

Executive Summary of Consolidated Financial Results for the year ended March 31, 2022

Yakult Honsha Co., Ltd.

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General outline of Consolidated financial results



- **◆**Total [Increase in sales and profit]
- **◆Food and Beverages (Japan)**[Decrease in sales and increase in profit]
 - Increase in the number of bottles sold and increase in profit due to Expansion of Yakult 1000 (Home delivery) around Japan and
 - Decrease in sales (Sales of machinery etc.) due to application of "Accounting Standard for Revenue Recognition".
- **◆**Food and Beverages (Overseas) [Increase in sales and profit]

new release of Y 1000 (Retail store).

- Increase in sales volume.
- Positive impact of foreign exchange due to depreciation of Yen, etc.
- **◆**Pharmaceuticals

[Decrease in sales and increase in profit]

- Decrease in sales decrease in width due to the increase of promotion income, despite of NHI drug price revision.
- Decrease in operating expenses.

Consolidated financial results (1)



	FY2021	FY2020	Differe	ence
	(2021.4-2022.3)	(2020.4-2021.3)		Year-on- Year
Net sales	415.1	385.7	+ 29.4 Fx impact +14.2	107.6%
Operating profit	53.2	43.6	+ 9.5 Ex impact +3.1	121.8%
Ordinary profit	68.5	57.6	+ 10.9 Fx impact +3.8	119.0%
Profit attributable to owners of parent	44.9	39.2	+ 5.6 Fx impact +2.9	114.4%
Basic earnings per share	(yen) 280.36	(yen) 244.85	(yen) + 35.51	114.5%
Operating profit margin	12.8%	11.3%	+ 1.5	_

^{}** "Accounting Standard for Revenue Recognition" is applied from FY2021 and Net sales decrease 7.6 billion yen. (Reference P.6)

Consolidated Statement of Income



	FY2021 (2021.4-2022.3)	FY2020 (2020.4-2021.3)	Difference		FY2021 (2021.4-2022.3)	FY2020	Difference
Net sales	415.1	385.7	29.4	Gain on sales of non-current assets	0.1	0.2	(0.1)
Cost of sales	166.6	158.8	7.8	Gain on sales of investment securities	2.3	3.7	(1.3)
Gross profit	248.4	226.8	21.5	Gain on step acquisitions	1.1	_	1.1
Selling, general and administrative expenses	195.2	183.1	12.0	Others	0.5	0.5	0.0
Operating profit	53.2	43.6	9.5	Extraordinary income	4.2	4.5	(0.2)
				Loss on sales of non-current assets	1.1	0.0	1.1
Interest income	3.3	3.7	(0.4)	Loss on retirement of non-current assets	0.5	0.4	0.0
Dividend income	1.9	2.0	(0.0)	Impairment loss	1.6	0.4	1.2
Share of profit of entities accounted for using equity method	6.4	3.9	2.5	Loss on valuation of investment securities	0.0	0.6	(0.6)
Foreign exchange gains	2.4	2.6	(0.1)	Expense related to a novel coronavirus	_	1.1	(1.1)
Others	2.6	3.1	(0.4)	Others	0.0	0.0	(0.0)
Non-operating income	16.7	15.3	1.3	Extraordinary losses	3.3	2.7	0.5
				Profit before income taxes	69.4	59.3	10.1
Interest expenses	0.6	0.7	(0.0)	Income taxes	20.1	15.8	4.3
Others	0.7	0.7	0.0	Profit	49.2	43.4	5.7
Non-operating expenses	1.4	1.4	(0.0)	Profit attributable to non-controlling interests	4.3	4.2	0.1
Ordinary profit	68.5	57.6	10.9	Profit attributable to owners of parent	44.9	39.2	5.6

Consolidated financial results (2)



	Mar. 31.2022	Mar. 31.2021	Differ	ence
	(FY2021)	(FY2020)		Year-on- Year
Total assets	672.8	635.1	+ 37.7	105.9%
Net assets	484.9	439.7	+ 45.1	110.3%
Net assets per share	(yen) 2,812.63	(yen) 2,523.81	(yen) + 288.82	111.4%
Equity-to-asset ratio	66.3%	63.8%	+ 2.5	
ROE	10.6%	10.1%	+ 0.5	
ROA	10.5%	9.1%	+ 1.4	

