		2		_		_		_	_
Total assets	150,324	100.0	153,242	100.0	150,881	100.0	152,103	100.0	151,149	100.0

Major changes at September 30, 2002 from March 31, 2002

Cash and deposits: Increased due to improved cash flows resulting from a decrease in trade receivables of 5,697

million yen and a decrease in inventories of 1,967 million yen, despite payments including

capital expenditures of 3,366 million ven.

Notes receivable and accounts receivable:Decreased due to acceleration of payment dates and because there was no impact from the final day of the term being a bank holiday at September 30, 2002 compared with March 31, 2002,

which was a bank holiday.

Inventories: Decreased due mainly to a fall in inventories of final goods.

Construction in progress: Increased due to factors including expansion of the Nara Research and Development Center and

progress in construction of a manufacturing line at the Noto Plant.



Liabilities and shareholders' equity

Half year/year to	9/200	0	3/200	1	9/200	1	3/200	2	9/200	2
	Million yen	Proportion (%)								
Current liabilities	21,937	14.6	27,340	17.8	23,283	15.4	26,334	17.3	46,260	30.6
Notes payable and accounts payable	4,838		6,900		4,830		4,798		4,680	
Current portion of convertible bonds	_		_		_		_		19,945	
Current portion of long-term debt	646		629		517		1,417		1,417	
Other payables	8,585		10,784		10,593		11,754		12,825	
Income taxes payable	3,822		4,640		3,153		3,428		2,535	
Consumption taxes payable	538		582		452		484		607	
Reserve for bonuses	1,917		2,088		2,095		2,311		2,173	
Other reserves	1,102		1,157		1,018		1,067		809	
Others	486		556		622		1,071		1,265	
Noncurrent liabilities	31,897	21.2	31,068	20.3	31,286	20.8	30,668	20.2	10,307	6.8
Convertible bonds	19,945		19,945		19,945		19,945		_	
Long-term loans	4,822		4,518		4,310		3,103		2,897	
Other payables - long-term	210		30		_		_		_	
Reserve for retirement benefits	5,292		5,058		5,184		5,156		5,243	
Reserve for retirement benefits for directors	231		246		437		444		458	
Deffered tax liabilities	40		38		36		34		33	
Others	1,355		1,230		1,372		1,983		1,673	
Total liabilities	53,834	35.8	58,408	38.1	54,569	36.2	57,002	37.5	56,567	37.4
Common stock	6,197		6,205		6,214		6,214		6,214	
Capital surplus reserves	6,891		6,900		6,908		6,908		6,908	
Appropriated retained earnings	86,111		83,735		85,854		83,892		84,755	
Unrealized holding gains on securities	1,873		1,289		828		474		312	
Foreign currency translation adjustments	-4,484		-3,255		-3,447		-2,382		-3,584	
Treasury stock at cost	-98		-41		-46		-5		-25	
Total shareholders' equity	96,490	64.2	94,834	61.9	96,311	63.8	95,101	62.5	94,581	62.6
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	150,324	100.0	153,242	100.0	150,881	100.0	152,103	100.0	151,149	100.0

Major changes at September 30, 2002 from March 31, 2002

Convertible bonds: Because the conversion date is September 30, 2003, convertible bonds were transferred from

noncurrent liabilities to current liabilities.

Other payables: Increased due to the recording of 2,202 million yen as a special premium payment incurred upon

the secession of Santen and one of its subsidiaries from the Osaka Pharmaceutical Industry

Foreign currency translation

adjustments:

Increased due to the weaker yen.

Note: Shareholders' equity was categorized applying the new standard.

Consolidated statements of cash flows

(Millions of yen)

Half year/year to	9/2000	3/2001	9/2001	3/2002	9/2002
I. Cash flows from operating activities:					
Net income before income taxes	7,989	15,520	6,741	12,678	4,698
Depreciation and amortization	2,667	5,683	2,638	5,333	2,079
Increase/decrease in retirement and severance benefits	-96	-330	126	97	86
Increase/decrease in trade receivables	-6,489	-8,372	1,563	1,804	5,697
Increase/decrease in inventories	4	-765	-868	-183	1,967
Increase/decrease in account payable	-223	1,812	-2,067	-2,137	-114
Other, net	-452	1,376	-113	-2,350	1,763
Subtotal	3,399	14,928	8,021	15,244	16,179
Interest and dividends income received	257	529	151	227	157
Interest expenses paid	-213	-406	-193	-464	-209
Income taxes paid	-4,123	-8,219	-4,767	-8,065	-3,489
Net cash provided by operating activities	-680	6,831	3,211	6,941	12,638
II. Cash flows from investing activities:					
Deposit/withdrawal of fixed deposit	-666	-815	518	-1,143	21
Increase/decrease in marketable securities	1,020	2,530	750	789	-3,907
Purchase/sale of fixed assets	-1,246	-4,942	-2,636	-6,585	-3,366
Payment for acquisition of shares of subsidiaries	_	_	_	-537	_
due to change in consolidation	0.5	4.50	4 000		2.6
Increase/decrease in loans	95	158	1,008	1,011	36
Other, net	83	-102	-72	90	799
Net cash used in investing activities	-712	-3,172	-433	-6,373	-6,416
III. Cash flows from financing activities:					• • •
Increase/decrease in long-term borrowings	-332	-654	-320	-624	-206
Increase/decrease of treasury stock	-48	-5,080	-5	-3,223	-19
Cash dividends paid	-570	-1,520	-926	-1,854	-906
Other, net	35	62	16	17	_
Net cash used in financing activities	-915	-7,192	-1,235	-5,683	-1,132
IV. Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	-194	360	-231	176	-126
V. Net increase/decrease in cash and cash equivalents	-2,503	-3,172	1,311	-4,939	4,962
VI. Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year	33,727	33,727	30,555	30,555	25,619
VII. Effect from consolidating subsidiaries previously unconsolidated on cash and cash equivalents	_	_	_	4	_
VIII. Cash and cash equivalents, end of half year/year	31,223	30,555	31,866	25,619	30,582

