

## 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter of Fiscal 2015 Financial Results Conference Call

**February 1, 2016** 





# Overview of 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter FY2015 Financial Results



## **Summary of Q3 FY2015**



- **♦** Sales on track
  - ➤ Increased royalty income from ViiV Healthcare based on the strong growth of HIV franchise
  - Up-front and milestone payments from alliance partners

- ◆ All income levels exceeded our plan and were higher than the levels achieved in the Apr. to Dec. period of any prior fiscal year
  - Controlled overall costs (SG&A and R&D expenses)
  - ➤ Achieved positive operating income, excluding royalties from Crestor® and the HIV franchise, in the Apr. to Dec. period



## **Financial Results (Consolidated)**



(Units: B yen)

	FY2015 forecasts
Sales	301.5
Operating income	78.0
Ordinary income	88.0
Profit attributable to owners of parent	59.0

FY2015	Progress vs.	FY2014	Y on Y			
Apr-Dec results	forecasts (%)	Apr-Dec results	change (%)	change		
225.9	74.9	200.3	12.8	25.6		
65.5	83.9	36.1	81.5	29.4		
66.5	75.6	51.7	28.7	14.8		
41.7	70.6	26.3	58.7	15.4		

Note: All numerical values are rounded to the nearest unit

 All income levels are higher than the levels achieved in the Apr. to Dec. period of any prior fiscal year

Exchange rate (average)	FY2015 forecasts	Apr-Dec results
USD (\$) – JPY (¥)	120	121.8
EUR (€) – JPY (¥)	130	134.4
GBP (£) – JPY (¥)	180	186.7

### Sales of main merchandise and finished goods (Consolidated)

	FY2014		FY	2015	Jint. D yen)
	Apr-Dec results	Apr-Dec results	change (%)	Full year forecasts	Progress vs. forecasts (%)
Prescription drugs	120.8	123.4	2.2	167.0	73.9
Crestor <sup>®</sup>	32.1	33.6	4.5	44.4	75.6
Irbetan <sup>®</sup> franchise	11.4	12.0	5.6	17.0	70.8
Cymbalta <sup>®*</sup>	8.5	11.5	36.0	17.4	66.1
Total of 3 key products	52.0	57.1	9.8	78.8	72.5
OxyContin <sup>®</sup> franchise	8.2	8.0	(2.5)	10.7	74.8
Finibax <sup>®</sup>	3.0	3.0	(0.7)	3.8	79.1
Differin <sup>®</sup>	2.9	2.3	(20.9)	3.8	59.6
Pirespa <sup>®</sup>	4.0	4.6	16.0	5.4	86.1
Rapiacta®	1.1	0.4	(60.4)	2.8	16.0
Total of 8 strategic products	71.2	75.5	6.0	105.3	71.7
Overseas subsidiaries/export**	21.3	22.7	6.6	30.4	74.9
Shionogi Inc.	12.0	13.2	10.3	17.4	76.1
Osphena <sup>®</sup>	3.1	3.8	20.8	7.4	51.0
Contract manufacturing**	9.9	5.4	(45.9)	7.6	70.0
Royalty income	42.3	68.4	61.4	88.8	77.0
Royalty income for the sales of Crestor <sup>®</sup> and HIV franchise	36.4	60.7	66.7	80.0	75.9
Crestor <sup>®</sup>	35.1	35.7	1.6	-	-
HIV franchise	1.3	25.0	-	-	-
Others	6.0	6.1	1.8	7.7	79.0
Total	200.3	225.9	12.8	301.5	74.9

### **Domestic prescription drugs**

♦ Sales of Crestor® on track after the package change in Q2

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- Slow flu season
- Launch of Actair® and Mulpleta®

#### **US** business

- Increase in Osphena® Rx
- Divestiture of non-promoted products

### **Royalty income**

- Received up-front and milestone payments
- **♦** HIV franchise showed steady growth despite the launch of a new competitor

