# **Business Results for the Year Ended March 31, 2012**

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Nippon Meat Packers, Inc.



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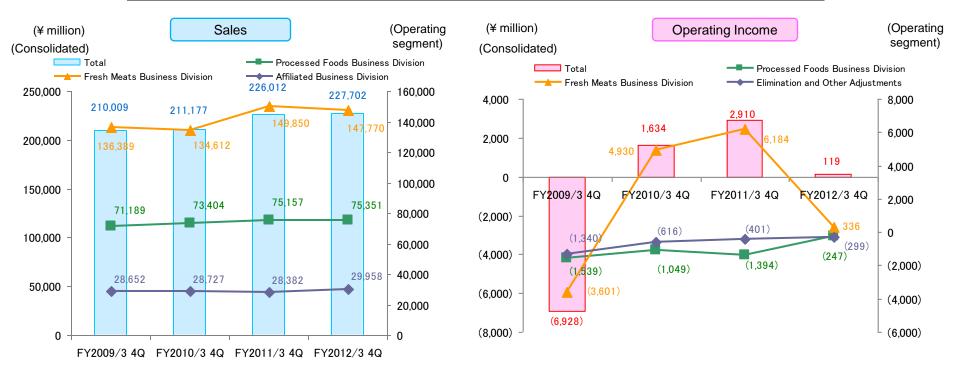
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### 1. Business Results by Operating Segment: 4Q (Jan. – Mar.)

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		FY2009/3 4Q	FY2010/3 4Q	FY2011/3 4Q	FY2012/3 4Q
Processed Foods	Sales	71,189	73,404	75,157	75,351
Business Division	Operating income	(1,539)	(1,049)	(1,394)	(247)
Fresh Meats	Sales	136,389	134,612	149,850	147,770
Business Division	Operating income	(3,601)	4,930	6,184	336
Affiliated Business	Sales	28,652	28,727	28,382	29,958
Division	Operating income	(1,340)	(616)	(401)	(299)
Elimination and other	Sales	(26,221)	(25,566)	(27,377)	(25,377)
adjustments	Operating income	(448)	(1,631)	(1,479)	329
Consolidated	Sales	210,009	211,177	226,012	227,702
Consolidated	Operating income	(6,928)	1,634	2,910	119

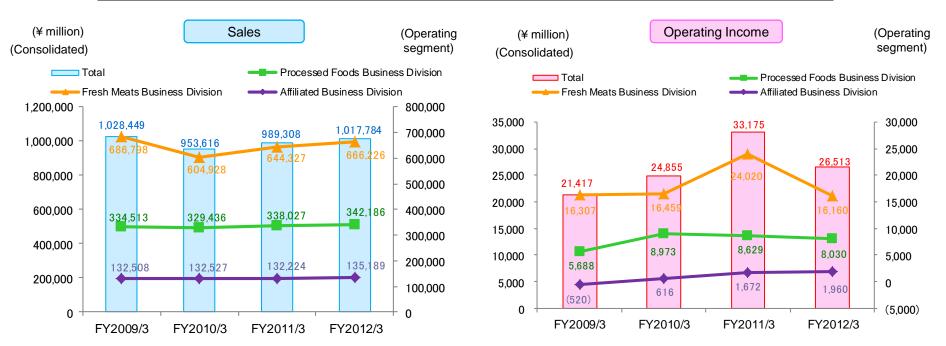


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## 2. Business Results by Operating Segment: Full Year (Apr. – Mar.)

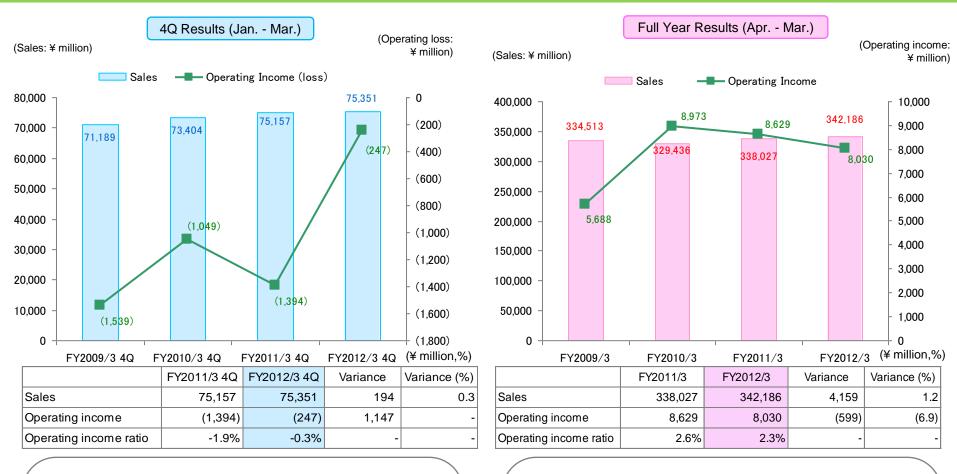
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		FY2009/3	FY2010/3	FY2011/3	FY2012/3
Processed Foods	Sales	334,513	329,436	338,027	342,186
Business Division	Operating income	5,688	8,973	8,629	8,030
Fresh Meats	Sales	686,798	604,928	644,327	666,226
Business Division	Operating income	16,307	16,459	24,020	16,160
Affiliated Business	Sales	132,508	132,527	132,224	135,189
Division	Operating income	(520)	616	1,672	1,960
Elimination and other	Sales	(125,370)	(113,275)	(125,270)	(125,817)
adjustments	Operating income	(58)	(1,193)	(1,146)	363
Consolidated	Sales	1,028,449	953,616	989,308	1,017,784
Consolidated	Operating income	21,417	24,855	33,175	26,513



