# Kikkoman Corporation

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# Today's Agenda

➤ Performance in Fiscal 2019 and Forecast for Fiscal 2020

Takao Kamiyama Executive Corporate Officer and CFO

Progress of Medium-Term Management Plan

> Noriaki Horikiri President and CEO

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# Performance in Fiscal 2019 and Forecast for Fiscal 2020

Takao Kamiyama Executive Corporate Officer and CFO

# Today's Agenda

- (1) Performance in Fiscal 2019
- (2) Forecast for Fiscal 2020



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# 1-1. Performance in Fiscal 2019 Consolidated P/L Results (Compared with Previous Year)

# Full-year actual results

(Unit: billion yen)

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	Fiscal 2019	Fiscal 2018	Change increase / decrease	%	Translation difference	Actual difference	%
Net Sales	453.6	430.6	23.0	105.3	(1.9)	24.9	105.8
Japan	183.8	181.4	2.4	101.3		2.4	101.3
Overseas	273.0	252.1	20.9	108.3	(1.9)	22.8	109.0
Operating Profit	38.4	36.5	1.9	105.2	(0.2)	2.1	105.7
Japan	12.4	11.9	0.5	104.4		0.5	104.4
Overseas	27.1	25.8	1.4	105.3	(0.2)	1.5	105.9
Kikkoman (Holding Company)	7.3	6.3	1.0	115.9		1.0	115.9
Eliminations	(8.4)	(7.4)	(1.0)			(1.0)	
Ordinary Profit	37.9	36.0	1.9	105.4	(0.1)	2.1	105.8
Profit before Income Taxes	37.6	36.0	1.6	104.4	(0.1)	1.7	104.8
Profit Attributable to Owners of Parent	26.0	23.8	2.1	109.0	(0.1)	2.3	109.4

Exchange rate (\(\frac{\pma}{\pmu}\)US\(\pma\) 110.7 110.8 (0.1) (\(\frac{\pma}{\pma}\)EUR) 128.4 129.5 (1.0)

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# 1-2. Performance in Fiscal 2019

# Net Sales in Japan (Compared with Previous Year)

# Full-year actual results

(Unit: billion yen)

			Fiscal 2019	Fiscal 2018	Change increase / decrease	%
Japan		Soy Sauce	49.8	50.2	(0.4)	99.3
		Food Products	60.2	58.9	1.3	102.2
		Beverages	53.7	50.7	3.0	105.9
		Liquor and Wine	11.1	12.9	(1.7)	86.5
		Eliminations	(0.2)	(0.2)		
	Food and S	s—Manufacturing Sales	174.7	172.4	2.2	101.3
	Othe	rs	21.4	21.1	0.3	101.3
	Elim	inations	(12.3)	(12.2)	(0.1)	
		Total	183.8	181.4	2.4	101.3

• Soy sauce: The Itsudemo Shinsen (always fresh) series performed well.

Sales of products in conventional plastic bottles and for industrial- and

foodservice-use decreased.

• Food products: Soy sauce derivative products sold well.

• Beverages: Sales of soy milk and Del Monte beverages both remained steady.



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# 1-3. Performance in Fiscal 2019

Net Sales Overseas (Compared with Previous Year)

# Full-year actual results

(Unit: billion yen)

							Breakdown of change		
		Fiscal 2019	Fiscal 2018	Change increase / decrease	%	Translation difference	Actual difference	%	
Overseas	North America	197.9	185.5	12.5	106.7	(0.6)	13.0	107.0	
	Foods-Manufacturing and Sales	59.8	57.9	2.0	103.4	(0.2)	2.2	103.8	
	Foods-Wholesale	146.6	135.6	11.0	108.1	(0.4)	11.3	108.4	
	Europe	31.2	27.9	3.3	111.9	(0.4)	3.7	113.3	
	Foods—Manufacturing and Sales	13.2	12.2	1.0	108.4	(0.1)	1.1	109.2	
	Foods—Wholesale	20.6	18.1	2.5	113.7	(0.3)	2.8	115.4	
	Asia & Oceania	37.7	35.6	2.0	105.7	(0.9)	3.0	108.3	
	Foods—Manufacturing and Sales	20.0	18.8	1.1	106.0	(0.1)	1.3	106.7	
	Foods—Wholesale	18.0	17.1	0.9	105.4	(0.8)	1.7	110.1	
	Others	42.5	37.9	4.6	112.2		4.6	112.2	
	Eliminations	(36.3)	(34.8)	(1.6)			(1.5)	·	
	Total	273.0	252.1	20.9	108.3	(1.9)	22.8	109.0	

