# FY4/24 2Q IR PRESENTATION 

AIN HOLDINGS INC.<br>December 2023

Results Overview

## Consolidated P/L

Net sales increased $13.2 \%$ YoY and $5.6 \%$ against the plan due to favorable performance in both dispensing pharmacy business and cosmetic and drag store business. Ordinary profit increased 28.2\% YoY and $45.4 \%$ against the plan due to increase of sales.

| ( $¥$ million) | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{FY} 4 / 232 \mathrm{Q} \\ \text { results } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{FY} 4 / 242 \mathrm{Q} \\ \text { plan } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{FY} 4 / 242 \mathrm{Q} \\ & \text { results } \end{aligned}$ | YoY change | YoY change(\%) | $\begin{gathered} \text { Vs } \\ \text { plan (\%) } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | 171,204 | 183,459 | 193,727 | +22,523 | +13.2 | +5.6 |
| Gross profit | 24,989 | 25,546 | 27,767 | +2,778 | +11.1 | +8.7 |
| \% of net sales | 14.6 | 13.9 | 14.3 |  |  |  |
| SG\&A expenses | 18,202 | 19,459 | 19,017 | +815 | $+4.5$ | (2.3) |
| \% of net sales | 10.6 | 10.6 | 9.8 |  |  |  |
| Operating profit | 6,786 | 6,087 | 8,749 | +1,963 | +28.9 | $+43.7$ |
| \% of net sales | 4.0 | 3.3 | 4.5 |  |  |  |
| Ordinary profit | 7,285 | 6,421 | 9,338 | +2,053 | +28.2 | +45.4 |
| \% of net sales | 4.3 | 3.5 | 4.8 |  |  |  |
| Profit attributable to owners of parent | 3,805 | 3,185 | 5,257 | +1,452 | +38.2 | +65.1 |
| \% of net sales | 2.2 | 1.7 | 2.7 |  |  |  |
| Earnings per share( $¥$ ) | 108.32 | 90.66 | 149.66 | +41.34 | +38.2 | +65.1 |

- Figures in the table are rounded down

FY4/23 2Q: Reflect finalized figures of provisional accounting treatment related to business combination

## Dispensing Pharmacy Business (Consolidated)

Net sales increased $13.0 \%$ YoY and $5.4 \%$ against the plan due to rise in prescription numbers and average price because of improvements in the capabilities of primary care functions in addition to the easing of restrictions on outpatient visits and an early seasonal rise in influenza infections. Segment profit increased $16.0 \%$ YoY and $20.1 \%$ against the plan due to increase of sales.

| million) | $\mathrm{FY} 4 / 232 \mathrm{C}$ results | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{FY} 4 / 242 \mathrm{Q} \\ \text { plan } \end{gathered}$ | FY4/24 2Q results | $\begin{gathered} \text { Yor } \\ \text { change } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { choy } \\ \text { change(\%) } \end{gathered}$ | $\mathrm{v}_{\text {plan }}^{\text {(\%) }}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | 153,248 | 164,380 | 173,234 | +19,986 | +13.0 | +5.4 |
| Gross profit | 18,338 | 18,400 | 20,144 | +1,806 | +9.8 | +9.5 |
| \% of net sales | 12.0 | 11.2 | 11.6 |  |  |  |
| SG\&A expenses | 8,001 | 8,340 | 8,204 | +203 | +2.5 | (1.6) |
| \% of net sales | 5.2 | 5.1 | 4.7 |  |  |  |
| Operating profit | 10,336 | 10,060 | 11,939 | +1,603 | +15.5 | +18.7 |
| \% of net sales | 6.7 | 6.1 | 6.9 |  |  |  |
| Segment profit | 10,771 | 10,400 | 12,492 | +1,721 | +16.0 | +20.1 |
| \% of net sales | 7.0 | 6.3 | 7.2 |  |  |  |
| Number of pharmacies | 1,209 | 1,224 | 1,217 | +8 | +0.7 | (0.6) |

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## Cosmetic and Drug Store Business (Consolidated)

Net sales up $21.5 \%$ YoY and $10.4 \%$ against the plan due to recovery in mobility and a change in customer buying habits to cosmetics. Segment profit increased 277.7\% YoY and 139.6\% against the plan due to increase of sales.