Consolidated Balance Sheet



	Mar. 31.2022	Mar. 31.2021	Difference		Mar. 31.2022	Mar. 31.2021	Difference
	(FY2021)	(FY2020)			(FY2021)	(FY2020)	
Assets				Liabilities			
Cash and deposits	202.9	176.2	26.6	Notes and accounts payable - trade	26.0	22.7	3.3
Notes and accounts receivable - trade	52.5	50.3	2.2	Short-term loans payable	10.2	20.8	(10.6)
Inventories	30.6	27.7	2.9	Others	53.0	49.9	3.0
Others	14.2	12.5	1.7	Current liabilities	89.2	93.5	(4.2)
Current assets	300.3	266.8	33.5	Long-term loans payable	60.2	65.7	(5.4)
				Net defined benefit liability	4.2	4.3	(0.0)
Property, plant and equipment	211.1	203.0	8.1	Others	34.0	31.7	2.3
				Non-Current liabilities	98.6	101.7	(3.1)
Intangible assets	5.3	5.3	0.0	Total Liabilities	187.9	195.3	(7.4)
Investment securities	67.6	80.2	(12.6)	Net Assets			
Shares of affiliates	73.0	65.3	7.7	Shareholder's equity	454.1	430.6	23.4
Others	15.2	14.3	0.9	Accumulated other comprehensive income	(8.1)	(25.7)	17.6
Investments and other assets	155.9	159.8	(3.9)	Non-controlling interests	38.8	34.8	4.0
				Total Net Assets	484.9	439.7	45.1
Total Assets	672.8	635.1	37.7	Total Liabilities and Net Assets	672.8	635.1	37.7

Increase / Decrease in Net sales (1)



Cogmont	Net Sales		Year-	on-Year
Segment	FY2021 (2021.4-2022.3)	FY2020 (2020.4-2021.3)	Amount ①	Rate
Food and Beverages in Japan	203.2	207.0	(3.7)	(1.8)%
The Americas	47.3	41.8	+ 5.5	+ 13.2 %
Asia / Oceania	128.1	114.9	+ 13.2	+ 11.5 %
Europe	9.4	8.5	+ 0.8	+ 9.9 %
Food and Beverages (Overseas)	185.0	165.4	+ 19.5 Fx impact + 14.2	+ 11.8 %
Pharmaceuticals	16.9	18.1	(1.1)	(6.2)%
Others	19.4	17.7	+ 1.7	+ 10.0 %
Adjustments	(9.6)	(22.5)	+ 12.9	(57.3)%
Total	415.1	385.7	+ 29.4	+ 7.6 %

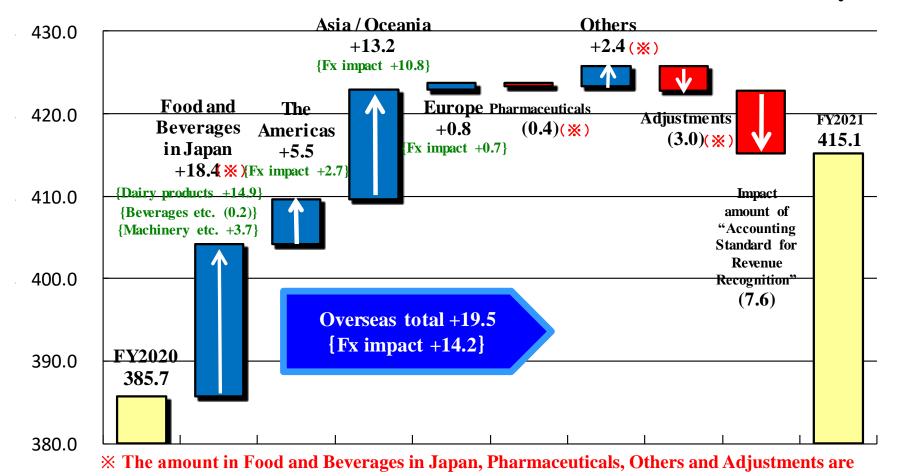
Year-on-Year breakdown		
Impact amount of "Accounting Standard for Revenue Recognition"	Real Increase / Decrease ①-②	
(22.2)	+ 18.4	
_	+ 5.5	
_	+ 13.2	
_	+ 0.8	
_	+ 19.5	
(0.7)	(0.4)	
(0.7)	+ 2.4	
+ 16.0	(3.0)	
(7.6)	+ 37.0	

Increase / Decrease in Net sales (2)



Change amount +29.4

Billion yen



real increase / decrease.