Exchange rate (\(\frac{\(\psi\)}{\(\psi\)}\) 110.7 110.8 (0.1) (\(\frac{\(\psi\)}{\(\psi\)}\) 128.4 129.5 (1.0)

Sales grew year on year in all regions including North America, Europe, and Asia & Oceania.



# 1-4. Performance in Fiscal 2019 (Consolidated Operating Profit (Compared with Previous Year)

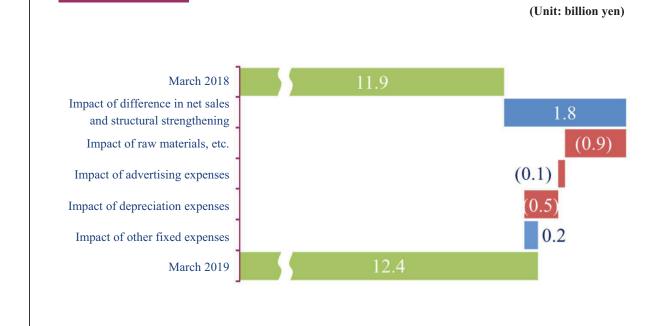
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						Break	down of cha	nge
		Fiscal 2019	Fiscal 2018	Change increase / decrease	%	Translation difference	Actual difference	%
Japan	Foods—Manufacturing and Sales	10.6	10.4	0.2	102.0		0.2	102.0
	Others	1.8	1.5	0.3	121.0		0.3	121.0
	Total	12.4	11.9	0.5	104.4		0.5	104.4
Overseas	North America	18.1	17.5	0.6	103.6	(0.1)	0.7	104.2
	Europe	4.6	4.1	0.5	111.3		0.5	111.5
	Asia & Oceania	2.6	2.5	0.1	102.7		0.1	103.3
	Others	1.9	1.8	0.1	108.4		0.1	108.4
	Total	27.1	25.8	1.4	105.3	(0.2)	1.5	105.9
Kikkomaı	n (Holding Company)	7.3	6.3	1.0	115.9		1.0	115.9
Eliminatio	ons	(8.4)	(7.4)	(1.0)			(1.0)	
	Consolidated Total	38.4	36.5	1.9	105.2	(0.2)	2.1	105.7
	Exchange rate (\(\frac{\pma}{\pmu}\)US\(\frac{\pma}{\pma}\) (\(\frac{\pma}{\pma}\)EUR)	110.7 128.4	110.8 129.5	(0.1) (1.0)				



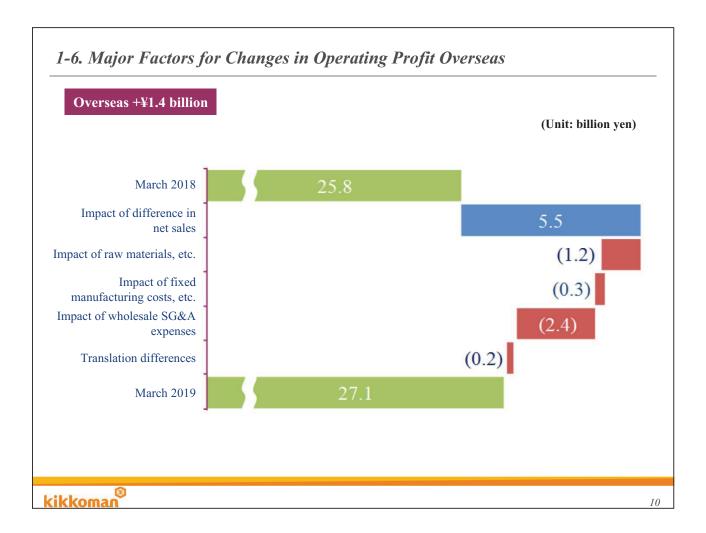
Japan +¥0.5 billion

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# 1-5. Major Factors for Changes in Operating Profit in Japan