<sup>\*</sup> Remuneration for promotional activity from FY2015

<sup>\*\*</sup> The accounting policy for API for dolutegravir was changed from export to contract manufacturing in FY2014 5





### (Unit: B yen) Improved cost of sales

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	FY2014		FY2	015	
	Apr-Dec results	Apr-Dec results	change (%)	Full year forecasts	Progress vs. forecasts (%)
Sales	200.3	225.9	12.8	301.5	74.9
[Royalty* income]	36.4	60.7	66.7	80.0	75.9
Cost of sales	29.3 [35.9] 58.8	24.4 [33.4] 55.2	(6.1)	24.4 [33.2] 73.5	75.1
Gross profit	141.5	170.7	20.7	228.0	74.9
	52.6	46.6		49.8	
SG&A expenses	105.4	105.3	(0.1)	150.0	70.2
Selling & general expenses R&D expenses	69.8 35.6	70.0 35.3	0.2 (0.8)	101.0 49.0	69.3 72.0
Operating income [Excluding royalty* income]	36.1 (0.3)	29.0 65.5 4.8	81.5	78.0 (2.0)	83.9
Non-operating income and expenses	P15.7	P1.1	(93.1)	P10.0	10.9
Ordinary income	<sup>25.8</sup> 51.7	<sup>29.5</sup> 66.5	28.7	<sup>29.2</sup> 88.0	75.6

- **♦** Modification of Cymbalta<sup>®</sup> contract
- Up-front and milestone payments

#### Cost management and investment for growth

- Sales activities for Osphena® including
   DTC campaign
- Strategic investment in R&D utilizing the income from out-licensing deals

#### **Operating income**

 Achieved positive operating income excluding royalties\* in the Apr. to Dec. period

### Non-operating income and expenses

 Received dividends from ViiV Healthcare in Q1 and Q3 FY2014

## **Key Actions in H2 FY2015**



- **♦ Strengthen Japanese business base** 
  - Continue to drive increased sales of strategic products
  - Continued growth of Crestor®
  - ➤ Strengthening the sales activities in both CNS and Pain areas to maximize the potential of Cymbalta®
  - Launch of Actair® and Mulpleta®
  - Pre-launch activities for S-877503 (pediatric ADHD)
- Strengthening capability to support new global products
  - Osphena<sup>®</sup>
    - Outcomes from efforts to support patient access and DTC outreach
      - Increased new prescriptions
      - Decreased the abandonment rate by patients who were prescribed Osphena<sup>®</sup>
    - ➤ Initiated Phase III clinical study for vaginal dryness to maximize the value of Osphena®
  - Establishing platform for NDA submission and launch of naldemedine