| ( $¥$ million) | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{FY} 4 / 232 \mathrm{Q} \\ & \text { results } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{FY} 4 / 242 \mathrm{Q} \\ \text { plan } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{FY} 4 / 242 \mathrm{Q} \\ & \text { results } \end{aligned}$ | YoY change | YoY change(\%) | $\begin{gathered} \text { Vs } \\ \text { plan (\%) } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | 12,205 | 13,438 | 14,832 | +2,627 | +21.5 | +10.4 |
| Gross profit | 4,562 | 5,101 | 5,674 | +1,112 | +24.4 | +11.2 |
| \% of net sales | 37.4 | 38.0 | 38.3 |  |  |  |
| SG\&A expenses | 4,244 | 4,551 | 4,363 | +119 | +2.8 | (4.1) |
| \% of net sales | 34.8 | 33.9 | 29.4 |  |  |  |
| Operating profit | 317 | 550 | 1,311 | +994 | +313.6 | +138.4 |
| \% of net sales | 2.6 | 4.1 | 8.8 |  |  |  |
| Segment profit | 349 | 550 | 1,318 | +969 | $+277.7$ | +139.6 |
| \% of net sales | 2.9 | 4.1 | 8.9 |  |  |  |
| Number of stores | 78 | 80 | 78 | - | 0.0 | (2.5) |

Figures in the table are rounded down

## Consolidated B/S

Net cash became $¥ 43,578$ million and shareholders' equity ratio became $53.4 \%$. We are maintaining a sound financial structure.

| End-FY4/23 |  |  | ( $¥$ million) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Assets |  | Liabilities and Net Assets |  |
| Current assets <br> Cash and deposits | $\begin{array}{r} 98,305 \\ 46,796 \end{array}$ | Current liabilities Short-term borrowings | $\begin{array}{r} 92,986 \\ 3,670 \end{array}$ |
| Non-current assets Goodwill | $\begin{array}{r} 133,444 \\ 46,443 \end{array}$ | Non-current liabilities Long-term borrowings | $\begin{array}{r} 12,218 \\ 5,021 \end{array}$ |
| Deferred assets | - | Total net assets | 126,546 |
| Total assets | 231,750 | Total liabilities and net assets | 231,750 |


| Net cash | 37,804 |
| :--- | ---: |
| Shareholders' equity <br> ratio(\%) | 54.6 |

End-FY4/24 2Q

| Assets |  | Liabilities and | Net Assets |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Current assets <br> Cash and deposits | $\begin{array}{r} 108,214 \\ 50,518 \end{array}$ | Current liabilities Short-term borrowings | $\begin{array}{r} 102,718 \\ 3,643 \end{array}$ |
| Non-current assets Goodwill | $\begin{array}{r} 134,708 \\ 44,634 \end{array}$ | Non-current liabilities Long-term borrowings | $\begin{array}{r} 10,359 \\ 2,996 \end{array}$ |
| Deferred assets | - | Total net assets | 129,844 |
| Total assets | 242,922 | Total liabilities and net assets | 242,922 |
| Net cash |  |  | 43,578 |
| Shareholders' equity ratio(\%) |  |  | 53.4 |

Figures in the table are rounded down
Net cash = Cash and deposits - Interest-bearing debt

## Assets

The balance of total assets increased $¥ 11,172$ million from the end of the previous fiscal year because of increase in merchandise due to a rise in inventories of COVID-19 treatments, and an increase in buildings and structures due to the new store openings.

| ( $¥$ million) | End-FY4/23 2Q | End-FY4/23 | End-FY4/24 2Q | Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Cash and deposits | 46,723 | 46,796 | 50,518 | +3,722 |
| Accounts receivable - trade | 12,147 | 13,249 | 13,643 | +394 |
| Inventories | 21,440 | 21,586 | 24,855 | +3,269 |
| Total current assets | 98,288 | 98,305 | 108,214 | +9,909 |
| Buildings and structures, net | 19,983 | 21,407 | 23,624 | +2,217 |
| Land | 10,585 | 10,602 | 10,313 | (289) |
| Total property, plant and equipment | 36,903 | 39,459 | 40,677 | +1,218 |
| Goodwill | 48,491 | 46,443 | 44,634 | $(1,809)$ |
| Total intangible assets | 53,820 | 52,343 | 50,976 | $(1,367)$ |
| Investments securities | 2,811 | 2,720 | 2,900 | +180 |
| Deferred tax assets | 6,124 | 5,990 | 6,046 | +56 |
| Leasehold and guarantee deposits | 23,070 | 24,507 | 25,213 | +706 |
| Total investments and other assets | 42,287 | 41,641 | 43,054 | +1,413 |
| Total non-current assets | 133,011 | 133,444 | 134,708 | +1,264 |
| Total deferred assets | - | - | - | - |
| Total assets | 231,299 | 231,750 | 242,922 | +11,172 |
| Figures in the table are rounded down $>$ Change:End-FY4/24 2Q compared with End-FY4/23 <br> Capital expenditures (Property, plant and equipment and intangible assets + Leasehold and guarantee deposits) totaled $¥ 6,196$ million <br> End-FY4/23 2Q: Reflect finalized figures of provisional accounting treatment related to business combination <br> © 2023 AIN HOLDINGS INC. All Rights Reserved. |  |  |  |  |