# 1-7. Change in Consolidated Balance Sheets

(Unit: billion yen)

# a. Total Assets = 362.1b. Translation DifferenceActual Difference (a. - b.)

(Compared with 2018.3) +18.2 +1.5 +16.7

sets	+16.7
Current assets	+11.9
Cash and deposits	+8.1
Notes and accounts receivable	+1.9
Inventories	+4.7
Other	(2.8)
Non-current assets	+4.8
Property, plant and equipment	+12.5
Intangible assets	(0.1)
[Goodwill	(0.1)]
Investments and other assets	(7.5)
	(5.0) 1
[Investment securities	(5.9)]

Liabilities and net assets	+16.7
Liabilities	+0.6
Interest bearing debt	+0.4
Notes and accounts payable	+1.7
Income taxes payable	(0.2)
Net defined benefit liability	+0.7
Deferred tax liabilities	+0.5
Other	(2.5)
Net assets	+16.1
Retained earnings	(12.7)
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	(3.4)
Foreign currency translation adjustments	+2.0
Non-controlling interests	(0.2)
Other	+30.5



# 1-8. Consolidated Cash Flows

# Net CF (a + b + c + d) = +4.5

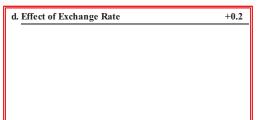
(Unit: billion yen)

a. Cash Flows from Operating Activities	+37.0
Profit before income taxes	+37.6
Depreciation and amortization	+13.3
Decrease (increase) in notes and accounts	
receivable-trade	(1.5)
Decrease (increase) in inventories	(4.6)
Increase (decrease) in notes and accounts	
p ay able-trade	+0.6
Income taxes paid	(9.2)
Other	+0.8

b. Cash Flows from Investing Activities	(25.7)
2' Purchase of property, plant,	
equipment and intangible assets	(27.6)
2' Proceeds from sales of property,	
plant and equipment	+0.8
Purchase of investment securities	(2.6)
Decrease (increase) in operating	
loans receivable	(0.9)
Proceeds from sales of investment	
securities	+3.2
Other	+1.4

a.+2' Free Cash Flows	+10.3
b2' Cash Flows from Investing Activities (Excluding Purchase of Property, Plant and Equipment)	+1.0

c. Cash Flows from Financing Activities	(7.0)
Increase (decrease) in short-term	
loans payable	+0.1
Increase (decrease) in long-term	
loans payable	+0.3
Cash dividends paid	(7.4)
Purchase of treasury stock	(0.0)
Other	(0.0)



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# 2-1. Forecast for Fiscal 2020 Assumptions Made for Full-Year Forecasts

# >Exchange rates

# >Impact of raw materials, etc.

**Consolidated total** 

Full year: ¥0.6 billion decrease in profit

Japan  $\Psi(0.5)$  billion, Overseas  $\Psi(0.1)$  billion



# 2-2. Forecast for Fiscal 2020

# Consolidated P/L Results (Compared with Previous Year)

# **Full-year forecasts**

(Unit: billion yen)

						Breakdown of change		
	Forecast	Fiscal 2019	Change increase / decrease	%	Translation difference	Actual difference	%	
Net Sales	473.5	453.6	19.9	104.4	(3.0)	23.0	105.1	
Japan	189.3	183.8	5.5	103.0		5.5	103.0	
Overseas	287.6	273.0	14.6	105.3	(3.0)	17.6	106.4	
Operating Profit	39.7	38.4	1.3	103.3	(0.4)	1.7	104.3	
Japan	12.5	12.4	0.1	100.8		0.1	100.8	
Overseas	28.9	27.1	1.8	106.6	(0.3)	2.1	107.8	
Kikkoman (Holding Company)	7.3	7.3		100.3			100.3	
Eliminations	(9.0)	(8.4)	(0.6)			(0.6)		
Ordinary Profit	38.9	37.9	1.0	102.6	(0.3)	1.3	103.5	
Profit before Income Taxes	38.3	37.6	0.7	101.9	(0.3)	1.0	102.8	
Profit Attributable to Owners of Parent	26.9	26.0	0.9	103.5	(0.3)	1.2	104.5	
Exchange rate (\(\frac{\pma}{\pmu}\)/EUR)	110.0 125.0	110.7 128.4	(0.7) (3.4)					