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#### 3. Operating Segment Data: Processed Foods Business Division (1)



# FY2012/3 4Q (Jan. – Mar.) (Sales)

- Volumes increased for hams and sausages and processed foods, driving revenue growth. Sales of the mainstay "SCHAU ESSEN" range in particular rose 4% YoY (Operating Income)
- Increased, with volume growth and cost reductions more than offsetting higher raw material and fuel costs, and flooding in Thailand

# FY2012/3 Full year (Apr. – Mar.) (Sales)

- Rose on a focus on two leading new brands, "Mori-no-Kaori" coarse-ground wieners and "Irodori Kitchen." Mainstay consumer-use products grew from the second half (Operating Income)
- Declined, in the first half due to the earthquake disaster and soaring raw material and fuel costs, and in the second half due to flooding in Thailand

### 3. Operating Segment Data: Processed Foods Business Division (2)

#### Topics (full year)

Impact on operating income due to higher prices for raw materials and ingredients

⇒ Negatives were the increased cost of principal raw materials (¥1.5 billion), and other materials (sheep casings, etc) and fuel costs, etc (¥1.7 billion)

#### Cost management and supply chain measures

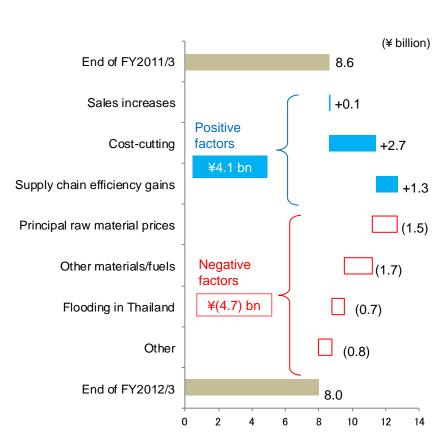
⇒ Cost-cutting benefits were below target due to the earthquake disaster (¥2.7 billion, against a targeted ¥3.9 billion), but supply chain management savings were ahead of target (¥1.3 billion, against a targeted ¥1.0 billion)

Factor Analysis: Changes in operating income

(¥ billion)

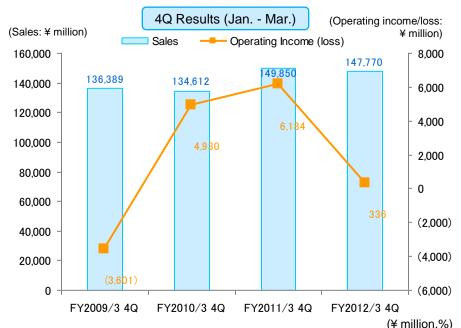
Sales increases
Cost-cutting
Supply chain efficiency gains
Principal raw/other material prices
Principal raw material prices
Other materials/fuels
Flooding in Thailand
Other
Total

	FY2012/3									
1st half	3Q (OctDec.)	4Q (JanMar.)	2nd half							
		0.1	0.1	0.1						
0.8	0.3	1.6	1.9	2.7						
0.8	0.2	0.3	0.5	1.3						
(1.2)	(0.3)	0.0	(0.3)	(1.5)						
(0.8)	(0.5)	(0.4)	(0.9)	(1.7)						
	(0.4)	(0.3)	(0.7)	(0.7)						
(0.4)	(0.2)	(0.2)	(0.4)	(0.8)						
(0.8)	(0.9)	1.1	0.2	(0.6)						



<sup>\*</sup>Due to rounding, item tallies in each division may not match totals

### 4. Operating Segment Data: Fresh Meats Business Division (1)



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	FY2011/3 4Q	FY2012/3 4Q	Variance	Variance (%)
Sales	149,850	147,770	(2,080)	(1.4
Operating income	6,184	336	(5,848)	(94.6
Operatin income ratio	4.1%	0.2%	-	

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(Sales: ¥ millio	n)		Sales	Or	orating	Income			¥ million)
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							(	¥ mil	lion,%)

	FY2011/3	FY2012/3	Variance	Variance (%)
Sales	644,327	666,226	21,899	3.4
Operating income	24,020	16,160	(7,860)	(32.7)
Operatin income ratio	3.7%	2.4%	-	-

# FY2012/3 4Q (Jan. – Mar.)

(Sales)

- Declined due chiefly to falling unit prices for poultry (Operating Income)
- Profitability worsened on imported poultry due to falling market prices
- Earnings declined due to declining market prices across the board in domestic production businesses

# FY2012/3 Full year (Apr. – Mar.) (Sales)

- Increased due to rising market prices in the first half, and on increased volumes in domestic and overseas markets (Operating Income)
- •Decreased due to falling market prices for domestically produced fresh meats since the summer, and worsening profitability in Australian businesses



## 4. Operating Segment Data: Fresh Meats Business Division (2)

Topics (full year)

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Fresh meat (Japan-produced): Pork sales were steady. Poultry supply volume was stable from the summer, but market prices declined due to blunted growth in chicken demand for nabe (casseroles) due to the warm winter