## Liabilities and Net Assets

Accounts payable increased $¥ 7,858$ million due to increase in pharmaceutical inventories and new store openings. Short-term and long-term borrowings decreased $¥ 2,052$ million due to repayment of loans payable.

| ( $¥$ million) | End-FY4/23 2Q | End-FY4/23 | End-FY4/24 2Q | Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Accounts payable - trade | 60,719 | 58,698 | 66,556 | +7,858 |
| Short-term borrowings | 3,776 | 3,670 | 3,643 | (27) |
| Total current liabilities | 93,309 | 92,986 | 102,718 | +9,732 |
| Long-term borrowings | 10,038 | 5,021 | 2,996 | $(2,025)$ |
| Total non-current liabilities | 17,120 | 12,218 | 10,359 | $(1,859)$ |
| Total liabilities | 110,429 | 105,204 | 113,078 | +7,874 |
| Share capital | 21,894 | 21,894 | 21,894 |  |
| Capital surplus | 20,504 | 20,504 | 20,499 | (5) |
| Retained earnings | 80,534 | 85,963 | 89,113 | +3,150 |
| Total shareholders' equity | 120,933 | 126,362 | 129,524 | +3,162 |
| Total net assets | 120,869 | 126,546 | 129,844 | +3,298 |
| Total liabilities and net assets | 231,299 | 231,750 | 242,922 | +11,172 |

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## Consolidated C/F

Net cash provided by operating activities was $¥ 14,094$ million due to increase in profits in both businesses. Because of that, cash and cash equivalents at end of the period increased $¥ 6,766$ million from the previous year. The company maintained ample cash.

| ( $¥$ million) | FY4/23 2Q | $\mathrm{FY} 4 / 242 \mathrm{Q}$ | Change |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Net cash provided by operating activities | $\mathbf{8 , 4 5 6}$ | $\mathbf{1 4 , 0 9 4}$ | $\mathbf{+ 5 , 6 3 8}$ |
| Profit before income taxes | 7,167 | 9,427 | $+2,260$ |
| Depreciation | 2,567 | 2,929 | +362 |
| Amortization of goodwill | 2,117 | 2,177 | +60 |
| Decrease (increase) in trade receivables | 1,694 | $(286)$ | $(1,980)$ |
| Decrease (increase) in inventories | $(4,890)$ | $(3,232)$ | $+1,658$ |
| Decrease (increase) in accounts receivable - other | $(1,659)$ | $(3,557)$ | $(1,898)$ |
| Increase (decrease) in trade payables | 5,255 | 7,759 | $+2,504$ |
| Net cash provided by investing activities | $\mathbf{( 1 8 , 6 1 7 )}$ | $\mathbf{( 5 , 7 9 3 )}$ | $\mathbf{+ 1 2 , 8 2 4}$ |
| Purchase of property, plant and equipment and <br> intangible assets | $(5,680)$ | $(5,320)$ | +360 |
| Purchase of shares of subsidiaries resulting in <br> change in scope of consolidation | $(14,602)$ | $(295)$ | $+14,307$ |
| Net cash provided by financing activities | $\mathbf{( 5 , 7 9 3 )}$ | $\mathbf{( 4 , 2 3 7 )}$ | $\mathbf{+ 1 , 5 5 6}$ |
| Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents | $(15,955)$ | $\mathbf{4 , 0 6 3}$ | $\mathbf{+ 2 0 , 0 1 8}$ |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of the period | $\mathbf{4 3 , 5 1 4}$ | $\mathbf{5 0 , 2 8 0}$ | $\mathbf{+ 6 , 7 6 6}$ |