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# 2-3. Forecast for Fiscal 2020

Net Sales in Japan (Compared with Previous Year)

# **Full-year forecasts**

(Unit: billion yen)

			Forecast	Fiscal 2019	Change increase / decrease	%
Japan		Soy Sauce	49.9	49.8	0.1	100.2
		Food Products	62.4	60.2	2.2	103.7
		Beverages	56.5	53.7	2.8	105.2
		Liquor and Wine	11.4	11.1	0.3	102.3
		Eliminations	(0.2)	(0.2)		
		ods—Manufacturing d Sales	180.0	174.7	5.3	103.1
	Ot	hers	22.0	21.4	0.6	102.7
	Eli	minations	(12.7)	(12.3)	(0.4)	
		Total	189.3	183.8	5.5	103.0

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# 2-4. Forecast for Fiscal 2020

# Net Sales Overseas (Compared with Previous Year)

# **Full-year forecasts**

(Unit: billion yen)

						Break	down of chai	nge
		Forecast	Fiscal 2019	Change increase / decrease	%	Translation difference	Actual difference	%
Overseas	North America	209.7	197.9	11.8	105.9	(1.5)	13.3	106.7
	Foods-Manufacturing and Sales	62.3	59.8	2.5	104.1	(0.4)	2.9	104.8
	Foods-Wholesale	156.4	146.6	9.8	106.7	(1.2)	11.0	107.5
	Europe	33.2	31.2	2.0	106.3	(0.8)	2.7	108.7
	Foods-Manufacturing and Sales	14.1	13.2	0.9	107.1	(0.4)	1.3	110.0
	Foods-Wholesale	21.9	20.6	1.3	106.4	(0.4)	1.8	108.6
	Asia & Oceania	40.0	37.7	2.3	106.2	(0.8)	3.1	108.3
	Foods-Manufacturing and Sales	21.1	20.0	1.1	105.4	(0.6)	1.7	108.3
	Foods-Wholesale	19.3	18.0	1.3	107.0	(0.2)	1.5	108.1
	Others	41.5	42.5	(1.0)	97.7		(1.0)	97.7
	Eliminations	(36.8)	(36.3)	(0.5)			(0.5)	
	Total	287.6	273.0	14.6	105.3	(3.0)	17.6	106.4

Exchange rate (\(\frac{\(\psi\\)/US\(\sigma\)}{\(\psi\\)}\) 110.0 110.7 (0.7) (\(\frac{\(\psi\\)/EUR)}{\(\psi\\)}\) 125.0 128.4 (3.4)



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# 2-5. Forecast for Fiscal 2020

Consolidated Operating Profit (Compared with Previous Year)

(¥/EUR)

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Full-year forecasts
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(Unit: billion yen)

						Break	kdown of cha	nge
		Forecast	Fiscal 2019	Change increase / decrease	%	Translation difference	Actual difference	%
Japan	Foods—Manufacturing and Sales	10.7	10.6	0.1	101.0		0.1	101.0
	Others	1.8	1.8		101.5			101.5
	Total	12.5	12.4	0.1	100.8		0.1	100.8
Overseas	North America	19.3	18.1	1.2	106.4	(0.1)	1.3	107.2
	Europe	5.0	4.6	0.4	108.5	(0.1)	0.5	111.4
	Asia & Oceania	2.8	2.6	0.2	107.5	(0.1)	0.3	110.3
	Others	1.9	1.9	(0.1)	97.2		(0.1)	97.2
	Total	28.9	27.1	1.8	106.6	(0.3)	2.1	107.8
Kikkoma	n (Holding Company)	7.3	7.3		100.3			100.3
Eliminations		(9.0)	(8.4)	(0.6)			(0.6)	
	Consolidated Total	39.7	38.4	1.3	103.3	(0.4)	1.7	104.3
	Exchange rate (\(\frac{\pma}{US}\))	110.0	110.7	(0.7)				