Capital expenditures and number of employees



Capital expenditures

(Millions of yen)

Half year/year to	9/2000	3/2001	9/2001	3/2002	9/2002	3/2003 Forecast
Consolidated	846	3,039	2,276	8,516	1,905	5,000
Non-consolidated	721	2,396	1,792	7,507	1,706	4,450

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

[Major items]

- Extension of the Shiga Plant and Noto Plant to improve manufacturing processes.
- Expansion of the Nara Research & Development Center to reinforce R&D.

Depreciation and amortization

(Millions of yen)

Half year/year to	9/2000	3/2001	9/2001	3/2002	9/2002	3/2003 Forecast
Manufacturing cost	1,030	2,009	783	1,783	762	1,550
Selling, general and administrative expenses	320	791	474	829	348	730
R&D expenses	644	1,345	723	1,190	535	1,260
Others	88	189	19	34	47	90
Consolidated total	2,082	4,336	2,000	3,837	1,692	3,650
Non-consolidated	1,910	3,961	1,726	3,347	1,398	3,030

Lease expenses

(Millions of yen)

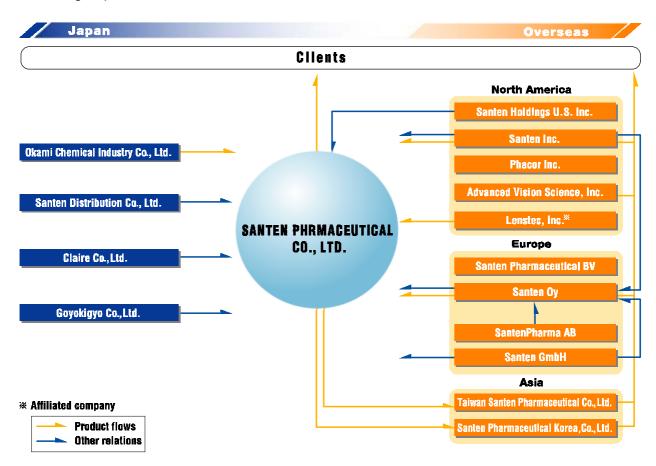
Half year/year to	9/2000	3/2001	9/2001	3/2002	9/2002	3/2003 Forecast
Consolidated total	1,144	2,302	1,094	1,879	316	610
Manufacturing cost	1,111	2,232	1,060	1,817	284	550
Non-consolidated	1,144	2,302	1,094	1,879	316	610

Number of employees

At half-year/year end	9/2000	3/2001	9/2001	3/2002	9/2002
Consolidated	2,151	2,167	2,397	2,463	2,505
Non-consolidated	1,610	1,592	1,711	1,702	1,749

Affiliated companies

Santen group



Subsidiaries

[Japan]

[L]					
Santen Distrib	oution Co., Ltd.				
Business	Storage and shipping	of pharmaceuticals			
Location	Shiga, Japan	Paid-in capital	30 million yen	Equity owned	100%
Claire Co., Ltd	d.				
Business	Cleaning of antidust	and sterilized clothing			
Location	Shiga, Japan	Paid-in capital	90 million yen	Equity owned	100%
Goyokigyo Co	o., Ltd.				
Business	Real estate				
Location	Osaka, Japan	Paid-in capital	90 million yen	Equity owned	100%



[Overseas]

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Santen Holdings					
Business	Holding company for North				
Location	California, U.S.A.	Paid-in capital	15,029 thousand US\$	Equity owned	100%
Santen Inc.					
Business			and marketing support of ph		
Location	California, U.S.A.	Paid-in capital	8,785 thousand US\$	Equity owned	100%*
Phacor Inc.					
Business	Development, production as	nd marketing of me	dical devices		
Location	California, U.S.A.	Paid-in capital	10 thousand US\$	Equity owned	100%*
Advanced Vis	ion Science, Inc.				
Business	Development, production a	nd marketing of me	dical devices		
Location	California, U.S.A.	Paid-in capital	4,304 thousand US\$	Equity owned	100%*
Location	Camorina, O.S.A.	1 aid-iii capitai	r,507 mousand Osp	Equity Owned	100/0
Santen Pharma	aceutical BV				
Business	Holding company for Europ	pean businesses			
Location	Amsterdam, Netherlands	Paid-in capital	80,786 thousand euros	Equity owned	100%
Santen Oy					
Business	Clinical development, prod	uction and marketin	ng of pharmaceuticals		
Location	Tampere, Finland	Paid-in capital	79,048 thousand euros	Equity owned	100%**
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SantenPharma	AB				
Business	Marketing support of pharm	naceuticals			
Location	Stockholm, Sweden	Paid-in capital	600 thousand S.KR	Equity owned	100%**
Santen GmbH					
Business	Clinical development and n	narketing support of	f pharmaceuticals and busine	ss development	
Location	Germering, Germany	Paid-in capital	25 thousand euros	Equity owned	100%
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	Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd.	arma a auticala			
Business	Import and marketing of ph		2 000 thousand Tairras delle	Enviter arms 1	1000/
Location	Taipei, Taiwan	Paid-in capital 4	2,000 thousand Taiwan dollar	s Equity owned	100%
Santen Pharmac	eutical Korea, Co., Ltd.				
Santen Pharmac Business	eutical Korea, Co., Ltd. Import and marketing of ph	armaceuticals			

Note: Santen Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd. has two affiliated companies but does not have any affiliated companies accounted for by the equity method.