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## Business Value Analysis

|  | FY4/23 2Q | FY4/23 | FY4/24 2Q | Change |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Shareholders' equity ratio (\%) | 52.2 | 54.6 | 53.4 | +1.2 |
| Market value equity ratio (\%) | 94.9 | 85.5 | 61.3 | $(33.6)$ |
| PER (times) | 28.85 | 21.46 | 14.17 | $(14.68)$ |
| EPS ( $¥$ ) | 108.32 | 262.87 | 149.66 | +41.34 |
| PBR (times) | 1.83 | 1.58 | 1.16 | $(0.67)$ |
| BPS ( $¥$ ) | $3,438.40$ | $3,599.47$ | $3,693.46$ | +255.06 |
| ROA (\%) | 1.7 | 4.2 | 2.2 | +0.5 |
| ROE (\%) | 3.2 | 7.5 | 4.1 | +0.9 |
| EBITDA ( $¥$ million) | 11,471 | 25,843 | 13,855 | $+2,384$ |
| EV/EBITDA (times) | 16.60 | 6.34 | 7.89 | $(8.71)$ |
| Net D/E ratio (times) | $(0.27)$ | $(0.30)$ | $(0.34)$ | $(0.07)$ |
| Net cash (¥ million) | 32,608 | 37,804 | 43,578 | $+10,970$ |
| Shareholders' value ( $¥$ million) | 222,986 | 201,720 | 152,906 | $(70,080)$ |
| Market capitalization ( $¥$ million) | 219,562 | 198,133 | 149,032 | $(70,530)$ |

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$\rightarrow$ Net D/E ratio $=$ Net interest-bearing debt (Interest-bearing debt - Cash and deposits) / Shareholders' equity
- Net cash = Cash and deposits- Interest-bearing debt
- Shareholders' value $=$ EV - Net interest-bearing debt
- Market capitalization : Treasury shares is excepted
$\rightarrow$ Share prices used to calculate market capitalization:
End-FY4/23 2Q $¥ 6,250$ (End-Oct, 2022), End-FY4/23 $¥ 5,640$ (End-Apr, 2023), End-FY4/24 2Q $¥ 4,242$ (End-Oct, 2023).
$\rightarrow$ End-FY4/23 2Q: Reflect finalized figures of provisional accounting treatment related to business combination


## FY4/24 Revised Plan (Consolidated)

The group forecasts net sales for the fiscal year ending April 30, 2024 increase $8.8 \%$ YoY and ordinary profit increase $13.3 \%$ YoY due to new store openings of 41 stores for dispensing pharmacy business and 6 stores for cosmetic and drug store business.

| ( $¥$ million) | FY4/22 results | FY4/23 results | FY4/24 revised plan | YoY Change | $\begin{gathered} \text { YoY } \\ \text { change (\%) } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | 316,247 | 358,742 | 390,263 | 31,521 | $+8.8$ |
| Gross profit | 49,971 | 53,698 | 58,106 | 4,408 | +8.2 |
| \% of net sales | 15.8 | 15.0 | 14.9 |  |  |
| SG\&A expenses | 34,832 | 37,694 | 39,656 | 1,962 | $+5.2$ |
| \% of net sales | 11.0 | 10.5 | 10.2 |  |  |
| Operating profit | 15,139 | 16,004 | 18,450 | 2,446 | $+15.3$ |
| \% of net sales | 4.8 | 4.5 | 4.7 |  |  |
| Ordinary profit | 16,041 | 17,064 | 19,340 | 2,276 | +13.3 |
| \% of net sales | 5.1 | 4.8 | 5.0 |  |  |
| Profit attributable to owners of parent | 7,092 | 9,234 | 10,000 | 766 | +8.3 |
| \% of net sales | 2.2 | 2.6 | 2.6 |  |  |
| Earnings per share $(\neq)$ | 201.47 | 262.87 | 284.64 | 21.77 | +8.3 |
| Annual dividend ( $¥$ ) | 55.00 | 60.00 | 60.00 | - | 0.0 |

$\Rightarrow$ Figures in the table are rounded down

## Review

## Review (YoY)

Ordinary profit increased $¥ 2.1$ billion due to increase of net sales in dispensing pharmacy business and cosmetic and drug store business.