Increase / Decrease in Operating profit (1)



Billion yen

Cogmont	Operatii	ng Profit	Year-o	n-Year
Segment	FY2021 (2021.4-2022.3)	FY2020 (2020.4-2021.3)	Amount	Rate
Food and Beverages in Japan	28.2	23.7	+ 4.4	+ 18.8 %
The Americas	12.5	10.3	+ 2.1	+ 20.8 %
Asia / Oceania	24.8	26.3	(1.5)	(6.0)%
Europe	0.6	0.6	(0.0)	(4.0)%
Food and Beverages (Overseas)	37.9	37.4	+ 0.5 Fx impact +3.1	+ 1.5 %
Pharmaceuticals	2.6	0.1	+ 2.4	_
Others	(0.7)	(0.1)	(0.6)	_
Adjustments	(14.9)	(17.5)	+ 2.6	(15.0)%
Total	53.2	43.6	+ 9.5	+ 21.8 %

^{}Application of "Accounting Standard for Revenue Recognition" have no effect on operating profit.**

Effect of reviewed Adjustments (Administrative expenses) to Operating Profit (Billion Yen):

Food and Beverages in Japan (2.2)

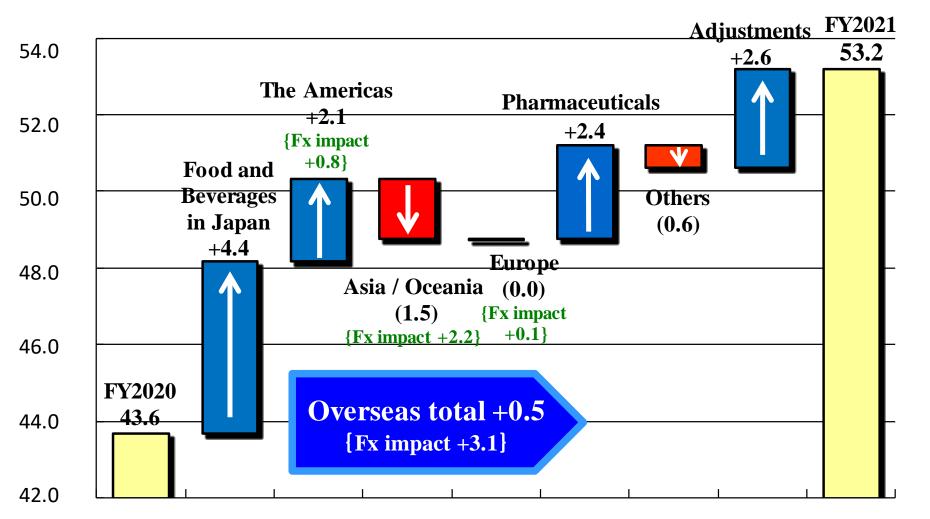
Food and Beverages (Overseas) (1.4) [The Americas (0.3), Asia / Oceania (1.0), Europe (0.0)]

Adjustments (Administrative expenses) +3.7 - 8 -

Increase / Decrease in Operating profit (2)