^{*} Indirect investment through Santen Holdings U.S. Incorporated

^{**} Indirect investment through Santen Pharmaceutical BV

Non-consolidated Information Non-consolidated income statements

(Millions of yen)

Half year/year to	9/2000	3/2001	9/2001	3/2002	9/2002	Change over previous first-half year (%)
Net sales	41,069	84,295	41,307	82,990	42,770	3.5
Cost of sales	14,801	30,996	14,696	29,829	15,382	4.6
(Percentage of net sales)	36.0%	36.8%	35.6%	35.9%	36.0%	
Gross profit	26,268	53,298	26,610	53,161	27,387	2.9
(Percentage of net sales)	64.0%	63.2%	64.4%	64.1%	64.0%	
Selling, general and administrative expenses	16,174	34,586	18,202	37,575	18,238	0.1
(Percentage of net sales)	39.4%	41.0%	44.1%	45.3%	42.6%	
R&D expenses	5,187	10,936	5,600	12,809	6,328	12.9
(Percentage of net sales)	12.6%	12.9%	13.5%	15.4%	14.7%	
Operating income	10,094	18,712	8,407	15,586	9,148	8.8
(Percentage of net sales)	24.6%	22.2%	20.3%	18.8%	21.4%	
Non-operating income	455	1,114	355	932	368	3.7
Non-operating expenses	478	753	312	458	612	96.2
Ordinary income	10,070	19,072	8,450	16,060	8,905	5.4
(Percentage of net sales)	24.5%	22.6%	20.4%	19.3%	20.8%	
Extraordinary gain	2	57	27	952	0	-98.9
Extraordinary loss	1,249	1,433	71	263	2,219	3,021.7
Income before income taxes	8,823	17,697	8,406	16,749	6,686	-20.4
(Percentage of net sales)	21.5%	21.0%	20.3%	20.2%	15.6%	
Income taxes - current	3,928	8,644	3,092	6,515	2,520	-18.5
Income taxes - deferred	-186	-1,112	386	300	348	-9.7
Net income	5,081	10,165	4,927	9,932	3,817	-22.5
(Percentage of net sales)	12.4%	12.1%	11.9%	12.0%	8.9%	

Selling, general and administrative expense

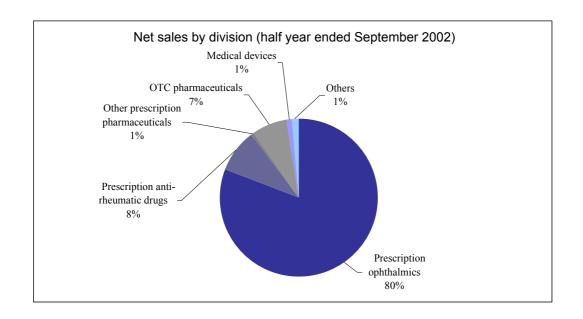
(Millions of yen)

Half year/year to	9/2000	3/2001	9/2001	3/2002	9/2002	Change over previous first-half year (%)
Personnel expenses	4,034	8,237	4,381	8,626	4,087	-6.7
Sales promotion expenses	1,059	2,533	1,260	2,676	929	-26.2
Royalty expenses	1,352	2,527	1,205	2,358	1,040	-13.6
Advertising expenses	640	1,364	947	1,869	973	2.7
R&D expenses	5,187	10,936	5,600	12,809	6,328	13.0



Sales by division (Millions of yen)

Half year/year to	9/2000	3/2001	9/2001	3/2002		Change over evious first-half year (%)	3/2003 Forecast
Prescription pharmaceuticals	38,195	76,576	37,305	74,221	38,236	2.5	75,360
Ophthalmic	34,470	69,152	33,331	66,379	34,165	2.5	67,670
Anti-rheumatic	3,331	6,729	3,687	7,291	3,869	4.9	7,430
Other prescription pharmaceuticals	392	694	285	551	201	-29.4	260
OTC pharmaceuticals	1,674	5,255	2,974	6,592	3,281	10.3	7,060
Medical devices	565	1,144	425	842	440	3.6	1,080
Others	634	1,318	601	1,334	810	34.8	1,800
Total net sales	41,069	84,285	41,307	82,990	42,770	3.5	85,300