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# **Progress of Medium-Term Management Plan**

# Noriaki Horikiri President and CEO



# **Breakdown by Segment**

(Unit: billion yen)

				Initial forecast for fiscal 2019		Forecast for fiscal 2020	Target for fiscal 2021	Average annual growth (excl. exchange difference)
		Net sales	181.4	185.2	183.8	189.3	201.5	3.6%
	Japan	Operating profit	11.9	12.1	12.4	12.5	16.0	10.5%
		Operating profit margin (%)	6.5	6.5	6.7	6.6	8.0	_
		Net sales	185.5	187.0	197.9	209.7	212.6	6.5%
	North America	Operating profit	17.5	17.7	18.1	19.3	20.1	6.6%
		Operating profit margin (%)	9.4	9.5	9.2	9.2	9.5	_
		Net sales	27.9	31.1	31.2	33.2	37.7	10.4%
	Europe	Operating profit	4.1	4.6	4.6	5.0	5.8	11.8%
Overseas		Operating profit margin (%)	14.8	14.8	14.7	15.1	15.3	_
Overseas		Net sales	35.6	39.2	37.7	40.0	46.9	8.6%
	Asia & Oceania	Operating profit	2.5	2.8	2.6	2.8	3.6	12.0%
		Operating profit margin (%)	7.0	7.1	6.8	6.9	7.6	_
		Net sales	252.1	259.7	273.0	287.6	301.0	7.3%
	Total	Operating profit	25.8	26.7	27.1	28.9	31.5	8.2%
		Operating profit margin (%)	10.2	10.3	9.9	10.0	10.5	_
Kikkoman (	Holding Company)	Net sales	(2.9)	(2.9)	(3.2)	(3.4)	(2.5)	_
and	Eliminations	Operating profit	(1.1)	(1.2)	(1.1)	(1.7)	(2.6)	_
		Net sales	430.6	442.0	453.6	473.5	500.0	5.8%
Со	nsolidated	Operating profit	36.5	37.6	38.4	39.7	45.0	8.1%
		Operating profit margin (%)	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.4	9.0	_
	•	* Exchange rate (\(\frac{\text{\tin}}\text{\tin}}\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\tex{\tex	110.8	105.0	110.7	110.0	105.0	
		(¥/EUR)	129.5	130.0	128.4	125.0	130.0	

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# Medium-Term Management Plan: Key Objectives of Kikkoman Group

# **Increasing Profitability and Maintaining Growth**

Creating higher added value

Improving productivity

Building a new pillar



#### **Overseas Soy Sauce Business: Targets and Progress** Sales growth target: Average of 6% per year (in local currencies) Average of 6% per year 119 112 Asia & Oceania 105 100 of 6% Double-digit growth in ASEAN 111 oer year 105 100 Average of 10% Europe 120 109 per year 100 Double-digit growth North America Averag Stable growth 104 110 oer yea 100 Actual results for Actual results for Forecast for Target for fiscal 2019 fiscal 2021 fiscal 2018 fiscal 2020

\* Index that uses the amount of net sales in fiscal 2018 as 100 (on a local currency basis)

Europe



■North America

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# **Overseas Soy Sauce Business: Targets and Progress**

Asia & Oceania

# Sales growth target: Average of 6% per year (in local currencies)

### **□** North America

- Adding high value-added products (less sodium, gluten free, etc.)
- Responding meticulously to customers of industrial- and foodservice-use products
- Promotional activities using social media

### □ Europe

- Raising recognition and strengthening the brand through TV ads, online advertising, etc.
- Creating recipes to match consumer preferences in each country

# □ Asia & Oceania

- ASEAN countries: Developing new products and recipes suited to consumer preferences and foodstuffs in each country
- China: Promoting the high quality of *Honjozo* (traditional Japanese brewing process) soy sauce