## **Research & Development**





#### R&D



## **Target Milestones and Progress in FY2015**

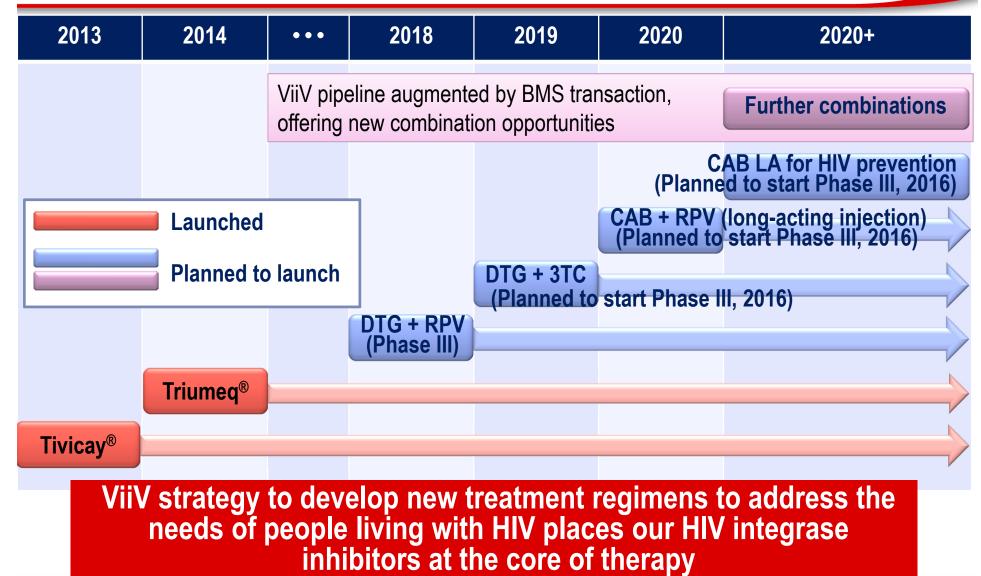
Areas	Code No.	Indication	Target milestone for FY2015	As of Feb. 2016	
Infectious disease	S-649266	Severe Gram-negative infections	Global: Phase III initiated	Global: Phase II & III	
	S-033188	Influenza virus infection	Japan: Phase I completed Go/No Go decision	Japan: Phase II	
Pain/CNS		Pain associated with fibromyalgia	Japan: Approv	ed (May 2015)	
	Cymbalta <sup>®</sup>	Pain associated with chronic low back pain	Japan: Approval	NDA submission (Dec. 2014)	
		Pain associated with osteoarthritis	Japan: Phase III completed	Japan: NDA submission (in preparation)	
	Naldemedine (S-297995)	Opioid-induced constipation	US/Japan: NDA submission	Global: NDA submission (in preparation)	
	OxyContin <sup>®</sup>	Cancer/Non-cancer pain (Abuse deterrent)	Japan: Phas	se I initiated	
	S-718632	Chronic pain (Abuse deterrent)	US: Decision on final formulation	Cancellation of codevelopment with Egalet	
	S-877503	ADHD (pediatric)	Japan: NDA submission	Japan: NDA submission (Jan. 2016)	
	ADHD (adult)		•	Japan: Phase III	
Frontier	Mulpleta <sup>®</sup>	Thrombocytopenia	Japan: Approv	ral (Sep. 2015)	



#### R&D

## **HIV Integrase Inhibitor Franchise**











### **Former contract**

- Initiated the research and development collaboration with GSK in 2010
- Focused on development of novel cephalosporins
  - Most advanced compound was S-649266
  - > Shionogi received upfront and milestone payments
- Provided for shared costs and profits in certain major markets, while each company had exclusive, royalty-bearing rights in other territories
- ◆ Collaboratively discovered RSC435830 (GSK3342830)
  - ➤ The profile of RSC435830 is different from S-649266
  - Revision of Contract in Nov. 2015

### **Revised contract**

- Shionogi will pursue development and commercialization of S-649266 and GSK will pursue development and commercialization GSK3342830 fully independently from the revision
- Shionogi received a payment upon execution of the restated agreement and will receive payments upon achievement of certain milestones in the progression of GSK3342830. Certain royalties will be payable by each party to the other on net sales of their respective compounds

[R&D collaboration]

RSC435830
(GSK3342830)
S-649266
(Phase II)

S-649266
(Phase II&III)

Gram-negative bacterial infections represent a serious problem worldwide, particularly with the increasing prevalence of multi-drug resistant strains. Both companies will focus each resource on their selected compound to accelerate the development

## Naldemedine, Cymbalta® and S-877503



### Naldemedine

- Indication
  - Opioid-induced constipation Japan, US: NDA submission (in preparation) (Planned to NDA submission in FY2015)
- Cymbalta® (duloxetine)
  - Indication
    - Pain associated with chronic low back pain: Japan: NDA submission (Dec. 2014)
    - Pain associated with chronic osteoarthritis: Japan: NDA submission (in preparation) (Planned to NDA submission in FY2015)
- ♦ S-877503 (alpha2A-adrenergic receptor agonist)
  - Indication
    - ADHD (pediatric): Japan NDA submission (Jan. 2016)
    - ADHD (adult): Japan Phase III study