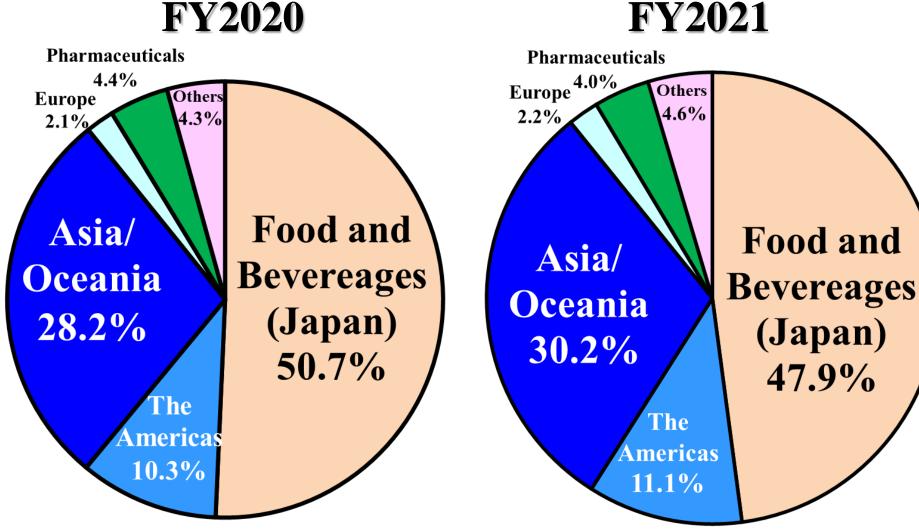


Change amount +9.5



Segment share of consolidated sales





Overseas total: 40.6%

Overseas total: 43.5%

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



(Thousands of bottles / day)

Region	Current	Previous	Year-on Year
Japan	9,786	9,583	102.1%
Brazil	1,382	1,482	93.3%
Mexico	3,438	3,496	98.3%
America	565	463	122.3%
The Americas total	5,385	5,441	99.0%
Hong Kong	422	450	93.8%
Shingapore	263	273	96.5%
Indonesia	7,328	6,727	108.9%
Australia	290	270	107.3%
Malaysia	330	346	95.2%
Vietnam	772	650	118.8%
India	225	192	117.2%
Middle East	20	16	123.8%
Myanmar	2	17	14.6%
Guangzhou	2,824	2,770	102.0%
Shanghai	431	490	87.9%
Beijing	345	380	90.7%
China	3,388	3,372	100.5%
(China total)	6,987	7,012	99.6%
Asia / Oceania total	16,639	15,953	104.3%

Region	Current	Previous	Year-on Year
Netherlands	183	170	108.1%
Belgium	84	82	102.1%
United Kingdom	237	225	105.4%
Germany	78	77	102.0%
Austria	11	11	96.6%
Italia	89	101	88.7%
Europe total	683	666	102.6%
Overseas total	22,707	22,059	102.9%
Consolidated total	32,493	31,642	102.7%

[Ref] Affiliates

Region	Current	Previous	Year-on Year
Taiwan	681	656	103.8%
Thailand	2,058	2,070	99.3%
Korea	2,661	2,750	96.8%
Philippines	3,539	3,030	116.8%
Affiliates total	8,939	8,506	105.1%