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Net sales
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## Ordinary profit



## Review (Plan)

Ordinary profit increased $¥ 2.9$ billion due to increase of net sales in dispensing pharmacy business and cosmetic and drug store business.

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Net sales
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## Ordinary profit

| ¥6.4 billion $\rightarrow$ ¥ 9.3 billion |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { + } ¥ 2.9 \text { billion } \\ & +45.4 \% \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | ■ Dispensing |
|  | Dispensing | Pharmacy Increase of gross profit, etc. |
| Dispensing | Pharmacy | $¥ 2.0$ billion |
| Pharmacy | $¥ 12.4$ billion | Cosmetic and Drug store, |
| $¥ 10.4$ billion |  |  |
| Casmeitemad anu sion | Cosmetic and Drug Store $\neq 1.3$ billion | gross profit, etc. $+¥ 0.8$ billion |
| Administrative expense, etc. $\neq(4.5)$ billion | Administrative expense, etc. $\neq(4.4)$ billion |  |
|  |  | Administrative expense, etc. |
| FY4/24 plan | FY4/24 | + $¥ 0.1$ billion |

[^0]Revised plan

## FY4/24 Revised Plan (Dispensing Pharmacy Business)

The group revised the full-year consolidated financial forecasts because net sales of same stores and stores openings in the previous year expected to increase. Net sales were revised to $¥ 349,100$ million, increased $8.6 \%$ YoY and $3.9 \%$ against the initial plan. Segment profit was revised to $¥ 26,390$ million, increased $9.3 \%$ YoY and $8.7 \%$ against the initial plan.

|  | FY4/23 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| results |  |$\quad$| FY4/24 |
| :---: |
| initial plan |$\quad$| FY4/24 |
| :---: |
| revised plan | Change(\%) | Vs initial plan |
| :---: |
| change (\%) |

[^1]
## FY4/24 Revised Plan (Cosmetic and Drug Store Business)

The group revised the full-year consolidated financial forecasts because net sales expected to increase due to firm amid a recovery in mobility of customer numbers for same stores. Net sales were revised to $¥ 29,500$ million, increased $14.9 \%$ YoY and $8.2 \%$ against the initial plan. Segment profit was revised to $¥ 2,410$ million, increased $98.5 \%$ YoY and $75.9 \%$ against the initial plan.

|  | FY4/23 <br> results | FY4/24 <br> initial plan | FY4/24 <br> revised plan | YoY <br> Change(\%) | Vs initial plan <br> change (\%) |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| $(\neq$ million) |  |  |  |  |  |

Figures in the table are rounded down

## FY4/24 Revised Plan (Consolidated)

The group revised the full-year consolidated financial forecasts because net sales expected to increase in both dispensing pharmacy business and cosmetic and drag store business. Net sales revised to $¥ 390,263$ million and increased $8.8 \%$ YoY and $4.1 \%$ against the initial plan. Ordinary profit revised to $¥ 19,340$ million and increased $13.3 \%$ YoY and $18.6 \%$ against the initial plan.

| ( $¥$ million) | FY4/23 results | FY4/24 <br> initial plan | FY4/24 <br> revised plan | YoY Change(\%) | Vs initial plan change (\%) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | 358,742 | 375,000 | 390,263 | +8.8 | +4.1 |
| Gross profit | 53,698 | 55,413 | 58,106 | +8.2 | +4.9 |
| \% of net sales | 15.0 | 14.8 | 14.9 |  |  |
| SG\&A expenses | 37,694 | 39,750 | 39,656 | +5.2 | (0.2) |
| \% of net sales | 10.5 | 10.6 | 10.2 |  |  |
| Operating profit | 16,004 | 15,663 | 18,450 | +15.3 | +17.8 |
| \% of net sales | 4.5 | 4.2 | 4.7 |  |  |
| Ordinary profit | 17,064 | 16,302 | 19,340 | +13.3 | +18.6 |
| \% of net sales | 4.8 | 4.3 | 5.0 |  |  |
| Profit attributable to owners of parent | 9,234 | 8,250 | 10,000 | +8.3 | +21.2 |
| \% of net sales | 2.6 | 2.2 | 2.6 |  |  |
| Earnings per share ( $¥$ ) | 262.87 | 234.84 | 284.64 | +8.3 | +21.2 |
| Annual dividend ( $¥$ ) | 60.00 | 60.00 | 60.00 | 0.0 | 0.0 |