## Pipeline for Future Growth in the Japanese Domestic Market

Phase I	Phase II	Phase III	NDA	Approval	Launch			
Cymbalta® (Pain associa		Approved:	May 2015					
Actair® (Allergic rhinitis	Actair® (Allergic rhinitis caused by house-dust mite allergen)							
Mulpleta® (lusutrombopa	g ) (Thrombocytopenia)			Launched:	Dec. 2015			
Cymbalta® (Pain associa	ted with chronic low back	pain) NDA submission:	Dec. 2014					
S-877503 (ADHD [pediate	ric])	NDA submission:	Jan. 2016					
Cymbalta® (Pain associa	ted with osteoarthritis) N	IDA submission (in prepar	ation)					
Naldemedine (S-297995)	(Opioid-induced constipat	tion) IDA submission (in prepar	ation)		ady			
S-877489 (ADHD [pediate		DA Submission (in prepar			es of ches			
OxyContin® (Moderate to	severe chronic pain; tam	per resistant formulation)			the			
S-649266 (Severe Gram-	negative infections)				nese			
S-877503 (ADHD [adult])				ma	rket			
S-033188 (Influenza virus	s infection)							
S-237648 (Obesity)								









## **Advancing Research Programs through Alliances**

Shionogi's established strength in "Small Molecule Drug Discovery-engine"

Areas of interest Basic research

**Screening** 

**Optimization** 

**Toward non-clinical studies** 

Partner companies External funds

Risk-sharing collaborative models

- Collaborative research on novel pain drugs with Pionnie which was established by OCCI and venture capital (announced in Sep. 2015 by OCCI)
- ◆ Collaborative research on novel antifungal drugs with Nissan Chemical Industries, Ltd. (announced in Jan. 2016)

Risk-sharing collaborations efficiently utilizes R&D resources while enhancing our program pipeline

- Maximally leverage our Small Molecule Drug Discovery-engine
- Enrich the drug discovery portfolio





## **Appendix**

- Pipeline -

### **Pipeline**

## **Changes in Pipeline (since Oct. 2015)**



Code No. / Product name	Indication	Phase	Area	Changes				
Change of phase	Change of phase							
S-649266	Severe Gram-negative infections	Phase II & III	Global	Severe gram-negative infections  → Severe Gram-negative infections Global: Phase II  → Global: Phase II & III				
S-877503	ADHD (pediatric)	NDA submission (Jan. 2016)	Japan	ADHD → ADHD (pediatric) NDA submission (in preparation) →NDA submission (Jan. 2016)				
Compound adde	d to the list							
Ospemifene	Vaginal dryness associated with postmenopausal VVA	Phase III	USA					
S-877503	ADHD (adult)	Phase III	Japan					



### **Pipeline**

## Pipeline (as of Feb. 2016)



	Phase I Phase IIa Phase IIb P	Phase III	   Filing/Approval
Infectious (	S-649266 (Severe Gram-negative infections) Global: Pha	ase II→ Phase II&I	
diseases	S-033188 (Influenza virus Infection) Japan: Phase	II	
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	Cymbalta® (Pain associated with chronic low back pain)	Japan: NDA sub	mission (Dec. 2014)
	S-877503 ( <u>Pediatric ADHD</u> )	Japan: NDA subi	<u>mission (Jan. 2016)</u>
	Cymbalta® (Pain associated with osteoarthritis) Japa	an: NDA submissi	on (in preparation)
	Naldemedine (Opioid-induced constipation) Glo	bal: NDA submiss	ion (in preparation)
	OxyContin <sup>®</sup> (Moderate to severe chronic pain)	Japan: Phase III	
Pain/CNS	S-877489 ( <u>Pediatric ADHD</u> )	Japan: Phase III	
	<u>S-877503 (Adult ADHD)</u>	Japan: Phase III	
	S-120083 (Inflammatory pain) Japan: Phase I	Unde	erline: Changes
	S-010887 (Neuropathic pain) Japan: Phase I		Filing/Approval Change of Phase
	S-117957 (Insomnia) US: Phase I	Sido	1
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### **Pipeline**