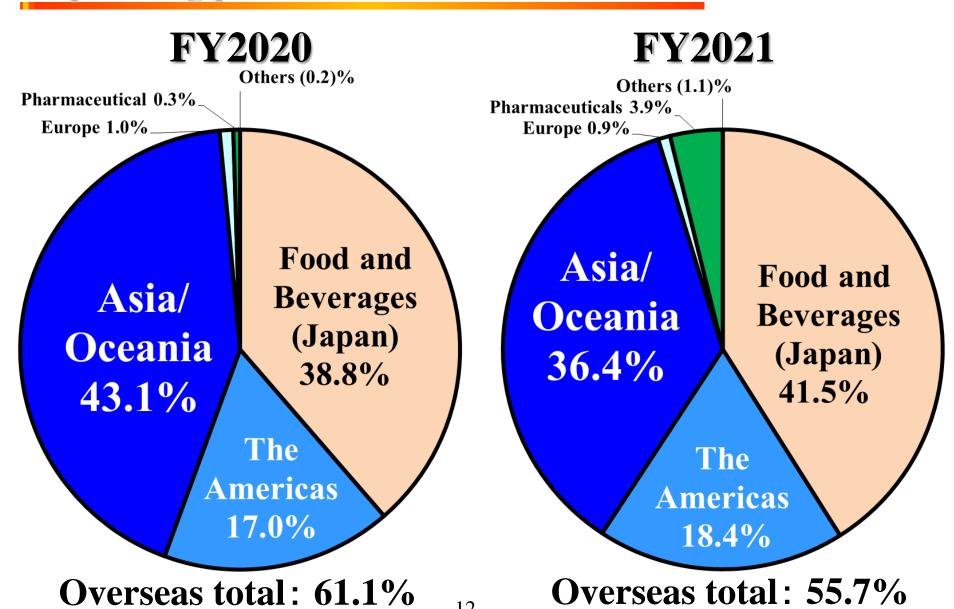
Grand Total 41,432 40,148 103.2%

Japan : Sales in April, 2021 to March, 2022 Overseas : Sales in January to December, 2021

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Segment share of consolidated Operating profit

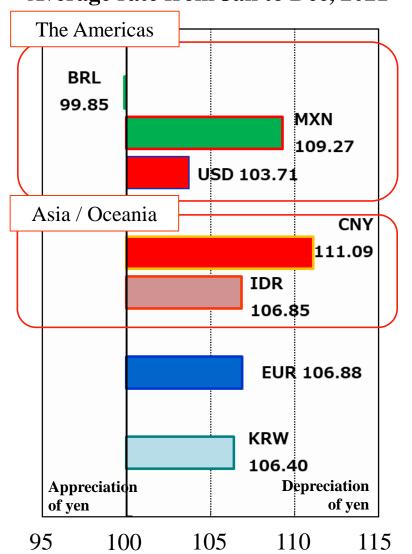




Impact by Foreign Exchange Rate (compared to the previous period)



Average rate from Jan to Dec, 2020=100> Average rate from Jan to Dec, 2021



<Impact> Billion yen

Ordinary

Profit attributable to owners of parent + 0.5

sales profit profit The + 2.7+ 0.8+ 0.9**Americas** Asia/ +10.8+ 2.2 + 2.4+ 2.0Oceania + 0.7+ 0.1+ 0.1+ 0.1**Europe Equity** + 0.3+ 0.3method + 3.1+ 3.8+ 2.9 **Total** + 14.2

Operating

Net

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Forecast For FY2022 (Consolidated)

General outline of Consolidated financial forecast



- **◆**Total
 - Increase in sales and operating profit.
- **◆Food and Beverages in Japan**Increase sales and profit due to increase in the number of bottles sold of Yakult 1000(Home delivery) and Y 1000 (Retail store).
- **◆Food and Beverages (Overseas)**Decrease profit due to rise of raw material price and increase in costs, despite of increase in sales due to increase in the number of bottles sold and the depreciation of Yen.
- **◆Pharmaceuticals**Decrease sales and profit due to impact by NHI drug price revision.



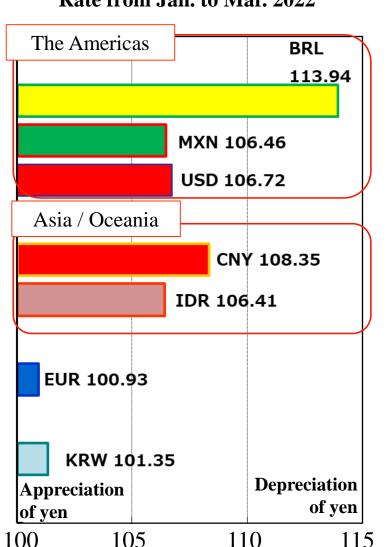


	Forecast	FY2021	Difference	
	(2022.4-2023.3)	(2021.4-2022.3)		Year-on Year
Net sales	446.5	415.1	+ 31.3 Fx impact +13.8	107.6%
Operating profit	55.0	53.2	+ 1.7 Fx impact +2.6	103.4%
Ordinary profit	68.0	68.5	(0.5) Fx impact +3.0	99.2%
Profit attributable to owners of parent	45.5	44.9	+ 0.5 Fx impact +2.0	101.3%
Basic earnings per share	(yen) 290.67	(yen) 280.36	(yen) + 10.31	103.7%

