

Executive Summary of Consolidated Financial Results for the year ended March 31, 2021

Yakult Honsha Co., Ltd.

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General outline of Consolidated financial results



- **◆Total [Decrease in sales and profit]**
- **◆Food and Beverages (Japan)**

[Decrease in sales and increase profit]

- Dairy products: The effect of new products (Yakult 1000 etc.) and increase in the number of bottles sold.
- Beverages etc.: Decrease in the number of bottles sold due to the novel coronavirus infection.
- **◆Food and Beverages (Overseas)**

[Decrease in sales and profit]

- Decrease in sales volume.
- Decrease in sales and profit due to appreciation of yen etc.
- **◆Pharmaceuticals**

(Decrease in sales and increase profit)

- Impact by NHI drug price revision.
- Decrease in expenses due to refraining from sales activities.

Consolidated financial results (1)



	FY2020	FY2019	Differe	ence
	(2020.4-2021.3)	(2019.4-2020.3)		Year-on-Year
Net sales	385.7	406.0	(20.2) Fx impact (11.2)	95.0%
Operating profit	43.6	45.6	(1.9) Fx impact (2.3)	95.7%
Ordinary profit	57.6	58.4	(0.8) Fx impact (2.8)	98.5%
Profit attributable to owners of parent	39.2	39.7	(0.4) Fx impact (1.7)	98.8%
Basic earnings per share	(yen) 244.85	(yen) 248.04	(yen) (3.19)	98.7%
Operating profit margin	11.3%	11.2%	+ 0.1	

Consolidated Statement of Income



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	FY2020	FY2019 (2019.4-2020.3)	Difference		FY2020	FY2019 (2019.4-2020.3)	Difference
Net sales Cost of sales	385.7 158.8	406.0 171.3	(20.2) (12.4)		0.2	0.1	0.0
Gross profit	226.8	234.6	(7.8)	Gain on sales of investment securities	3.7	2.5	1.2
Selling, general and administrative expenses	183.1	188.9	(5.8)		0.5	0.0	0.4
Operating profit	43.6	45.6	(1.9)	Extraordinary income	4.5	2.7	1.8
Interest income	3.7	5.4	(1.7)	Loss on retirement of non-current assets	0.4	0.7	(0.3)
Dividend income	2.0	2.0	(0.0)	Impairment loss	0.4	0.4	(0.0)
Share of profit of entities accounted for using equity method	3.9	5.0	(1.1)	Loss on valuation of investment securities	0.6	0.9	(0.3)
Foreign exchange gains	2.6	_	2.6	Expense related to a novel coronavirus	1.1	_	1.1
Others	3.1	2.1	0.9	Others	0.1	0.2	(0.1)
Non-operating income	15.3	14.7	0.6	Extraordinary losses	2.7	2.4	0.3
Interest expenses	0.7	0.8	(0.1)	Profit before income taxes	59.3	58.7	0.6
Others	0.7	1.0	(0.3)	Income taxes	15.8	13.8	1.9
				Profit	43.4	44.8	(1.3)
Non-operating expenses	1.4	1.9	(0.4)	Profit attributable to non-controlling interests	4.2	5.1	(0.8)
Ordinary profit	57.6	58.4	(0.8)	Profit attributable to owners of parent	39.2	39.7	(0.4)

Consolidated financial results (2)



	As of Mar. 31	As of Mar. 31	Differe	ence
	(FY2020)	(FY2019)		Year-on-Year
Total assets	635.1	627.8	+ 7.2	101.2%
Net assets	439.7	412.0	+ 27.6	106.7%
Net assets per share	(yen) 2,523.81	(yen) 2,330.58	(yen) + 193.23	108.3%
Equity-to-asset ratio	63.8%	59.5%	+ 4.3	
ROE	10.1%	10.9%	(0.8)	
ROA	9.1%	9.4%	(0.3)	