Non-consolidated balance sheets

Assets

At half-year/year end	9/200	0	3/200	1	9/200	1	3/200	2	9/200)2
	Million yen	Proportion (%)								
Current assets	80,094	51.7	82,645	52.5	84,740	53.9	78,800	49.7	78,189	48.5
Cash and deposits	24,948		24,310		25,883		19,594		26,775	
Notes receivable and accounts receivabel	38,155		39,937		38,317		37,852		32,586	
Marketable securities	2,761		2,984		4,915		4,797		5,241	
Treasury stock	98		41		_		_		_	
Inventories	10,360		11,096		11,671		10,997		8,817	
Deferred tax assets	1,601		2,276		1,788		1,859		1,587	
Others	2,318		2,093		2,279		3,765		3,320	
Allowance for doubtful receivables	-149		-94		-116		-66		-139	
Fixed assets	74,907	48.3	74,687	47.5	72,589	46.1	79,656	50.3	83,099	51.5
Tangible assets	33,239	21.4	32,844	20.9	33,306	21.1	37,539	23.7	38,123	
Building and structure	18,375		17,511		16,806		16,040		15,385	
Machinery, equipment and vehicles	1,558		1,235		1,105		965		880	
Tools, furnitures and fixtures	2,063		1,926		1,828		1,724		1,571	
Land	10,666		10,666		10,666		10,666		10,666	
Construction in progress	574		1,503		2,899		8,142		9,618	
Intangible assets	4,004	2.6	3,973	2.5	3,625	2.3	3,446	2.2	3,162	2.0
Patents	1,115		1,039		963		887		811	
Trademarks	1,142		1,081		1,022		962		900	
Goodwill	1,056		934		813		692		570	
Software	591		543		722		797		753	
Others	99		373		103		106		124	
Investments and other assets	37,663	24.3	37,869	24.1	35,657	22.7	38,670	24.4	41,814	25.9
Investment securities	14,584		13,419		10,117		9,991		11,196	
Investments in subsidiaries and affiliates	14,383		14,455		14,666		15,567		16,438	
Long-term loans	1,152		1,051		2,016		4,671		6,846	
Long-term deferred assets	805		1,479		1,914		2,185		2,225	
Otehrs	6,736		7,464		6,942		6,253		5,106	
Total assets	155,002	100.0	157,332	100.0	157,330	100.0	158,456	100.0	161,289	100.0

Maior changes at Sentember 30, 2002 from March 31, 2002

Cash and deposits: Increased due to improved cash flows resulting from a decrease in trade receivables of 5,266

million yen and a decrease in inventories of 2,179 million yen, despite payments including

capital expenditures of 3,082 million yen.

Notes receivable and Decreased due to accerelation of payment dates and because there was no impact from the accounts receivable: final day of the term being a bank holiday at September 30, 2002 compared with March 31,

2002, which was a bank holiday.

Inventories: Decreased due mainly to a fall in goods in stock.

Construction in progress: Increased due to factors including expansion of the Nara Research and Development Center

and progress in construction of a manufacturing line at the Noto Plant.



Liabilities and shareholders' equity

At half-year/year end	9/200	0	3/200	1	9/200	1	3/200	2	9/200	2
	Million yen	Proportion (%)	Million yen	Propor- tion (%)	Million yen	Proportion (%)	Million yen	Proportion (%)	Million yen	Proportion (%)
Current liabilities	21,073	13.6	25,870	16.5	22,261	14.2	24,094	15.2	44,240	27.4
Accounts payable	4,743		6,452		4,514		4,335		4,325	
Current portion of convertible bonds	_		_		_		_		19,945	
Current portion of long-term debt	640		624		512		1,416		1,416	
Other payables	8,248		10,556		10,564		11,242		12,616	
Income taxes payable	3,787		4,597		3,130		3,412		2,443	
Consumption taxes payable	530		573		444		478		597	
Reserves	2,833		2,858		2,855		2,886		2,625	
Others	290		207		241		323		271	
Noncurrent liabilities	31,683	20.4	30,735	19.5	30,868	19.6	29,654	18.7	9,641	6.0
Convertible bonds	19,945		19,945		19,945		19,945		_	
Long-term loans	4,822		4,518		4,310		3,102		2,894	
Other payables	210		30		_		_		_	
Reserve for retirement benefit	5,288		5,043		5,164		5,135		5,218	
Reserve for retirement benefit	231		246		437		444		458	
for directors Others	1,396		951		1,011		1,026		1,069	
Total liabilities	52,757	34.0	56,605	36.0	53,129	33.8	53,749	33.9	53,882	33.4
Common stock	6,197	3.9	6,205	4.0	6,214	3.9	6,214	3.9	6,214	3.8
Capital surplus reserves	6,891	4.4	6,900	4.3	6,908	4.4	6,908	4.4	6,908	4.3
Additional paid-in capital	6,891		6,900		6,908		6,908		6,908	
Appropriated retained earnings	87,282	56.3	86,331	54.9	90,296	57.4	91,115	57.5	93,996	58.3
Earnings reseve	1,377		1,473		1,551		1,551		1,551	
Reserve for retirement benefit	372		372		372		372		372	
Special depreciation reserve	287		287		250		250		180	
General reserve	79,409		79,409		82,109		82,109		84,109	
Unappropriated retained earnings	5,835		4,789		6,013		6,833		7,783	
Net income	5,081		10,165		4,927		9,932		3,817	
Unrealized holding gains on securities	1,873	1.2	1,289	0.8	828	0.5	474	0.3	312	0.2
Treasury stock	_	_	_	-	-46	-0.0	-5	-0.0	-25	-0.0
Total shareholders' equity	102,245	66.0	100,727	64.0	104,200	66.2	104,706	66.1	107,406	66.6
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	155,002	100.0	157,332	100.0	157,330	100.0	158,456	100.0	161,289	100.0

Major changes at September 30, 2002 from March 31, 2002

Convertible bonds: Because the conversion date is September 30, 2003, convertible bonds were transferred from

noncurrent liabilities to current liabilities.