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



<Jan-Dec, 2021=100>
Rate from Jan. to Mar. 2022



< Impact >	Billion yen
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	Net sales	Operating profit	Ordinary profit	Profit attributable to owners of parent
The Americas	+ 4.3	+ 1.0	+ 1.1	+ 0.6
Asia/ Oceania	+ 9.3	+ 1.6	+ 1.8	+ 1.3
Europe	+ 0.2	_	1	_
Equity method	1	_	+ 0.1	+ 0.1
Total	+ 13.8	+ 2.6	+ 3.0	+ 2.0

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



Segment		Foregot	FY2021	Year-on-Year	
		Forecast (2022.4-2023.3)	(2021.4-2022.3)	Amount	Rate
Food	and Beverages in Japan	214.6	203.2	+ 11.3	+ 5.6 %
	The Americas	56.8	47.3	+ 9.4	+ 19.9 %
	Asia / Oceania	138.4	128.1	+ 10.2	+ 8.0 %
	Europe	10.1	9.4	+ 0.6	+ 7.3 %
Food and Beverages (Overseas)		205.3	185.0	+ 20.2 Fx impact +13.8	+ 11.0 %
Phari	maceuticals	14.0	16.9	(2.9)	(17.6)%
Other	rs	22.5	19.4	+ 3.0	+ 15.5 %
Adjustments		(9.9)	(9.6)	(0.2)	+ 2.7 %
Total		446.5	415.1	+ 31.3	+ 7.6 %

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



Segment	Operati	ng profit	Year-on-Year	
Segment	Forecast (2022.4-2023.3)	FY2021 (2021.4-2022.3)	Amount	Rate
Food and Beverages in Japa	n 30.6	28.2	+ 2.3	+ 8.3 %
The Americas	13.9	12.5	+ 1.3	+ 10.7 %
Asia / Oceania	23.2	24.8	(1.6)	(6.5)%
Europe	0.6	0.6	(0.0)	(3.7)%
Food and Beverages (Overseas	37.7	37.9	(2.0) Fx impact +2.6	(0.8)%
Pharmaceuticals	0.7	2.6	(1.9)	(73.4)%
Others	1.2	(0.7)	+ 1.9	
Adjustments	(15.2)	(14.9)	(0.2)	+ 1.9 %
Total	55.0	53.2	+ 1.7	+ 3.4 %

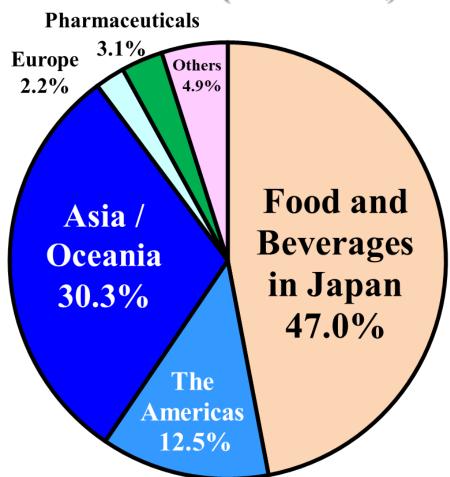
Segment share of consolidated sales





Pharmaceuticals 4.0% Europe Others 4.6% 2.2% Food and Asia / **Beverages** Oceania in Japan 30.2% 47.9% The **Americas** 11.1%

FY2022 (Forecast)