Consolidated Balance Sheet



	As of Mar. 31	As of Mar. 31	Difference		As of Mar. 31	As of Mar. 31	Difference
	(FY2020)	(FY2019)			(FY2020)	(FY2019)	
Assets				Liabilities			
Cash and deposits	176.2	175.6	0.6	Notes and accounts payable - trade	22.7	26.2	(3.4)
Notes and accounts receivable - trade	50.3	51.8	(1.5)	Short-term borrowings	20.8	32.7	(11.8)
Inventories	27.7	28.7	(1.0)	Others	49.9	50.1	(0.1)
Others	12.5	9.5	2.9	Current liabilities	93.5	109.0	(15.5)
Current assets	266.8	265.8	0.9	Long-term borrowings	65.7	70.6	(4.9)
				Net defined benefit liability	4.3	6.4	(2.0)
Property, plant and equipment	203.0	203.9	(0.9)	Others	31.7	29.6	2.0
				Non-Current liabilities	101.7	106.7	(4.9)
Intangible assets	5.3	4.4	0.9	Total Liabilities	195.3	215.7	(20.4)
Investment securities	80.2	77.0	3.2	Net Assets			
Shares of affiliates	65.3	62.7	2.5	Shareholder's equity	430.6	397.6	33.0
Others	14.3	13.8	0.4	Accumulated other comprehensive income	(25.7)	(24.2)	(1.5)
Investments and other assets	159.8	153.6	6.2	Non-controlling interests	34.8	38.7	(3.8)
				Total Net Assets	439.7	412.0	27.6
Total Assets	635.1	627.8	7.2	Total Liabilities and Net Assets	635.1	627.8	7.2

Increase / Decrease in Net sales (1)

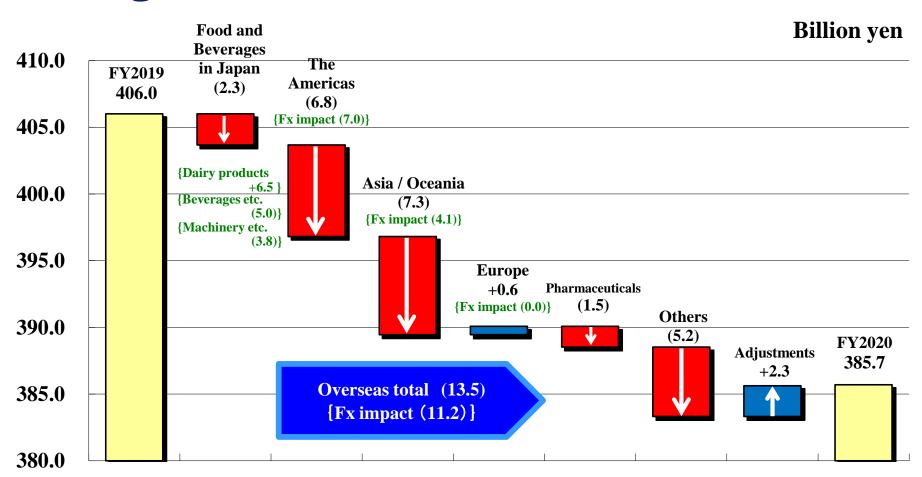


Segment	Net S	Sales	Year-o	n-Year
Segment	FY2020 (2020.4-2021.3)	FY2019 (2019.4-2020.3)	Amount	Rate
Food and Beverages in Japan	207.0	209.3	(2.3)	(1.1)%
The Americas	41.8	48.7	(6.8)	(14.1)%
Asia / Oceania	114.9	122.3	(7.3)	(6.0)%
Europe	8.5	7.9	+ 0.6	+ 7.9 %
Food and Beverages (Overseas)	165.4	179.0	(13.5) Fx impact (11.2)	(7.6)%
Pharmaceuticals	18.1	19.6	(1.5)	(7.9)%
Others	17.7	22.9	(5.2)	(22.7)%
Adjustments	(22.5)	(24.9)	+ 2.3	(9.5)%
Total	385.7	406.0	(20.2)	(5.0)%

Increase / Decrease in Net sales (2)



Change amount (20.2)



Increase / Decrease in Operating profit (1)