## Pipeline (as of Feb 2016)



	Phase I Phase IIa Phase IIb	Phase III Filing/Approval					
Metabolic /	S-237648 (Obesity) Japan: Phase II	Underline: Changes Red: Filing/Approval					
disorder	S-707106 (Type2 diabetes) US: Phase IIa	Blue: Change of Phase					
	S-888711 (Thrombocytopenia)	Global: Phase III					
	Ospemifene (Vaginal dryness associated with postmenopausal VVA)	USA: Phase III					
	S-524101 (Pediatric patients with perennial allergic rhinitis)	Japan: Phase III					
Frontier	S-588410 (Esophageal cancer)	Japan: Phase III					
	S-555739 (Allergic rhinitis) EU: POM, US: Phase IIa, Japan: Phase III						
	S-588410 (Bladder cancer) Japan, EU: Phase II						
	S-525606 (Allergic rhinitis caused by Japanese cedar allergen) Japan: Phase II						
	S-488210 (Head and neck squamous cell carcinoma) EU: Ph	ase I/II					
	S-222611 (Malignant tumor) EU: Phase I/II	1					
< Out-licensed>	S/GSK1265744 LAP* (For the treatment and prevention for H	IIV infection) US: Phase II					
	Janssen/Shionogi BACE inhibitor (Alzheimer's disease) Global: Phase II/III						



POM: Proof of mechanism LAP: Long acting parenteral formulation



# Appendix - Financial results -



### S-O-N-G for you!

## **Japan: Sales of 8 Strategic Products**

(Units: B yen)

	FY2015		Progress vs.	FY2014	Υc	on Y	FY2015	FY2014	Y on Y change
	2H forecasts	Oct-Dec results	forecasts (%)	Oct-Dec results	change (%)	change	Apr-Dec results	Apr-Dec results	(%)
Prescription drugs	88.6	45.0	50.8	43.8	2.7	1.2	123.4	120.8	2.2
Crestor <sup>®</sup>	24.0	13.2	54.9	11.1	18.8	2.1	33.6	32.1	4.5
Irbetan <sup>®</sup> franchise	8.7	3.7	42.7	3.9	(4.0)	(0.2)	12.0	11.4	5.6
Cymbalta <sup>®*</sup>	10.2	4.3	42.2	3.0	44.0	1.3	11.5	8.5	36.0
Total of 3 key products	42.9	21.2	49.4	17.9	18.1	3.3	57.1	52.0	9.8
OxyContin <sup>®</sup> franchise	5.5	2.8	51.3	2.9	(2.7)	(0.1)	8.0	8.2	(2.5)
Finibax <sup>®</sup>	1.7	0.9	53.3	1.1	(17.5)	(0.2)	3.0	3.0	(0.7)
Differin <sup>®</sup>	2.2	0.7	31.6	1.1	(33.3)	(0.4)	2.3	2.9	(20.9)
Pirespa <sup>®</sup>	2.6	1.9	71.5	1.4	35.1	0.5	4.6	4.0	16.0
Rapiacta <sup>®</sup>	2.8	0.5	16.1	1.1	(58.3)	(0.6)	0.4	1.1	(60.4)
Total of 8 strategic products	57.8	28.0	48.4	25.5	9.7	2.5	75.5	71.2	6.0
[percent of sales]	65.3%	62.3%		58.2%			61.2%	59.0%	



### Sales of main merchandise and finished goods (Consolidated)

(Units: B yen)