Fresh meat marketing: Nippon Food Group companies (sales of fresh meat) grew sales at volume retailers, and overall sales volumes increased 2.8% YoY (April-March) over the full year. A standout was a 7.8% rise in volumes YoY in the fourth quarter (January-March)

Domestic production: In the first half, market prices remained high, but after the summer earnings fell on lower market prices amid increased supply volumes for pork and poultry

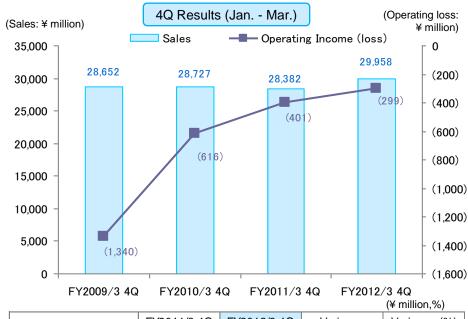
Imported fresh meat: Profitability weakened due partly to sliding wholesale prices amid increased inventory levels in Japan on rising imported poultry shipments from Brazil

Overseas businesses: Profitability worsened in Australian businesses over the year due to rising live cattle prices and the high Australian dollar (against the US dollar). In the Americas businesses, earnings slipped due to rising costs and amid high market prices for grain, which affected Texas Farm, LLC

#### (¥ billion) Factor Analysis: Changes in operating income (¥ billion) 24.0 End of FY2011/3 FY2012/3 Domestic fresh meat +2.1 market 3Q 4Q **Positive** 1st half 2nd half Full year (Oct.-Dec.) (Jan.-Mar.) Growth in Nippon factors +0.7 Food Group business 0.5 ¥4.2 bn Domestic fresh meat market 1.0 0.6 1.1 2.1 +1.4 Other Growth in Nippon Food Group business 0.2 0.2 0.3 0.5 0.7 Changes in domestic (1.6)Changes in domestic farm operations 0.6 (1.0)(1.2)(2.2)(1.6)farm operations Negative factors (7.3)Imported fresh meat market (0.6)(2.5)(4.2)(6.7)(7.3)Imported fresh meat market ¥(12.1) bn (3.2)Changes in overseas operations (Australia, Americas) (1.7)0.1 (1.5)(1.4)Changes in overseas (3.2)operations Other 0.4 8.0 0.2 1.0 1.4 16.2 End of FY2012/3 Total (0.1)(1.9)(5.8)(7.7)(7.9)10 25 30 Nippon Ham Group

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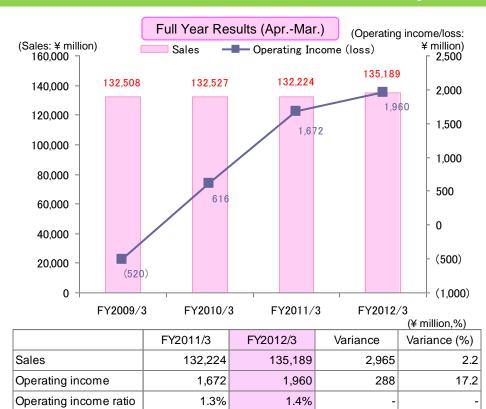
#### 5. Operating Segment Data: Affiliated Business Division



	FY2011/3 4Q	FY2012/3 4Q	Variance	Variance (%)
Sales	28,382	29,958	1,576	5.6
Operating income	(401)	(299)	102	-
Operating income ratio	-	-	-	-

# **FY2012/3 4Q (Jan. – Mar.)** (Sales)

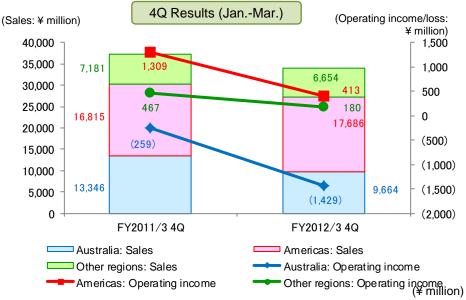
- In marine products, sales expanded steadily at volume retailers for products such as prawns and salmon
- •In dairy products, yogurts struggled at volume retailers, but significant sales growth was posted for yogurt beverages sold through convenience stores. Sales of cheeses were good at volume retailers and convenience stores (Operating Income)
- Although dairy product (cheese and yogurt) sales were both up YoY, the marine products business saw its operating income ratio decline due to high procurement costs for squid and prawns.



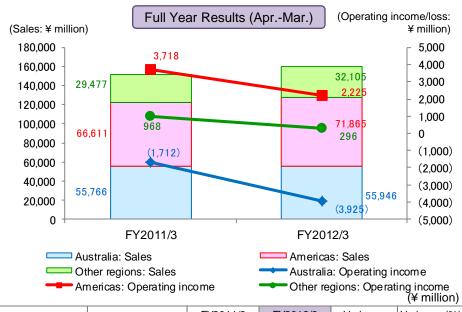
# FY2012/3 Full year (Apr. – Mar.) (Sales)