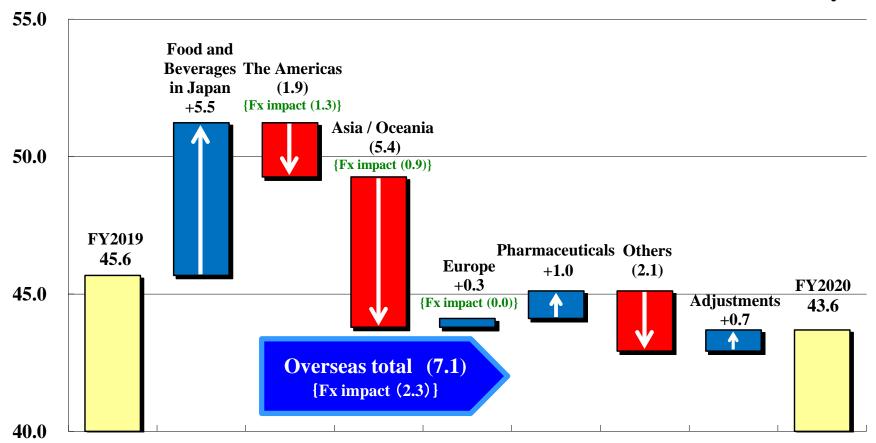


Sogmont	Operation	ng Profit	Year-o	n-Year
Segment	FY2020 (2020.4-2021.3)	FY2019 (2019.4-2020.3)	Amount	Rate
Food and Beverages in Japan	23.7	18.2	+ 5.5	+ 30.5 %
The Americas	10.3	12.3	(1.9)	(15.9)%
Asia / Oceania	26.3	31.8	(5.4)	(17.2)%
Europe	0.6	0.3	+ 0.3	+ 95.1 %
Food and Beverages (Overseas)	37.4	44.5	(7.1) Fx impact (2.3)	(16.0)%
Pharmaceuticals	0.1	(0.8)	+ 1.0	
Others	(0.1)	2.0	(2.1)	
Adjustments	(17.5)	(18.3)	+ 0.7	(4.2)%
Total	43.6	45.6	(1.9)	(4.3)%

Increase / Decrease in Operating profit (2)



Change amount (1.9)



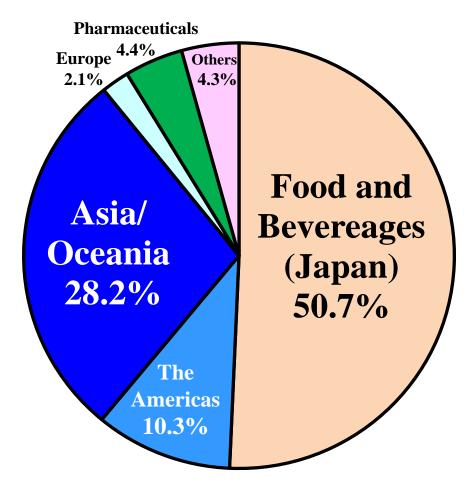
Segment share of consolidated sales





Pharmaceuticals 4.6% Europe **Others** 1.8% 5.3% Food and Asia/ **Bevereages** Oceania (Japan) 28.4% 48.6% The Americas 11.3%

FY2020



Overseas total: 41.5%

Overseas total: 40.6%

Number of bottles sold of dairy products (Daily average basis)



(Thousands of bottles / day)

Region	Current	Previous	Year-on Year
Japan	9,583	9,488	101.0%
Brazil	1,482	1,552	95.4%
Mexico	3,496	3,832	91.2%
America	463	378	122.6%
The Americas total	5,441	5,763	94.4%
Hong Kong	450	513	87.7%
Shingapore	273	224	121.7%
Indonesia	6,727	6,366	105.7%
Australia	270	252	107.1%
Malaysia	346	350	99.0%
Vietnam	650	529	123.0%
India	192	238	80.6%
Middle East	16	18	91.1%
Myanmar	17	5	369.2%
Guangzhou	2,770	2,916	95.0%
Shanghai	490	559	87.7%
Beijing	380	426	89.1%
China	3,372	3,709	90.9%
(China total)	7,012	7,609	92.2%
Asia / Oceania total	15,953	16,103	99.1%

Region	Current	Previous	Year-on Year
Netherlands	170	160	105.8%
Belgium	82	78	105.2%
United Kingdom	225	194	116.2%
Germany	77	75	102.1%
Austria	11	10	110.2%
Italia	101	95	106.0%
Europe total	666	613	108.7%
Overseas total	22,059	22,479	98.1%
Consolidated total	31,642	31,967	99.0%

[Ref] Affiliates

Region	Current	Previous	Year-on Year
Taiwan	656	673	97.4%
Thailand	2,070	2,185	94.6%
Korea	2,750	3,092	88.9%
Philippines	3,030	3,196	94.7%
Affiliates total	8,506	9,146	93.0%