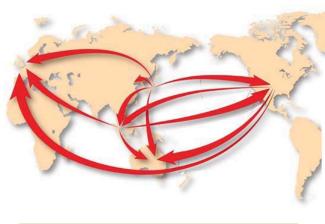




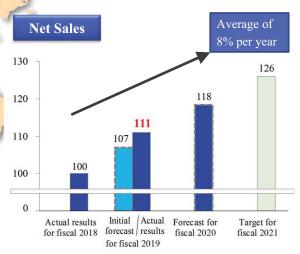




# Oriental Food Wholesale Business: Targets and Progress Sales growth target: Average of 8% per year (in local currencies)



- · Improve network of business locations
- Strengthen logistics systems
- Increase product procurement capacity



\*Index that uses the amount of net sales in fiscal 2018 as 100 (on a local currency basis)



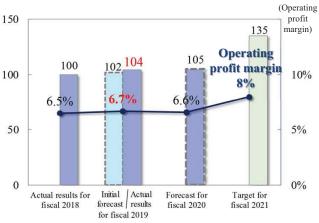
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# **Business in Japan: Targets and Progress**

# Expand high value-added product line and increase both sales and profitability.



Operating Profit Operating Profit Profit 8%



\*Operating profit is an index that uses the results of fiscal 2018 as 100

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			Medium-Term Management Plan for Fiscal 2019–2021
Positive factor	Sales growth and structural strengthening	<ul> <li>Increase in high value-added products</li> <li>Growth of soymilk businesses</li> <li>Organization and improvement of low-profit products</li> <li>Reduced cost</li> <li>Higher efficiency of sales and distribution expenses</li> </ul>	+¥9.5 billion
	Increase in cost	Higher cost of raw materials, distribution expenses, personnel expenses, etc.	(¥2.9 billion)
Negative factor	Depreciation expenses	Increase in capital expenditure	(¥1.6 billion)
	Advertising	Increase in advertising investments	(¥0.9 billion)
То	tal		+¥4.1 billion

**Business in Japan: Efforts** 

# Expand high value-added product line

Expand the high value-added product line in each category

- Soy sauce and Food products—soy sauce derivative products
- ✓ Expand the *Itsudemo Shinsen* (always fresh) series
  - Increase the product range Tokusen Marudaizu Maroyaka Hakko, Dashi soy sauce
  - Strengthen less- and low-sodium products
    - Use sales promotions and TV ads
- ✓ Expand "soy sauce in a broad sense" including *Tsuyu* (soy sauce soup base) and *Tare* (dipping sauce for meat)
  - home-use products
- Promote value-added products such as *Hakko Dashi*, ease of use, and ingredients
- Improve communication using TV ads and social media
- Industrial- and foodservice-use products
  - Propose solutions and respond to needs such as less sodium
  - Improve product development and the sales system





# **Business in Japan: Efforts**

# Expand high value-added product line

Expand the high value-added product line in each category

## **□** Del Monte seasonings

- ✓ Expansion of the *Lycopene-rich* series
  - Continuously use TV ads and the internet
  - Extend the series to condiments other than tomato ketchup
- ✓ Promote added value such as health, ease of use, and ingredients

# **□** Del Monte beverages

- Expansion of the Lycopene-rich series
  - Continuously use TV ads and the internet
  - Expand the series from tomato beverages to vegetable beverages
- ✓ Selling food products with functional claims Sodium-free tomato juice and vegetable juices
- ✓ Efforts to develop products in small containers and expansion to new markets











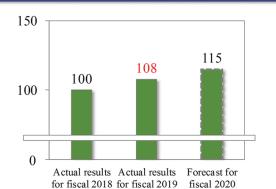






# **Business in Japan: Efforts**

# Growth of soymilk business



\*Index that uses the amount of net sales in fiscal 2018 as 100

Sale of differentiated products

Stimulation of demand using TV ads, etc.







# **Financial Strategy**

# Fiscal 2019 to fiscal 2021 Cash flows from operating activities Approx. ¥120 billion Actual results for fiscal 2019 ¥37.0 billion

### **Returns to Shareholders**

Consolidated payout ratio target: 30% or more Flexible share buybacks

# **Capital Investment**

Active investment in growth areas, etc. Approx. ¥65 billion

Actual results for fiscal 2019 ¥28.3 billion

# **Investment in New Business**

Strengthen the business portfolio

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