Other payables: Increased due to the recording of 2,165 million yen as a special premium payment incurred upon

the secession of Santen from the Osaka Pharmaceutical Industry Pension Fund.

Voluntary reserve: Increased due to accumulation from general reserve of 2,000 million yen.

Note: Shareholders' equity was categorized applying the new standard.

Reference information Research & development

■Pipeline of prescription pharmaceuticals

Generic name	Brand name/dev. code	Indication	Original/in-licensing	Region	Ph II	Ph III	NDA Filed	Approved	Launched
Levofloxacin	Cravit	Bacterial conjunctivitis	Daiichi Pharmaceuticals	Japan					4-00
	Quixin 0.5%	Bacterial conjunctivitis		USA					11-00
	Oftaquix 0.5%	Bacterial conjunctivitis		Europe			5-02		
	Quixin 1.5%	Bacterial corneal ulcer		USA					
Levofloxacin + prednisolone A	DE-094	Infectious keratitis	Daiichi Pharmaceuticals	USA					

Characteristics: New quinolone antibacterial agent. The adoption of a more highly concentrated formulation enables stronger antibacterial action. Also expected to be effective for intractable bacterial corneal ulcers. In Europe, the treatment has obtained marketing authorization in 10 countries and launched it in four countries including Germany. Levofloxacin + prednisolone A is an ophthalmic combination solution of levofloxacin and steroid.

Generic name	Brand name/dev. code	Indication	Original/in-licensing	Region	Ph II Ph III NDA Filed Approved Launched				
Pemirolast potassium	Alegysal	Allergic conjunctivitis	Mitsubishi Pharma	Japan	4-95				
	Alamast			USA	7-00				
Alamast France 12-99									
Characterictics: A mast cell stabilizer with superior efficacy on allergic conjunctivitis and vernal keratoconjunctivitis.									

Generic name	Brand name/dev. code	Indication	Original/in-licensing	Region	Ph II Ph III NDA Filed Approved Launched
Sodium hyaluronate	Hyalein	Corneal and conjunc- tival epithelial disorders	Original	Japan	6-95
	Hyalein	Dry eye		USA	
	Hyalein	Dry eys		UK	

Characteristics: Ophthalmic solution containing sodium hyaluronate. Treats dry eye and corneal and conjunctivitis epithelial lesions caused by contact lenses, etc.

Generic name	Brand name/dev. code	Indication	Original/in-licensing	Region	Ph II Ph III NDA Filed Approved Launched
Indocvanine green	Ophthagreen for Intra-	Diagnosis of chorio-	Daiichi Pharmaceutical	Japan	8-02
indocyanine green	veneous Injection 25mg	retinal disease	Dancin Fhaimaceuticai	Japan	6-02

Characteristics: A fluorescebt contrast medium for the eyes. Unlike previous agents, the product can be used to diagnose sub-epithelial retinal pigment and hemorrhagic chorioretinal disorders.

Generic name	Brand name/dev. code	Indication	Original/in-licensing	Region	Ph II	Ph III	NDA Filed	Approved	Launched
Tiopronin	Thiola	Cystinuria	Original	Japan					7-02
Characteristics: An orphan drug and an additional indication for the metabolic improving and detoxicating agent. Thiola, First									

Characteristics: An orphan drug and an additional indication for the metabolic improving and detoxicating agent, Thiola. First cystinuria treatment in Japan. Santen has transferred the marketing of Thiola to Merck Hoei Ltd. as of August 1, 2002.

Generic name	Brand name/dev. code	Indication	Original/in-licensing	Region	Ph II	Ph III	NDA Filed	Approved	Launched
Cyclosporine	DE-076	Vernal keratoconjunctivitis	Licensed-in	Japan					

Characteristics: An orphan drug. Expected to treat advanced vernal keratoconjunctivitis for which existing anti-allergic agents are not effective. Because it is an ophthalmic solution, virtually no generalized side effects are noted.

Generic name	Brand name/dev. code	Indication	Original/in-licensing	Region	Ph II	Ph III N	DA Filed	Approved	Launched
Apafant	DE-081	Allergic conjunctivitis	Licensed-in	Japan					

Characteristics: A platelet active factor (PAF) antagonist. Controls the production and secretion of prostaglandins and other chemical mediators in inflammation or allergy. Expected to have an effect on congestion, edema and itching caused by allergic conjunctivitis. An ophthalmic solution with low irritation to the eye.

Generic name	Brand name/dev. code	Indication	Original/in-licensing	Region	Ph II	Ph III	NDA Filed	Approved	Launched
(Undetermined)	DE-085	Glaucoma and	Co-development	USA					
		ocular hypertension	with Asahi Glass	Japan					

Characteristics: Prostaglandin-based treatment for glaucoma to reduce ocular pressure. Clinical trials will be conducted in parallel in the U.S., Europe and Japan. Expected to have greater efficacy in reducing ocular pressure than other prostaglandin-based agents. Can be stored at room temperature.

Generic name	Brand name/dev. code	Indication	Original/in-licensing	Region	Ph II	Ph III	NDA Filed	Approved	Launched
Lomerizine HCL	DE-090	Glaucoma	Nippon Organon	Japan					

Characteristics: It has a calcium antagonizing activity. Currently sold by Nippon Organon as a migraine treatment. Expected to become a new type of treatment for glaucoma with excellent safety to suppress the progression of visual field disorder by improving ocular circulation. In oral administration tablets.