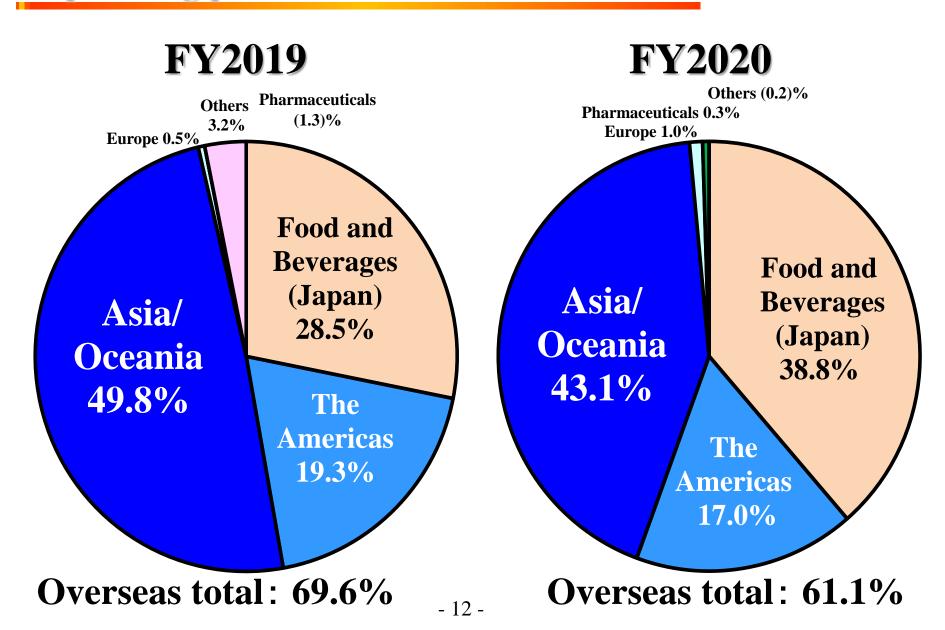
Grand Total	40,148	41,113	97.7%
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Japan : Sales in April, 2020 to March, 2021 Overseas : Sales in January to December, 2020

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Segment share of consolidated Operating profit

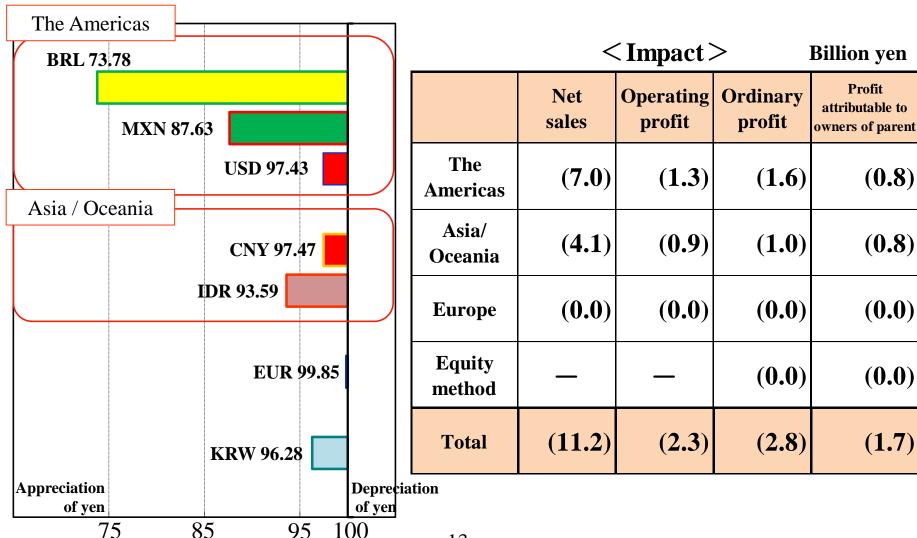




Impact by Foreign Exchange Rate (compared to the previous period)



<Average rate from Jan to Dec, 2019=100>
Average rate from Jan to Dec, 2020



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Forecast For FY2021 (Consolidated)

General outline of Consolidated financial forecast



- **◆**Total Increase in sales and profit.
- **◆Food and Beverages in Japan**Increase profit due to increase in the number of bottles sold,
 (Expansion of Yakult 1000 around Japan etc.).
- **◆Food and Beverages (Overseas)**
 - Sales volume are almost the same as FY2020.
 - Increase in sales and profit due to depreciation of yen.
- **◆Pharmaceuticals**Decrease sales due to impact by NHI drug price revision.
 Increase profit due to decrease in operating expenses.