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	FY2015		Progress vs. FY2014		Y on Y		FY2015	FY2014	Y on Y
	2H forecasts	Oct-Dec results	forecasts (%)	Oct-Dec results	change (%)	change	Apr-Dec results	Apr-Dec results	change (%)
Prescription drugs	88.6	45.0	50.8	43.8	2.7	1.2	123.4	120.8	2.2
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Total of 8 strategic products	57.8	28.0	48.4	25.5	9.7	2.5	75.5	71.2	6.0
Overseas subsidiaries/export*	15.7	8.0	51.2	7.5	6.5	0.5	22.7	21.3	6.6
Shionogi Inc.	9.0	4.8	53.7	4.6	5.1	0.2	13.2	12.0	10.3
Osphena <sup>®</sup>	4.8	1.2	24.8	1.4	(16.8)	(0.2)	3.8	3.1	20.8
C&O	4.7	1.3	28.5	1.7	(24.1)	(0.4)	4.7	5.0	(7.1)
Contract manufacturing*	3.9	1.6	41.9	3.0	(45.4)	(1.4)	5.4	9.9	(45.9)
OTC and quasi-drugs	2.1	1.2	58.4	1.2	5.2	0.0	3.8	3.6	5.0
Royalty income	51.3	30.9	60.2	14.0	120.0	16.9	68.4	42.3	61.4
Royalty income for the sales of Crestor® and HIV franchise	45.0	25.7	57.1	12.0	113.4	13.7	60.7	36.4	66.7
Crestor <sup>®</sup>	-	12.0	-	10.7	12.0	1.3	35.7	35.1	1.6
HIV franchise	-	13.7	-	1.3	-	12.4	25.0	1.3	-
Others	1.6	0.9	54.1	0.8	1.9	0.1	2.3	2.3	(3.1)
Total	163.2	87.6	53.7	70.4	24.4	17.2	225.9	200.3	12.8

Eight strategic products: Crestor®, Irbetan® franchise, Cymbalta® (3 key products), and OxyContin® franchise, Finibax®, Differin®, Pirespa®, Rapiacta®



#### 3Q FY2015 Results

## **Statements of Income (Consolidated)**



(Units: B yen)

	EV	2015		FY2014	Υo	n V	FY2015	FY2014	o. b yell)
	2H forecasts	Oct-Dec results	Progress vs. forecasts (%)	Oct-Dec results	change (%)	change	Apr-Dec results	Apr-Dec results	Y on Y change (%)
Sales	163.2	87.6	53.7	70.4	24.4	17.2	225.9	200.3	12.8
[Royalty* income]	45.0	25.7	57.1	12.0	113.4	13.7	60.7	36.4	66.7
Cost of sales	22.7 [31.3] 37.0	21.4 [30.2] 18.7	50.5	29.3 [35.3] 20.6	(9.2)	(1.9)	<sup>24.4</sup> [33.4] <b>55.2</b>	29.3 [35.9] 58.8	(6.1)
Gross profit	126.2		54.6		38.4	19.1			20.7
SG&A expenses	50.3 82.1	<sup>42.7</sup> 37.4		<sup>51.8</sup> 36.5	2.6	0.9		<sup>52.6</sup> 105.4	(0.1)
Selling & general expenses	54.9	23.9	43.6	24.1	(0.5)	(0.2)	70.0	69.8	0.2
R&D expenses	27.2			12.4	8.6	1.1	35.3		(8.0)
Operating income	27.0 44.1		71.5		136.2	18.2			81.5
[Excluding royalty* income]	(0.9)	5.9	•	1.3	342.2	4.6	4.8	(0.3)	-
Non-operating income and expenses	P9.1		2.5	P7.0	(96.7)	(6.8)			(93.1)
Ordinary income	32.6 53.2	<sup>36.2</sup> 31.8		28.8	56.4	11.5		<sup>25.8</sup> 51.7	28.7
Extraordinary income and loss	L0.0	L1.1	-	P4.3	-	(5.4)	L1.3	P4.5	-
Income before income taxes	53.2	30.6	57.5	24.6	24.6	6.0	65.3	56.2	16.1
Total income taxes, etc.	15.6	10.3	66.2	8.0	28.9	2.3	23.6	30.0	(21.3)
Profit attributable to	23.0	23.1		23.5			18.4	13.1	
owners of parent	37.6	20.3	53.9	16.6	22.5	3.7	41.7	26.3	58.7