- •In marine products, marketing at Marine Foods Corporation focused on priority products and sales through volume retailers. This and high market prices fueled sales growth
- In dairy products, the cheese business grew on marketing to food producers and sales of consumer-use products, a market the company entered during the period (Operating Income)
- •The operating income ratio on marine products declined as higher market prices could not be passed onto the consumer
- •Earnings improved in dairy products, due to volume growth in yogurt beverages and more focused marketing. Earnings improved in the cheese business on strong sales amid stable raw material prices

#### 6. Business Results in Major Overseas Markets



		FY2011/3 4Q	FY2012/3 4Q	Variance	Variance (%)
Overs end total	Sales	36,745	33,625	(3,120)	(8.5)
Overseas total	Operating income	1,515	(832)	(2,347)	-
Australia	Sales	13,346	9,664	(3,682)	(27.6)
Australia	Sales Operating income Sales	(259)	(1,429)	(1,170)	-
Americas	Sales	16,815	17,686	871	5.2
Americas	Operating income	1,309	413	(896)	(68.4)
Other regions	Sales	7,181	6,654	(527)	(7.3)
Other regions	Operating income	467	180	(287)	(61.5)



		FY2011/3	FY2012/3	Variance	Variance (%)
Overseas total	Sales	148,981	157,721	8,740	5.9
Overseas total	Operating income	2,966	(1,397)	(4,363)	-
Australia	Sales	55,766	55,946	180	0.3
Australia	Operating income	(1,712)	(3,925)	(2,213)	-
Americas	Sales	66,611	71,865	5,254	7.9
Americas	Operating income	3,718	2,225	(1,493)	(40.2)
Other regions	Sales	29,477	32,105	2,628	8.9
Other regions	Operating income	968	296	(672)	(69.4)

- Sales revenues represent amounts prior to consolidation adjustments
- (The figures for all overseas segments do not match the overseas sales total, by reason of the elimination of intersegment transactions)
- Other overseas markets are in Asia and Europe

#### FY2012/3 4Q (Jan. - Mar.)

(Australia)

- Operating loss in Australia widened amid rising live cattle prices and exchange rate headwinds
- (Americas)
- In pig farming, earnings declined reflecting soaring grain prices (Asia)
- •We continued repair works to reopen plant affected by the flooding disaster (some operations have resumed as of April)

#### FY2012/3 Full year (Apr. - Mar.)

(Australia)

- Earnings fell due partly to the high Australian dollar (against the US dollar) (Americas)
- •Earnings fell in pig farming operations due to soaring market prices for grain

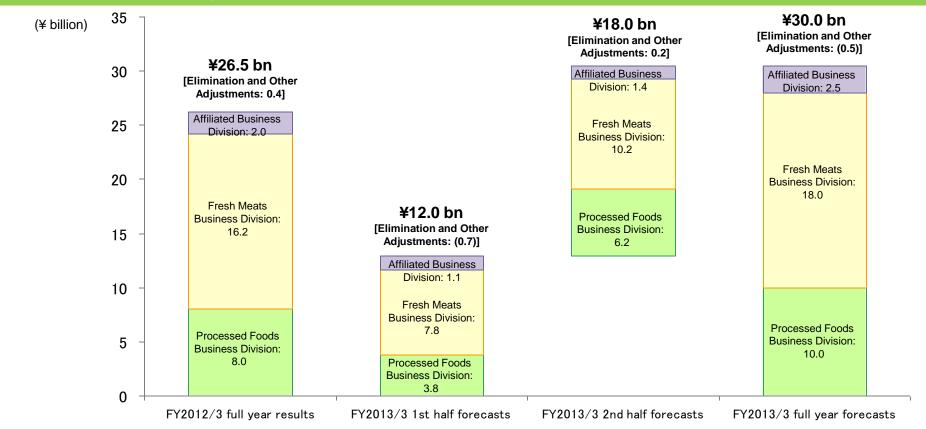
(Asia)

· Earnings declined, reflecting flooding in Thailand

# II. Outlook for FY2013/3

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- 2. Processed Foods Business Division: Outlook
- 3. Fresh Meats Business Division: Outlook
- 4. Affiliated Business Division: Outlook

## 1. FY2013/3 Operating Income Forecasts



	FY2012/3	FY2012/3 full year results		FY2013/3	FY2013/3 1st half forecasts F		FY2013/3 2nd half forecasts		FY2013/3 full year fo		forecasts	
	FY2011/3 full year results		Variance	FY2012/3 1st half results		Variance	FY2012/3 2nd half results		Variance	FY2012/3 full year results		Variance
Processed Foods Business Division	8.6	8.0	down 0.6	2.4	3.8	up 1.4	5.6	6.2	up 0.6	8.0	10.0	up 2.0
Fresh Meats Business Division	24.0	16.2	down 7.9	8.7	7.8	down 0.9	7.4	10.2	up 2.8	16.2	18.0	up 1.8
Affiliated Business Division	1.7	2.0	up 0.3	1.0	1.1	up 0.1	0.9	1.4	up 0.5	2.0	2.5	up 0.5
Elimination and Other Adjustments	(1.1)	0.4	up 1.5	(0.2)	(0.7)	down 0.5	0.5	0.2	down 0.3	0.4	(0.5)	down 0.9
Total	33.2	26.5	down 6.7	12.0	12.0	no change	14.5	18.0	up 3.5	26.5	30.0	up 3.5

## 2. Processed Foods Business Division: Outlook (1)

Topics (full year)

Impact on operating income due to higher prices for raw materials and ingredients