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## Strategy

## Strategy

## Expansion of top-line

■ Dispensing Pharmacy
■ Cosmetic and Drug Store

Plan to open 41 pharmacies (Organic 21, M\&A 20)
Plan to open 6 stores

## Recruiting and training of human resources

■ Planning to hire 600 newly graduated pharmacists and 620 medical support staff
■ Make field manager system and supervisor system more established
■Training of human resources

## Reinforcing the Group's business base

■ Improving the customer services by promoting digital transformation, such as official apps
$\square$ Promoting sustainable management

## Expansion of AINZ\&TULPE

$■$ Opening stores in prime locations and medium and long term store opening strategy

## Expansion of top-line

■ Dispensing Pharmacy

- Cosmetic and Drug Store

Plan to open 41 pharmacies (Organic 21, M\&A 20)
Plan to open 6 stores


Dispensing Pharmacies: Cosmetic and drug stores

## Expansion of top-line

- Dispensing Pharmacy

Plan to open 41 pharmacies (Organic 21, M\&A 20)
■ Cosmetic and Drug Store
Plan to open 6 stores

■ Plan and Results
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|  | FY4/24 2Q |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Plan | Results |
| armacy | 19 | 15 |
|  | 10 | 9 |
|  | 9 | 6 |
| drug store | 2 | 2 |
| tal | 21 | 17 |


| FY4/24 |
| :---: |
| Revised Plan |
| $\mathbf{4 1}$ |
| 21 |
| 20 |
| $\mathbf{6}$ |
| $\mathbf{4 7}$ |


|  | Dispensing Pharmacy | 4 | 7 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Cosmetic and drug store | 1 | 2 |
|  | Total | $\mathbf{5}$ | $\mathbf{9}$ |


| 10 |
| :---: |
| 2 |

- Transition of dispensing pharmacies

|  | $F Y 4 / 18$ | $F Y 4 / 19$ | $F Y 4 / 20$ | $F Y 4 / 21$ | $F Y 4 / 22$ | $F Y 4 / 23$ | $F Y 4 / 24$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Organic | 25 | 23 | 14 | 15 | 25 | 27 | 9 |
| M\&A | 11 | 134 | 6 | 14 | 24 | 114 | 6 |
| EV/EBITDA ratio | 3.96 | 4.88 | 3.71 | 3.74 | 4.13 | 6.55 | 3.08 |
| Closed | 73 | 54 | 64 | 52 | 15 | 31 | 7 |
| Sold | 32 | 30 | 42 | 34 | 5 | 7 | 2 |
| No. of total stores | 1,029 | 1,132 | 1,088 | 1,065 | 1,099 | 1,209 | 1,217 |
| EV/EBITDA ratio=EV(Purchase price)/EBITDA(Operating profit + Depreciation) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Recruiting and training of human resources

■ Planning to hire 600 newly graduated pharmacists and 620 medical support staff
$■$ Make field manager system and supervisor system more established

- Training of human resources

In April 2023, new 543 pharmacists has joined our group. We aim to hire, new 600 pharmacists in fiscal 2024. As of April 30,2023, the group has 6,331 pharmacists out of 14,147 employees.


## Reinforcing the Group's business base

$■$ Improving the customer services by promoting digital transformation, such as official apps
■ Promoting Sustainable Management

We aim to establish a competitive advantage in the sector by reinforcing our business base and increasing profitability through digital transformation, responding to deregulation and advanced technology, and providing added value that is unique to the AIN Group.


## Deregulation

- Online pharmaceutical guidance
- Online eligibility checks
(online checks of health insurance cards)
- Digital drug prescriptions
- Repeat prescriptions


## Respond to deregulation

Dispensing Pharmacy

## Business

- Reinforce customer information security
- Leverage official AIN Pharmacy app -Anytime AIN Pharmacy
- Provide online pharmaceutical guidance service via all pharmacies
- Respond to digital prescriptions and online eligibility checks via all pharmacies
- Strengthen cooperation with hospitals, local communities


## Technological innovation

- Deliveries using drones and robots
- Use of AI and big data

Provide added value

## Dispensing Pharmacy

 Business- Integrated management of patient data
- Leverage digital patient medication notebook app
- Provide 24-hour advice for customers (AI chatbot + pharmacists)
- Utilize digital devices for home-based dispensing service


## Cosmetic and Drug Store <br> Business

- Leverage official AINZ \& TULPE app / Link to e-commerce channels
- Reinforce the last one mile logistics

Branding / Strengthen competitiveness

## Reinforcing the Group's business base

$\square$ Improving the customer services by promoting digital transformation, such as official apps
■ Promoting Sustainable Management

We have conducted our corporate activities with common sense and ethics in order to realize our group statement of "the health and happiness of our customers" through our businesses contributing to people's health and beauty. Going forward, we will achieve sustainable corporate growth, create social, environmental, and economic value, and realize sustainable management by changing and acting on our own initiative, considering our customers and other diverse stakeholders.