Consolidated annual forecast for FY2021



Billion yen

	Forecast	FY2020	Differe	ence
	(2021.4-2022.3)	(2020.4-2021.3)		Year-on Year
Net sales	408.5	385.7	+ 22.7 Fx impact +7.9	105.9%
Operating profit	50.0	43.6	+ 6.3 Fx impact +2.0	114.4%
Ordinary profit	60.0	57.6	+ 2.3 Fx impact +2.3	104.2%
Profit attributable to owners of parent	41.0	39.2	+ 1.7 Fx impact +1.7	104.4%
Basic earnings per share	(yen) 255.53	(yen) 244.85	(yen) + 10.68	104.4%

**"Accounting Standard for Revenue Recognition" is applied from FY2021 and Net sales decrease

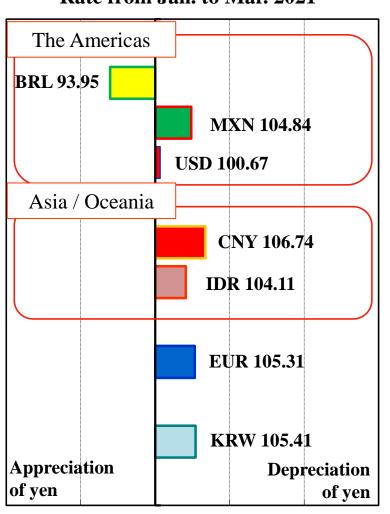
6.5 billion yen. (Reference P.19,20)

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Impact by Foreign Exchange Rate (compared to the previous period)



<Jan-Dec, 2020=100>
Rate from Jan. to Mar. 2021



90

100

110

< Impact >	Billion yen
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	Net sales	Operating profit	Ordinary profit	Profit attributable to owners of parent
The Americas	+ 0.7	+ 0.3	+ 0.4	+ 0.2
Asia/ Oceania	+ 6.6	+ 1.6	+ 1.7	+ 1.3
Europe	+ 0.6	+ 0.1	+ 0.1	+ 0.1
Equity method	_	_	+ 0.1	+ 0.1
Total	+ 7.9	+ 2.0	+ 2.3	+ 1.7

Forecast of Consolidated sales by segment (Forecast for Next fiscal year)



Segment	Foregoet	FY2020	Year-on-Year		
Segment	Forecast (2021.4-2022.3)	(2020.4-2021.3)	Amount ①	Rate	
Food and Beverages in Japan	201.7	207.0	(5.3)	(2.6)%	
The Americas	43.0	41.8	+ 1.1	+ 2.7 %	
Asia / Oceania	125.1	114.9	+ 10.1	+ 8.8 %	
Europe	10.1	8.5	+ 1.5	+ 17.9 %	
Food and Beverages (Overseas)	178.2	165.4	+ 12.7 Fx impact +7.9	+ 7.7 %	
Pharmaceuticals	16.0	18.1	(2.1)	(11.7)%	
Others	19.8	17.7	+ 2.0	+ 11.8 %	
Adjustments	(7.2)	(22.5)	+ 15.3	(68.1)%	
Total	408.5	385.7	+ 22.7	+ 5.9 %	

Year-on-Year breakdown				
Impact amount of "Accounting Standard for Revenue Recognition" ②	Real Increase / Decrease ①-②			
(21.7)	+ 16.3			
-	+ 1.1			
-	+ 10.1			
_	+ 1.5			
-	+ 12.7			
(0.7)	(1.4)			
(0.4)	+ 2.4			
+ 16.3	(0.9)			
(6.5)	+ 29.2			

Forecast of Consolidated operating profit by segment (Forecast for Next fiscal year)



Billion yen

Segment	Operation	ng profit	Year-on-Year	
beginent	Forecast (2021.4-2022.3)	FY2020 (2020.4-2021.3)	Amount	Rate
Food and Beverages in Japan	27.1	23.7	+ 3.3	+ 14.0 %
The Americas	10.3	10.3	(0.0)	(0.9)%
Asia / Oceania	28.7	26.3	+ 2.3	+ 8.8 %
Europe	0.8	0.6	+ 0.1	+ 23.3 %
Food and Beverages (Overseas)	39.8	37.4	+ 2.3 Fx impact +2.0	+ 6.4 %
Pharmaceuticals	1.1	0.1	+ 0.9	+ 474.9 %
Others	(0.1)	(0.1)	+ 0.0	
Adjustments	(17.9)	(17.5)	(0.3)	+ 2.0 %
Total	50.0	43.6	+ 6.3	+ 14.4 %