⇒ Principal raw materials prices improved YoY, but a negative impact of ¥1.3 billion is likely for other materials (particularly sheep casing, etc.) and fuel costs

(¥ billion)

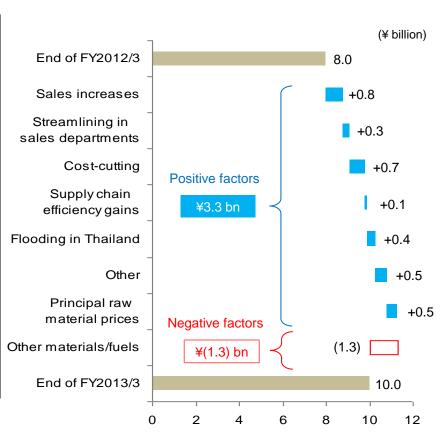
Overall factors

⇒ Impact of soaring other material and fuel costs absorbed by cost-cutting

#### Factor Analysis: Changes in operating income

Sales increases
Streamlining in sales departments
Cost-cutting
Supply chain efficiency gains
Flooding in Thailand
Principal raw/other material prices
Principal raw material prices
Other materials/fuels
Other
Total

FY2013/3 Target										
1Q	2Q	3Q	Q 4Q Ful (Apr.							
0.2	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.8						
0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.3						
0.6	0.7	(0.3)	(0.4)	0.7						
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1						
(0.3)	0.0	0.3	0.4	0.4						
0.1	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.5						
(0.5)	(0.4)	(0.2)	(0.2)	(1.3)						
0.1	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.5						
0.3	1.1	0.6	0.0	2.0						



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#### 2. Processed Foods Business Division: Outlook (2)

- Measures to increase sales of gift products
- Target 3% growth in both summer and year-end gift sets (year-on-year, total sales volume)
- •Sales promotion activities mainly for "Utsukushi-no-Kuni" range (TV commercials and adverts in magazines, etc.) (Reference)
- The flagship brand "Utsukushi-no-Kuni" aims at YoY sales growth of over 20%

Reference: Gift-giving season sales volume: results for FY2012/3 and targets for FY2013/3

(Unit: 1,000)

	FY2012/3 results		FY2013/3	targets
	Units	Variance FY2011/3	Units	Variance FY2012/3
Summer gift-giving season	2,003	102%	2,060	103%
Year-end gift-giving season	4,799	98%	4,950	103%
Total	6,802	99%	7,010	103%

<sup>\*</sup>Figures for FY2012/3 include delicatessen gifts, a product launched in the current fiscal year

- Measures to expand sales of major brands and new products
- 1) Hams and sausages
- •Expand sales of and improve earnings for two major new products ("Mori-no-Kaori" coarse-ground wieners and "Irodori Kitchen" items) and "SCHAU ESSEN" line
- 2) Processed foods
- •Improve earnings through focus on priority brands, and product upgrades

#### Reference: YoY sales comparison of major brand products and targets

Hams and sausages	FY2012/3 results	FY2013/3 targets	Hams and sausages	FY2012/3 results	FY2013/3 targets
SCHAU ESSEN	100%	101%	Ishigama Kobo	98%	104%
Mori-no-Kaori coarse-ground wieners	123%	120%	Chuka Meisai	101%	103%
Irodori Kitchen (high-end hams)	136%	120%	Prefried	99%	102%
Hams	107%	108%	Hamburgers / Meatballs	105%	102%
Bacons	111%	108%	Curries	114%	108%

- Measures to expand sales, by channel
- 1) Consumer-use
- In hams and sausages, grow sales by focusing on expanded marketing of three brands, the "SCHAU ESSEN," "Mori-no-Kaori" and "Irodori Kitchen" ranges
- •In processed foods, expand sales by focusing on leading brands

Reference: Year-on-year growth in sales by channel

- 2) Commercial-use
- •To improve production line efficiencies in both hams and sausages and processed foods, strengthen marketing in ready-to-eat meal and food-service segments

	F	/2012/3 results		FY2013/3 targets			
	Consumer-use	Commercial-use	Total	Consumer-use	Commercial-use	Total	
Hams and sausages	104%	98%	102%	103%	103%	103%	
Processed foods	99%	100%	100%	103%	103%	103%	

## 3. Fresh Meats Business Division: Outlook (1)

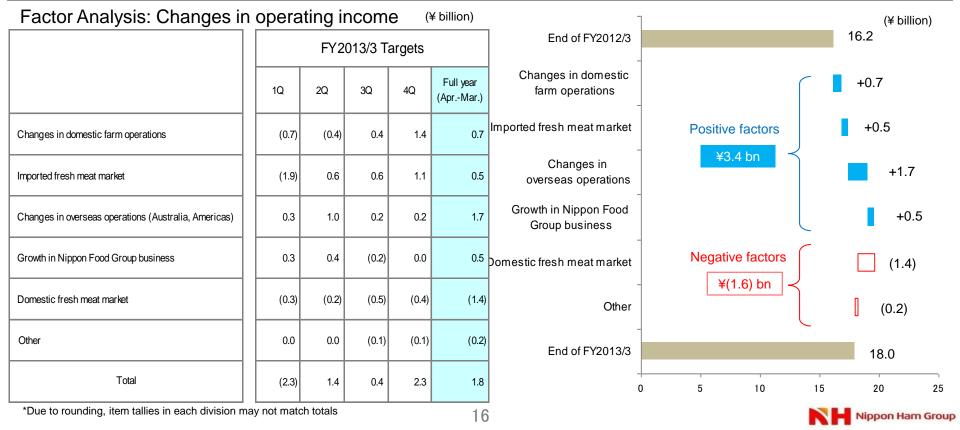
#### Topics

Fresh meat (Japan-produced): Expand sales of livestock businesses in Japan (beef, pork and poultry)