Note: Small numbers in red are percent of sales, and numbers in red provided in parentheses are percent of sales excluding royalties 22 \* Royalty income from AstraZeneca and ViiV for the sales of Crestor® and HIV franchise



# Appendix - SGS2020 -



## **SHIONOGI's Strategy**



### SHIONOGI's medium-term business plans since 2000

	Clear priorities and focused resourcing	Growth strategy
1 <sup>st</sup> mid-term business plan (FY2000-FY2004)	Focused specifically on the prescription drug business	Established infrastructure for global development
2 <sup>nd</sup> mid-term business plan (FY2005-FY2009)	Focused on Priority therapeutic areas (infectious diseases, pain and metabolic syndrome	Acquired US-based Sciele Pharma, Inc.
3 <sup>rd</sup> mid-term business plan (FY2010-FY2013)	In Japan, increased sales of eight strategic products Shifted US business focus from 505(b)2s to innovative drugs	Established business footholds in EU and China Modified the Crestor® royalty structure Established a new business scheme for HIV integrase inhibitor franchise
Current mid-term business plan SGS2020 (FY2014-FY2020)	Focus on regions with the highest growth potential Focus on unmet medical needs of the present, near future and future	Growth led by FIC and LIC compounds Accelerate development our pipelines discovered from Shionogi's R&D Developing better relationship with business partners Enhancement of business operations

- Predicting the future from environmental changes and continuing clear priorities and focused resourcing
- Set the business targets in the next three years for sustainable growth by clarifying annual results and business status each year on a rolling basis





### **Revision of FY2015 Financial Forecasts**

## **Favorable progress toward achieving FY2017 targets**

FY2014 (Results)

FY2015 (Forecasts)
Revised on Oct. 29

FY2017 (Targets\*)

**Net sales** 

**274.0** B yen

296.0 **301.5** B yen

**350.0** B yen

Cost of sales

30.0 %

24.8 🔷 24.4 %

**25** %\*

Ordinary income

**77.9** B yen

79.5 **38.0** B yen

**90.0** B yen

ROE

9.4 %

10.6 🔷 11.9 %

12.0 %

## S-O-N-G for you!

## **Financial Strategy in SGS2020**

- Financial Strategy: Business operation focusing capital efficiency (Setting ROE target)
  - Share holder returns
    - Steady increase in dividends
      - ✓ Plan to full-year dividend for FY2015: ¥60.0
    - Flexible share buyback
  - Investment for further growth
  - Strategic business opportunities



Balancing three key factors to maximize the enterprise value by Utilizing incomes from the evolution of core businesses





## SGS2020 Rolling Plan (Targets for FY2017)

### Targets for FY2017 - the next rolling three-year period of SGS2020

FY2015

FY2016

FY2017

FY2018

FY2019

FY2020

Clear priorities and focused resourcing

**Growth led by FIC and LIC compounds** 

**Evolution of Core Business** 

Shift Gears for Growth

Net sales 350 B yen
Ordinary income 90 B yen
ROE 12%

Net sales 500 B yen Ordinary income 125 B yen ROE 15%

## Clarify annual results and business status in three-year rolling plans FY2015 to FY2017: Advancing core businesses and positioning for further growth

- ➤ Maximize the value of Crestor® and Cymbalta® in Japan
- ➤ Increase revenues from Osphena® in the US
- > Strengthen pipeline in our core therapeutic areas
- > Develop an operating structure independent of royalty income



## **Forward-Looking Statements**



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