## 1.Contribute to local healthcare

Pharmacies contributing to medical care that "treats and supports in the entire community"


## 2.Provide beauty and happiness

Providing beauty and happiness to enjoy daily life in today's society


## 5.Ensure sound management base

Strengthen a sound management base


## 6.Cooperate with local communities and businesses

Promoting a healthy society and sustainability activities with local communities and supply chains


## 4.Protect the environment and reduce environmental impact

Contribute to environmental protection and load reduction


## Reinforcing the Group's business base

$\square$ Improving the customer services by promoting digital transformation, such as official apps
$■$ Promoting Sustainable Management

Within our Sustainability Committee, approximately 30 project teams are promoting cross-sectoral initiatives for each materiality.

## 5. Ensure sound management base

## 3 Expert Dialog

We invited outside experts and hold a dialogue. We received objective evaluations and advice on our sustainability activities,
 which we reflect them in our activities.

## 5. Ensure sound management base

## 18 Platinum Kurumin certification

In July 2023, AIN PHARMACIEZ INC. received Platinum Kurumin certification as a "parenting support company." based on the Act on Advancement of Measures to Support Raising Next-Generation Children.

6. Cooperate with local communities and businesses

## CSR Procurement Briefing Session for Suppliers

We held a briefing session and conducted a survey for suppliers about CSR Procurement. We are strengthening supply chain
 management for realizing a sustainable society.

## Community Heaith Events

All of our pharmacies participated in "Healthy Heart Day" and "Healthy Heart Week 2023" for aiming to prevent heart disease and stroke. We will continue to contribute to maintain and improve the health in the community.

## Expansion of AINZ\&TULPE

■ Opening stores in prime locations and medium and long term store opening strategy

AINZ \& TULPE
plan to open in FY4/24 (Revised Plan)


Tokyo (Plan to open in Mar. 2024\&)


COCOLIA TAMA CENTER
(Opened in June 2023 )

## FY4/24 Revised Plan (Consolidated)

The group forecasts net sales for the fiscal year ending April 30, 2024 increase $8.8 \%$ YoY and ordinary profit increase $13.3 \%$ YoY due to new store openings of 41 stores for dispensing pharmacy business and 6 stores for cosmetic and drug store business.

| ( $¥$ million) | FY4/22 results | FY4/23 results | FY4/24 revised plan | YoY Change | $\begin{gathered} \text { YoY } \\ \text { change (\%) } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | 316,247 | 358,742 | 390,263 | 31,521 | $+8.8$ |
| Gross profit | 49,971 | 53,698 | 58,106 | 4,408 | +8.2 |
| \% of net sales | 15.8 | 15.0 | 14.9 |  |  |
| SG\&A expenses | 34,832 | 37,694 | 39,656 | 1,962 | $+5.2$ |
| \% of net sales | 11.0 | 10.5 | 10.2 |  |  |
| Operating profit | 15,139 | 16,004 | 18,450 | 2,446 | $+15.3$ |
| \% of net sales | 4.8 | 4.5 | 4.7 |  |  |
| Ordinary profit | 16,041 | 17,064 | 19,340 | 2,276 | +13.3 |
| \% of net sales | 5.1 | 4.8 | 5.0 |  |  |
| Profit attributable to owners of parent | 7,092 | 9,234 | 10,000 | 766 | +8.3 |
| \% of net sales | 2.2 | 2.6 | 2.6 |  |  |
| Earnings per share $(\neq)$ | 201.47 | 262.87 | 284.64 | 21.77 | +8.3 |
| Annual dividend ( $¥$ ) | 55.00 | 60.00 | 60.00 | - | 0.0 |

$\Rightarrow$ Figures in the table are rounded down

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[^0]:    Increase against profit: +

[^1]:    Figures in the table are rounded down