Fresh meat marketing: Expand market share at volume retailers for Nippon Food Group companies (sales of fresh meat.) Set overall volume growth target of 5% YoY

Domestic production: Strengthen upstream (farm) operations; offset impact of falling poultry prices through cost-cutting measures. Cut production costs by improving accident rate in pork operations

Imported fresh meat: Improve profitability by optimizing inventory levels of poultry meat, on which profitability was poor in the previous term Overseas businesses: Improve profitability by adjusting production for Japan, upgrading production businesses and expanding marketing in emerging countries



#### 3. Fresh Meats Business Division: Outlook (2)

#### Overseas businesses

- 1) Restructuring of Australian businesses
- Improve operating income ratio by reducing cost of sales now and revamping marketing of products for Japan, including new product launches. Strengthen marketing to customers within Australia and throughout Asia
- 2) Americas business
- •As numbers of beasts being raised declines in U.S. beef and pork markets, we expect market prices for fresh meats to remain high
  - In pig farming operations, we will continue to improve breeds and cut production costs, amid soaring feed prices

#### Production businesses in Japan

- 1) Feed prices
  - We expect higher prices
- 2) Farming operations in Japan

Pig farming

•In light of anticipated increases in numbers of beasts shipped, we expect pork prices to remain low. We aim to improve profitability by lowering production costs

**Poultry** 

•Market prices will likely remain weak for the moment as supply volumes increase. We plan to lower production costs through productivity improvements, etc.

#### Sales of fresh meat (Nippon Food Group)

•Further strengthen sales to volume retailers, and expand marketing of livestock categories in Japan (beef, pork and poultry) to boost sales volumes

#### 4. Affiliated Business Division: Outlook

#### • Measures to increase marine product sales

(Marine Foods Corporation)

- •Expand sales of items produced in-house in Japan by strengthening product development capability
- Increase market share by expanding sales of priority items derived from prawn and salmon
- •Expand sales through proposal-based marketing to volume retailers (Hoko Co., Ltd.)
- •Grow sales by strengthening marketing of raw materials to volume retailers and the food-service sector

In our room-temperature (canned) product business, grow sales from our Hachinohe factory, which is expanding production capacity

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	FY2012/3 full year results
Items produced in-house	8,606 tons
Year-on-year comparison	103%

Reference: Marine Foods Corporation, sales growth by channel

	Year-on-year comparison
	FY2012/3 full year results
Volume retailers	106%
Food service	101%
(restaurants)	10178

#### • Measures to increase dairy product sales

(Cheese)

- •Increase sales by strengthening proposal-based marketing through mainstay channels
- •Expand sales of consumer-use products by strengthening product lineups (Yogurt)
- •Strengthen development of private-brand products and boost production and sales of yogurt beverages
- •Target volume retailers and co-operative store channels for sales of mainstay vanilla yogurt products, etc

#### ● Trends in principal raw and other materials

- •Cheese ingredient prices are set to remain firm due to stable production volumes in producer countries
- •In yogurt ingredients, prices will likely remain high due to a shortage of fat-free milk powder made in Japan
- •In overseas milk powder production, we expect prices to remain firm due to stable production

Reference: Dairy products, sales growth by product

	Year-on-year comparison
	FY2012/3 full year results
Cheese	107%
Yogurt	105%

# III. Consolidated Financial Results for FY2012/3

- 1. FY2012/3 Business Results at a Glance and FY2013/3 Forecasts
- 2. Growth Rate by Sales Category, and by Geographical Segment
- 3. Selling, General and Administrative Expenses / Other Income and Expenses
- 4. Balance Sheets / Property, Plant and Equipment / Depreciation and Amortization
- 5. Cash Flows and Performance Indicators

(¥ million, %)