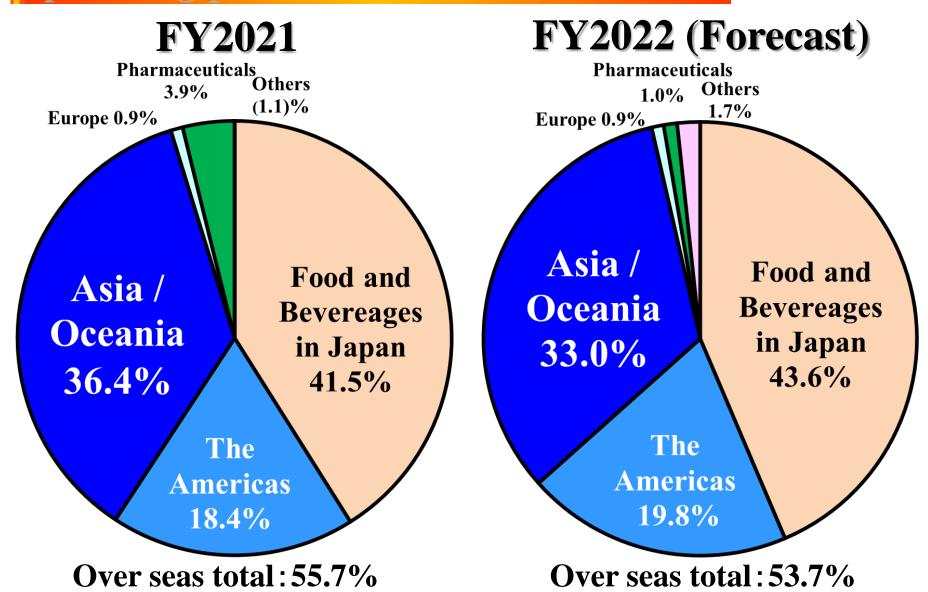


Over seas total: 43.5%

Over seas total: 45.0%

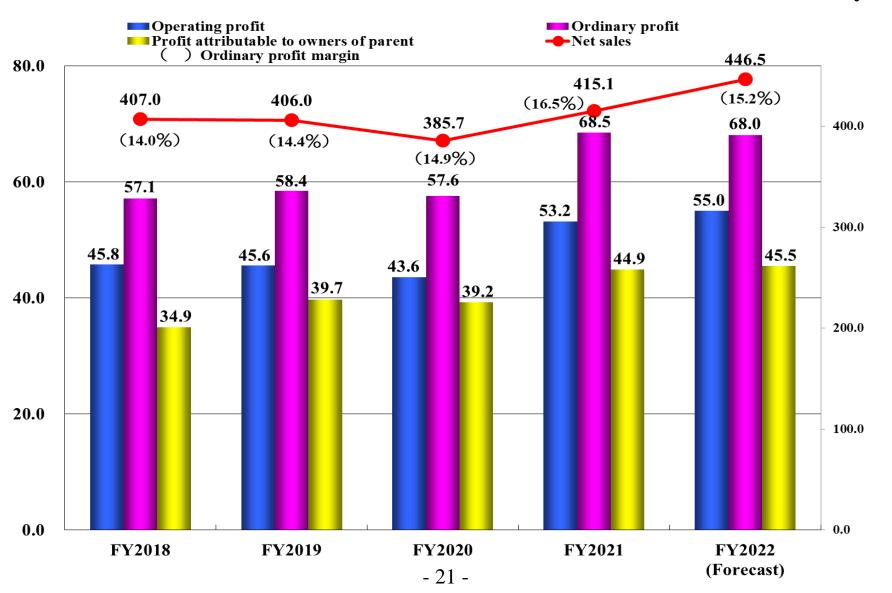
Segment share of consolidated operating profit





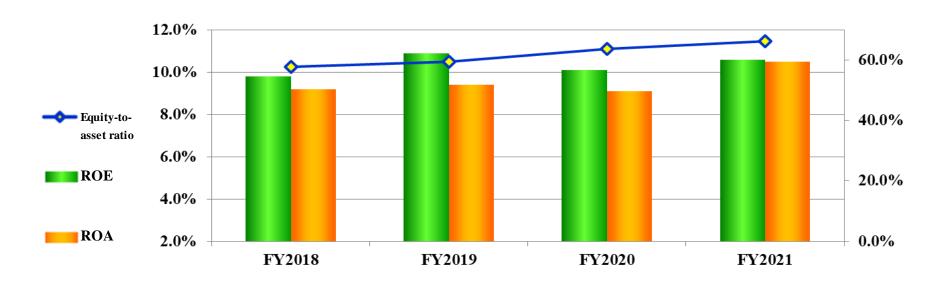
Trend of consolidated sales and profit Yakult





Trend of management index





	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021
Equity-to- asset ratio	57.8%	59.5%	63.8%	66.3%
ROE	9.8%	10.9%	10.1%	10.6%
ROA	9.2%	9.4%	9.1%	10.5%

Thank you.

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