****Application of "Accounting Standard for Revenue Recognition" have no effect on operating profit.**- 18 -

Reference: Forecast of Consolidated sales impact amount due to application of revenue recognition



Segment		Forecast (2021.4-2022.3)		Impost		
		After application of "Accounting Standard for Revenue Recognition"	Before application of "Accounting Standard for Revenue Recognition"	Impact amount	Adjustment details	
Food a	and Beverages in Japan	201.7	223.4	(21.7)	Display in net amount the sales machinery of dairy products.(Agent transaction) Sales offset sales expenses (Center fee , Sales incentives, etc.)	
	The Americas	43.0	43.0	_		
	Asia / Oceania	125.1	125.1	_		
	Europe	10.1	10.1	<u>—</u>		
Food a	and Beverages (Overseas)	178.2	178.2	_		
Pharm	aceuticals	16.0	16.7	(0.7)	Sales offset sales expenses (Sales incentives, etc.)	
Others	5	19.8	20.2	(0.4)	Sales offset sales expenses (Sales incentives, etc.)	
Adjust	ments	(7.2)	(23.5)	+ 16.3	Decrease adjustments due to display in net amount the sales machinery of dairy products.	
	Total	408.5	415.0	(6.5)		

Reference: Forecast of Consolidated sales by segment (Forecast for Next fiscal year)



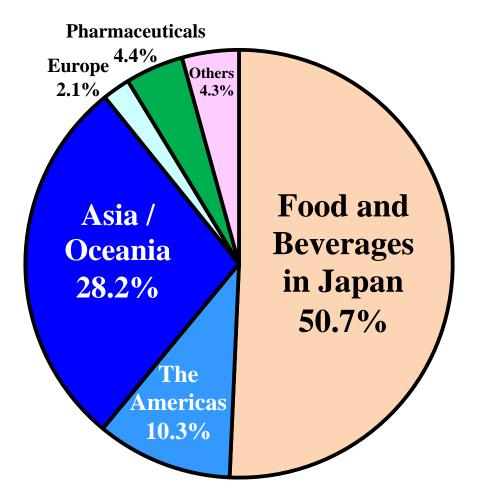
****Forecast (before applying "Accounting Standard for Revenue Recognition") vs FY2020**

Segment	Forecast (2021.4-2022.3)	FY2020	Real Increase / Decrease	
	Before application of "Accounting Standard for Revenue Recognition"	(2020.4-2021.3)	Amount	Rate
Food and Beverages in Japan	223.4	207.0	+ 16.3	+ 7.9 %
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Others	20.2	17.7	+ 2.4	+ 14.1 %
Adjustments	(23.5)	(22.5)	(0.9)	+ 4.1 %
Total	415.0	385.7	+ 29.2	+ 7.6 %

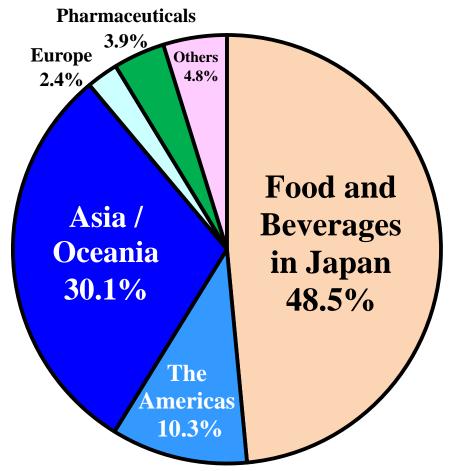
Segment share of consolidated sales







FY2021 (Forecast)