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		FY2012/3 results						FY2013/3 forecasts					
Consolidated	1st half (AprSept.)	Variance	2nd half (OctMar.)	Variance	Full year (AprMar.)	Variance	1st half (AprSept.)	Variance	2nd half (OctMar.)	Variance	Full year (AprMar.)	Variance	
Net sales	506,367	4.8	511,417	1.0	1,017,784	2.9	515,000	1.7	525,000	2.7	1,040,000	2.2	
Hams and sausages	65,628	1.5	71,658	2.0	137,286	1.7	67,000	2.1	73,000	1.9	140,000	2.0	
Processed foods	99,980	2.6	103,187	2.9	203,167	2.7	102,000	2.0	104,000	0.8	206,000	1.4	
Fresh meats	277,107	6.7	266,947	(1.3)	544,054	2.6	280,500	1.2	277,000	3.8	557,500	2.5	
Beef	101,883	9.1	95,611	(3.4)	197,494	2.7	102,500	0.6	100,500	5.1	203,000	2.8	
Pork	101,123	3.9	100,440	2.0	201,563	3.0	103,000	1.9	102,500	2.1	205,500	2.0	
Poultry	62,009	9.2	60,864	(2.6)	122,873	3.0	63,000	1.6	63,500	4.3	126,500	3.0	
Other fresh meats	12,092	(0.6)	10,032	(5.3)	22,124	(2.8)	12,000	(0.8)	10,500	4.7	22,500	1.7	
Marine products	39,135	0.4	43,701	5.4	82,836	3.0	40,000	2.2	44,000	0.7	84,000	1.4	
Dairy products	11,343	3.7	11,918	8.7	23,261	6.2	12,000	5.8	13,000	9.1	25,000	7.5	
Others	13,174	15.4	14,006	10.2	27,180	12.6	13,500	2.5	14,000	(0.0)	27,500	1.2	
Cost of goods sold	411,093	6.3	411,129	3.0	822,222	4.6							
Gross profit	95,274	(1.1)	100,288	(6.4)	195,562	(3.9)							
Gross profit ratio	18.8%	-	19.6%	-	19.2%	-							
SG&A expenses	83,272	(0.2)	85,777	(1.2)	169,049	(0.7)							
Operating income	12,002	(7.1)	14,511	(28.4)	26,513	(20.1)	12,000	(0.0)	18,000	24.0	30,000	13.2	
Income before income taxes	9,577	(15.7)	17,189	(5.4)	26,766	(9.3)	7,200	(24.8)	15,800	(8.1)	23,000	(14.1)	
Net income attributable to Nippon Meat Packers, Inc.	4,799	(29.2)	6,856	(31.1)	11,655	(30.3)	3,500	(27.1)	8,500	24.0	12,000	3.0	

<sup>\*</sup> Reclassified amounts were originally calculated in accordance with U.S. accounting standards

<sup>\*</sup> Variance: Year-on-year comparisons are expressed as % increases/decreases

### **Growth Rate by Sales Category**

(%)

Category
Hams and sausages
Processed foods
Fresh meats
Beef
Pork
Poultry
Other fresh meats

FY2011/3 (YoY comparison)									
4Q (Ja	nMar.)		Full year (	AprMar.)					
Sales volume	Sales revenue		Sales volume	Sales revenue					
(2.0)	(1.5)		0.1	(1.9)					
9.1	9.6		8.4	4.7					
1.3	10.3		2.9	6.9					
2.8	18.3		2.9	6.2					
3.1	7.2		1.0	5.4					
0.5	11.2		6.3	12.8					
(22.4)	(20.6)		(6.1)	(3.1)					

(**)					
FY2012/3 (YoY comparison)					
4Q (JanMar.)			Full year (	AprMar.)	
Sales volume	Sales revenue		Sales volume	Sales revenue	
7.0	4.9		3.0	1.7	
1.9	3.2		1.8	2.7	
6.8	(2.6)		3.4	2.6	
3.2	(5.0)		5.5	2.7	
8.2	2.5		4.3	3.0	
8.2	(6.0)		0.8	3.0	
2.7	(11.6)		0.5	(2.8)	

# FY2012/3 Business Results at a Glance and FY2013/3 Forecasts by Geographical Segment (¥ million, %)

FY2012/3 results FY2013/3 forecasts 1st half 2nd half Full year 1st half 2nd half Full year Variance Variance Variance (Apr.-Sept.) (Oct.-Mar.) (Apr.-Mar.) (Apr.-Sept.) (Oct.-Mar.) (Apr.-Mar.) Domestic 474,804 939,524 472,500 1.7 487,500 960,000 464,720 2.7 2.2 938,846 472,000 1.7 959,000 External customers 464,279 474,567 487,000 2.6 2.1 237 441 678 500 500 111.0 Intersegment 13.4 1,000 47.5 Operating income 12,746 14,658 27,404 11,700 (8.2)17,300 18.0 29,000 5.8 Operating income ratio 2.7% 3.1% 2.9% 2.5% 3.5% 3.0% 85,896 71,825 157,721 87,500 1.9 73,500 2.3 161,000 2.1 Overseas External customers 42.088 36.850 78,938 43,000 2.2 38,000 3.1 81,000 2.6 78,783 Intersegment 43,808 34,975 44,500 1.6 35,500 1.5 80,000 1.5 Operating income (894)(503)(1,397)300 700 1,000 Operating income ratio -1.0% -0.7% -0.9% 0.3% 1.0% 0.6%



<sup>\*</sup> Sales by geographic segment are before intersegment elimination

<sup>\*</sup> Variance: Year-on-year comparisons are expressed as % increases/decreases

(¥ million, %)

Variance

(1,206) (786) (1,603) 1,323

(140)

EV2012/3

(0.3)

52,944

		F12011/3		F12012/3	
		Full year (AprMar.)	Full year (AprMar.)	Variance (%)	
<b>★</b> ①	Selling, general and administrative expenses	170,255	169,049	(0.7)	
	Personnel	66,719	65,933	(1.2)	
<b>★</b> ②	Advertising	12,471	10,868	(12.9)	
<b>★</b> ③	Logistics	37,981	39,304	3.5	

EV2011/2

53,084

Major reasons for increases/decreases

- ★① SG&A expenses: The ratio of SG&A expenses to sales decreased 0.6 percentage point from 17.2% to 16.6%.
- ★2 Advertising: Down by some ¥1.6 billion, due to reduced cost for marketing promotion