Major R&D collaborations

Compound	Indication	Contract date	Partner (country)	
INS365	Dry eye	12 98	Inspire Pharmaceuticals (USA)	

Characteristics: Facilitates secretion of lacrimal components and water from epithelial cells of conjunctiva and cornea through endogenous receptors in order to increase tears on conjunctiva and cornea while stabilizing tear film. Indicated for dry eye.

Compound	Indication	Contract date	Partner (country)
Lactoferrin	Dry eye	2 99	Agennix (USA)

Characteristics: Lactoferrin is a glycoprotein contained in tears, and has physiological activities. Expected to treat dry eye and corneal and conjunctival epithelial diseases associated with dry eye.

Compound	Indication	Contract date	Partner (country)	
ADL2-1294	Corneal pain	4 00	Adolor (USA)	

Characteristics: Because its lenitive action is through peripheral µ-opioid receptors, with no action on the central nervous system, it is expected to have no side effects such as delayed healing of the injury or corneal epithelial disorders, which are observed with existing ophthalmic local anesthetics.

Compound	Indication	Contract date	Partner (country)
Anti-APO-1 antibody	Rheumatoid arthritis	2 01	Centocor (USA)

Characteristics: Induces apoptosis by binding with APO-1 antigen on proliferated synovial cell to normalize the hyperplasia. Expected to treat rheumatoid arthritis.

Compound	Indication	Contract date	Partner (country)
DE-092 (CS-088)	Glaucoma	3 02	Sankyo (Japan)

Characteristics: Angiotensin II receptor antagonist developed by Sankyo. Expected to become a glaucoma treatment with unique anti-ocular hypertensive action not seen in any existing treatments.

Pipeline of medical devices

Product under development	Product name	Region		
Intraocular lens	MD-13	Japan		
Characteristics Fell-11 interest tentral resources and control Alexand to a fell-time				

Characteristics: Foldable intraocular lens using new new material. Already launched in Europe by Lenstec and STAAR Surgical.

Product under development	Product name	Region
Intraocular lens	MD-14	Japan and USA

Characteristics: Foldable intraocular lens using new material with high refractive index. Developed by Advanced Vision Science in the U.S.

Number of employees in R&D divisions

	1998.3	1999.3	2000.3	2001.3	2002.3
R&D personnel (consolidated)	303	314	370	404	482

Pharmaceutical market in Japan

Revision of National Health Insurance (NHI) drug prices

(%)

	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Industry average	-9.2	-	-8.1	-	-6.6	-	-6.8	-4.4	-9.7	-	-7.0	-	-6.3
Ophthalmic drugs	-	-	-0.6	-	-1.6	-	-3.5	-1.8	-7.5	-	-6.2	-	-6.0
Santen	-3.0	-	0.9	-	-0.4	-	-2.6	-1.3	-7.2	-	-5.7	-	-6.0

(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

	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 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 (Pl	2003 anned)	Increased contribution for insured employees (20% to 30%)



Market shares (Billions of yen)

Half year/year to	9/2000	3/2001	9/2001	3/2002	9/2002
Prescription ophthalmics	43.9%	42.9%	42.3%	40.3%	40.3%
	93.0	189.4	96.5	197.1	97.1
Anti-rheumatic drugs	28.2%	28.5%	29.9%	30.2%	29.9%
	14.1	28.1	14.6	28.9	14.9

(Source: Santen estimation)

Note: The market shares are on an NHI drug price basis. Lower figures indicate market size.

Market shares by therapeutic area - prescription ophthalmics

(Billions of yen)

Half year/year to	9/2000	3/2001	9/2001	3/2002	9/2002
Anti-glaucoma	19.8%	19.1%	17.6%	17.6%	17.5%
	29.7	60.2	32.8	66.1	35.0
Anti-infective	80.1%	80.8%	82.0%	81.8%	81.0%
	16.4	31.0	16.1	30.2	14.9
Anti-allergy	29.7%	29.2%	24.4%	18.2%	16.9%
	10.8	26.8	10.3	26.5	9.3
Agents for surgeries	42.5%	41.9%	41.7%	41.0%	40.1%
	8.1	16.0	8.0	16.0	7.7
Corneal disease treatments	89.8%	89.3%	88.9%	89.0%	86.9%
	7.4	15.3	8.4	17.2	9.3
Anti-cataract	46.1%	47.0%	49.2%	50.1%	52.7%
	4.0	7.9	4.0	7.7	4.0
Corticosteroids	56.2%	56.2%	55.9%	56.0%	53.3%
	6.5	12.7	6.2	12.5	5.8

(Source: Santen estimation)

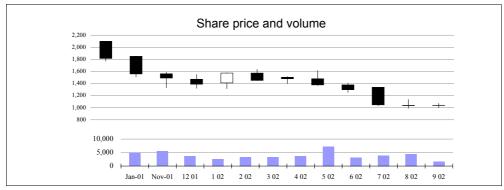
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Stock information

Stock price (Osaka Securities Exchange 1st market)

(Yen and thousand shares)