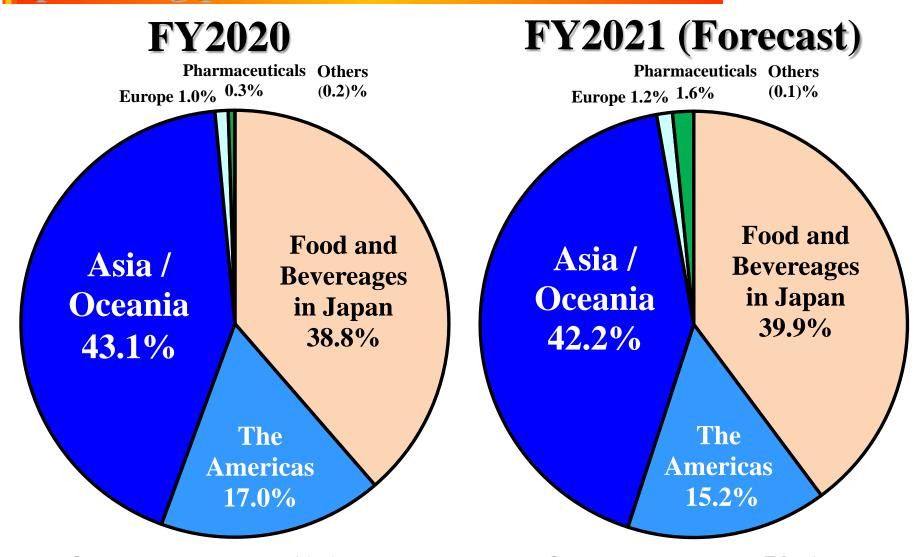


Over seas total: 40.6%

Over seas total: 42.8%

Segment share of consolidated operating profit



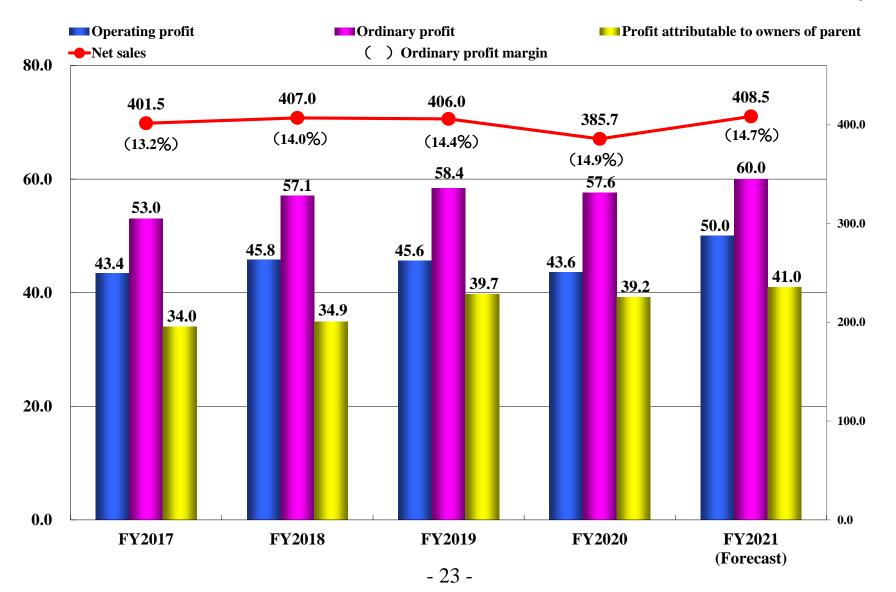


Over seas total: 61.1%

Over seas total: 58.6%

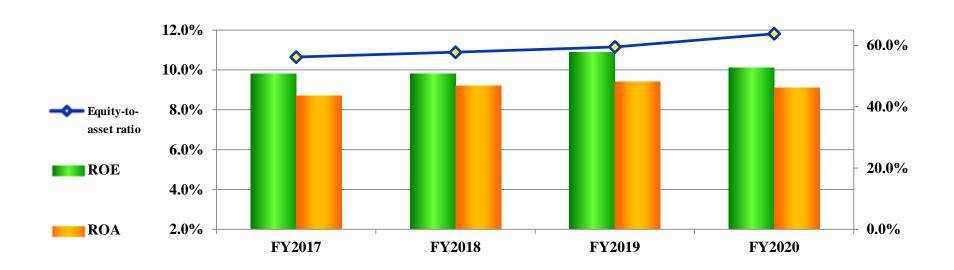
Trend of consolidated sales and profit Yakult





Trend of management index





	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020
Equity-to- asset ratio	56.2%	57.8%	59.5%	63.8%
ROE	9.8%	9.8%	10.9%	10.1%
ROA	8.7%	9.2%	9.4%	9.1%

Thank you.

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