	Jan-01	Nov-01	12 01	1 02	2 02	3 02	4 02	5 02	6 02	7 02	8 02	9 02
Share price:												
Open	2,100	1,850	1,561	1,471	1,411	1,573	1,504	1,480	1,378	1,338	1,040	1,038
High	2,100	1,856	1,590	1,550	1,580	1,635	1,515	1,615	1,409	1,342	1,136	1,071
Low	1,770	1,510	1,330	1,320	1,314	1,450	1,399	1,366	1,253	1,029	991	999
End of month	1,816	1,559	1,491	1,390	1,573	1,452	1,480	1,378	1,298	1,048	1,037	1,041
Volume	4,912	5,492	3,663	2,591	3,307	3,272	3,736	7,306	3,209	3,962	4,383	1,728



Major shareholders

As of September 30, 2002

Name	Number of	Percentage of
rvanie	shares Held	voting rights
Nigotham Touch Canana and AVIVI Sada and and	Thousand shares	%
Northern Trust Company AVFC Sub-account	9,510	10.5
American Clients	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	10.5
Japan Trustee Service Bank, Ltd.	6,544	7.2
Mita Sangyo Co., Ltd.	4,756	5.2
UFJ Trust and Banking Co., Ltd.	4,467	4.9
Nippon Life Insurance Company	4,211	4.6
UFJ Bank Limited	3,861	4.3
The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi, Ltd.	3,724	4.1
The Tokio Marine and Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	2,668	2.9
Euroclear Bank S.A./N.V.	2,278	2.5
Trust and Custody Services Bank, Ltd.	1,968	2.2

Shares, convertible bonds and stock option

At half-year/year end	3/1999	3/2000	3/2001	9/2002
Number of shares outstanding (thousand shares)	95,075	95,075	92,721	90,704
Third Unsecured Convertible Bonds -balance (millions of yen)	19,945	19,945	19,945	19,945
Stock option balance (thousand shares)	106	172	199	335
Granted in June 1998 - 106 thousand shares at 1,540 yen/share	106	106	73	62
Granted in June 1999 - 66 thousand shares at 2,480 yen/share	-	66	66	66
Granted in June 2000 - 60 thousand shares at 2,705 yen/share	-	-	60	60
Granted in June 2001 - 55 thousand shares at 2,299 yen/share	-	-	-	55
Granted in June 2002 - 92 thousand shares at 1,326 yen/share	-	-	-	92

Note: 1 The company repurchased and retired 2,378 thousand shares in March 2001 and 2,027 thousand shares in March 2002.

(Launch) September 12, 1996 (Maturing) September 30, 2003

(Total amount) 20 billion yen (Coupon rate) 0.8% (Convertible price) 2,171.80 yen/share

² Details of the Third Unsecured Convertible Bonds:

³ The company has a stock-based compensation plans under which stock options are granted to directors and corporate officers.

The grants are fully exercisable after two years.



Breakdown of shareholding by number of shares

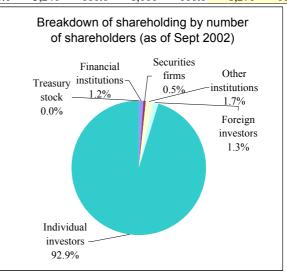
At half-year/year end	9/2000		3/20	3/2001		9/2001		3/2002		002
	Thousand shares	Proportion (%)								
Financial institutions	52,150	54.9	52,429	56.5	48,486	52.3	41,005	45.2	38,284	42.2
City & regional banks	16,611	17.5	11,581	12.5	10,713	11.6	9,054	9.9	8,846	9.8
Trust banks	25,158	26.5	29,651	32.0	25,902	27.9	20,641	22.8	18,339	20.2
(concerned in trust we	22,024		26,824		23,115		18,429		15,609	
Life and non-life insura	10,265	10.8	11,136	12.0	11,804	12.7	11,033	12.2	10,527	11.6
Other financial institution	116	0.1	61	0.1	67	0.1	276	0.3	571	0.6
Securities firms	588	0.6	385	0.5	437	0.5	646	0.7	343	0.4
Other institutions	11,264	11.8	10,398	11.2	10,295	11.1	10,300	11.4	10,277	11.3
Foreign investors	17,444	18.4	15,868	17.1	19,666	21.2	23,675	26.1	24,288	26.8
Individual investors	13,609	14.3	13,624	14.7	13,826	14.9	15,073	16.6	17,492	19.3
Treasury stock	42	0.0	18	0.0	-	-	2	0.0	18	0.0
Total	95,097	100.0	92,721	100.0	92,711	100.0	90,704	100.0	90,704	100.0

Note: Trading unit for Santen shares were reduced to 100 shares from 1,000 shares effective August 1, 2002

Breakdown of shareholding by number of shareholders

At half-year/year end	9/2000		3/20	3/2001		9/2001		3/2002		9/2002	
	Number of	Propor-									
	shareholders	tion (%)									
Financial institutions	104	2.2	108	2.2	105	2.0	107	1.8	97	1.2	
City & regional banks	16	0.4	15	0.3	15	0.3	13	0.2	10	0.1	
Trust banks	52	1.1	57	1.2	54	1.0	60	1.0	53	0.7	
Life and non-life insura	30	0.6	32	0.6	30	0.6	28	0.5	26	0.3	
Other financial institution	6	0.1	4	0.1	6	0.1	6	0.1	8	0.1	
Securities firms	24	0.5	22	0.5	21	0.4	35	0.6	40	0.5	
Other institutions	138	2.9	132	2.7	131	2.5	137	2.3	139	1.7	
Foreign investors	172	3.6	162	3.4	167	3.2	148	2.4	110	1.3	
Individual investors	4,308	90.8	4,387	91.2	4,816	91.9	5,583	92.9	7,883	95.3	
Treasury stock	1	0.0	1	0.0	1	0.0	1	0.0	1	0.0	
Total	4,747	100.0	4,812	100.0	5,241	100.0	6,011	100.0	8,270	100.0	





News releases

News releases during April 2002-September 2002

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

(Date) (Summary)

10 4 Construction Work on Second Building of the Shiga Plant Completed

Construction work on the second building of Santen's Shiga Plant (Shiga Prefecture, Japan), which we started in July 2001, has been completed. Employing the latest manufacturing technology and know-how, this facility for producing prescription eye drops will provide production capacity for stable product supply and enhance cost competitiveness.

11 4 Santen Receives Manufacturing Approval for Ophthagreen for Intravenous Injection 25mg

Santen received manufacturing approval for Ophthagreen for Intravenous Injection 25mg (generic name: indocyanine green), a diagnostic for chorioretinal disease, in Japan. The product is used for the diagnosis of various fundic diseases, including exudative age-related macular degeneration.

015 Management Change in U.S. Subsidiary, Santen Incorporated

Ichiro Otokozawa, Corporate Officer and Head of Corporate Development & Administration Division, Santen Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd., stepped down from the position of Executive President (concurrent) of Santen Incorporated ("the Company"), and Dr. Adrienne Graves, the Company's former Head of Global Development, was designated as the new Executive President.

13 5 Notice Regarding Share Buyback

Santen's Board of Directors resolved the buyback of its common stock with par value up to 5,000,000 shares and 7,500 million yen. This was approved in the 90th Annual General Meeting of Shareholders held on June 26, 2002.

28 5 Santen Agrees with Koken Concerning Marketing of KK-951

Santen entered into an agreement with Koken Co, Ltd. concerning the marketing of Koken's KK-951, a lacrimal canaliculus closing material for the treatment of dry eye syndrome. The agreement allows Santen to exclusively market KK-951 in Japan.

28 5 Notice Regarding Stock Option (Warrant)

Santen's Board of Directors resolved that a proposal be presented for approval in the 90th Annual General Meeting of Shareholders to implement a stock warrant program to grant stock options to a total of 14 persons including Santen's Directors, Corporate Officers and Directors of overseas subsidiaries. This was approved in the 90th Annual General Meeting of Shareholders held on June 26, 2002.

28 5 Santen Revises Trading Unit of Company Stock

Santen resolved to revise the trading unit of company stock to 100 shares from 1000 shares, effective August 1, 2002.

01 7 Santen to Transfer Marketing of THIOLA Tablets 100 to Merck Hoei

Santen concluded an agreement with Merck Hoei Ltd. on the transfer of marketing of Santen's THIOLA Tablets 100, a metabolic improving and detoxifying agent, to Merck Hoei, effective August 1, 2002.



(Date) (Summary)

05 7 Change of Principal Shareholder

Santen announced that there was change of the Company's "principal shareholder," as stipulated by the Tokyo Stock Exchange as a shareholder with 10 percent or more shares in a company's total number of voting rights, as of June 25, 2002. The purchase of Santen shares by Silchester International Investors Limited has resulted in a change of Santen's "principal shareholder" with Silchester holding 9,268 or 10.34 percent voting rights (shareholder ranking: 1st).

08 7 Santen's THIOLA Tablets 100 Obtains Additional Indication of Treating Cystinuria

The Japanese Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare approved the additional indication of treating cystinuria for Santen's metabolic improving and detoxifying agent, THIOLA Tablets 100

19 7 Santen Launches OTC Eye Drops SANTE 40V

Santen launched SANTE 40V, OTC eye drops, in Japan on July 23. SANTE 40V relieves blurred vision and eyestrain and is a nutrition-fortified version of the existing SANTE 40 series.

21 8 Santen Launches Ophthagreen for Intravenous Injection 25mg

Santen launched Ophthagreen for Intravenous Injection 25mg (generic name: indocyanine green), a diagnostic for chorioretinal disease, in Japan on August 22. The product is used for the diagnosis of various fundic diseases, including exudative age-related macular degeneration.

23 8 Santen Launches OTC Eye Drops SANTE 40

Santen launched SANTE 40, OTC eye drops, in Japan on August 26. SANTE 40 is a new version of SANTE 40NE and SANTE 40EA, which have been used by Japanese consumers for many years as a treatment for blurred vision and eyestrain.

17.9 Santen Introduces Dimple Bottle for Prescription Eye Drops

Santen has developed a new type of bottle called Dimple Bottle for its prescription eye drops products in Japan. While maintaining the advantages of Santen's conventional bottles, Dimple Bottle is more distinguishable and easy-to-handle. Santen will replace the bottles of its prescription eye drops with Dimple Bottles starting with the anti-inflammatory PRORANON Ophthalmic Solution in October 2002.

309 Revision of Performance Forecasts

Santen revised its performance forecasts for the six months ending September 30, 2002 and the year ending March 31, 2003, which it announced on May 13, 2002. The revision was due to higher-than-expected net sales, decreased selling, general and administrative expenses, and an extraordinary loss of 2,205 million yen during the first half of the current fiscal year, associated with a special premium payment incurred upon the secession of Santen and its wholly owned subsidiary Santen Distribution Co., Ltd. from a composite pension fund (Osaka Pharmaceutical Industry Pension Fund).