Others

★③ Logistics: Transportation cost increased by some ¥1.3 billion due to higher sales volumes

(¥ million, %)

	FY2011/3	FY2012/3		
	Full year (AprMar.)	Full year (AprMar.)	Variance (%)	Variance
Gain from the transfer through the posting system (baseball-related)	-	4,017	-	4,017
Other income	1,030	905	(12.1)	(125)
Interest and dividends income	548	848	54.7	300
Others	482	57	(88.2)	(425)

Interest expenses 2,125 1,727 (18.7)(398)★1 Other expenses 2,557 2,942 15.1 385 Impairment loss on investment securities 905 (66.5)(602)303 Impairment loss on fixed assets 1,422 2,213 55.6 791 Special retirement allowances 71 107 50.7 36 106 279 163.2 173 Foreign exchange losses Others 53 40 (24.5)(13)

Major reasons for increases/decreases

★① Other expenses: Increased by approximately ¥0.4 billion due to impairment loss on fixed assets



# 4. Balance Sheets / Property, Plant and Equipment / Depreciation and Amortization All rights reserved.

(¥ million, %)

	Consolidated balance sheets	FY2011/3	FY2012/3	Variance (%)	Variance	
	Consolidated balance sheets	year-end	year-end	variance (76)	variance	
*1	Total assets		589,125	(0.3)	(1,563)	
	Cash and cash equivalents	51,409	63,651	23.8	12,242	
<b>★</b> ②	Trade notes and accounts receivable	104,501	119,959	14.8	15,458	
★3	Inventories	107,599	112,516	4.6	4,917	
	Property, plant and equipment - at cost, less accumulated depreciation	219,324	213,663	(2.6)	(5,661)	
	Investments and other assets	27,764	28,889	4.1	1,125	
	Deferred income taxes - non-current	15,993	13,368	(16.4)	(2,625)	
	Total liabilities	307,484	296,857	(3.5)	(10,627)	
	Trade notes and accounts payable	90,317	96,822	7.2	6,505	
<b>★</b> 4	Interest-bearing debt	155,263	139,187	(10.4)	(16,076)	
	Liability under retirement and severance programs	17,581	17,170	(2.3)	(411)	
	Total Nippon Meat Packers, Inc. shareholders' equity	281,067	290,020	3.2	8,953	
	Noncontrolling interests		2,248	5.2	111	
s	Total equity		292,268	3.2	9,064	

Major reasons for increases/decreases

- ★1 Total assets: Decreased by some ¥1.6 billion including ② and ③
- ★2 Trade notes and accounts receivables: Increased by some ¥15.5 billion from the previous term-end due chiefly to increased sales and the last day of the quarter being a holiday
- ★③ Inventories: Rose by some ¥4.9 billion on increases for hams and sausages, processed foods and raw materials for marine products
- ★ Interest-bearing debt: Declined by some ¥16.0 billion due mainly to repayment of bank loans

(¥ million, %)

FY2011/3		FY2013/3		
Full year (AprMar.)	Full year (AprMar.)	Variance (%)	Variance	Forecasts (AprMar.)
17,189	19,487	13.4	2,298	43,000
9,088	8,843	(2.7)	(245)	12,600
1,644	2,390	45.4	746	12,700
3,406	4,871	43.0	1,465	8,100
1,589	2,006	26.2	417	4,800
1,462	1,377	(5.8)	(85)	4,800
24,115	23,756	(1.5)	(359)	22,000
	Full year (AprMar.)  17,189  9,088 s 1,644 s 3,406  1,589  1,462	Full year (AprMar.)  17,189  19,487  9,088  8,843  8 1,644  2,390  3,406  4,871  1,589  2,006  1,462  1,377  24,115  23,756	Full year (AprMar.) Full year (AprMar.) Variance (%)  17,189 19,487 13.4  9,088 8,843 (2.7)  1,644 2,390 45.4  3,406 4,871 43.0  1,589 2,006 26.2  1,462 1,377 (5.8)  24,115 23,756 (1.5)	Full year (AprMar.) Full year (AprMar.) Full year (AprMar.) Variance (%) Variance  17,189 19,487 13.4 2,298 9,088 8,843 (2.7) (245) S 1,644 2,390 45.4 746 S 3,406 4,871 43.0 1,465 1,589 2,006 26.2 417 1,462 1,377 (5.8) (85) 24,115 23,756 (1.5) (359)

## 5. Cash Flows and Performance Indicators

(¥ million)

	Consolidated statement of	FY2011/3	FY2012/3		
	cash flows	year-end	year-end	Variance	
1	Cash flow from operating activities	36,761	26,432	(10,329)	
	Cash flow from investing activities	8,745	9,750	1,005	
	Cash flow from financing activities	(36,951)	(23,745)	13,206	

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Results for 2010	
through 2012	
(cumulative)	
130,641	
(41,639	<del>)</del> )
(65,923	3)

Major reasons for increases/decreases

ear Full year lar.) (AprMar.)	Variance	
25 11,801	(5,124)	
30) (15,532)	(11,302)	
29) (4,567)	2,962	
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(¥ million)

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Business Performance Indicators	FY2011/3	FY2012/3		Initial targets for FY2012/3 New Medium-Term	
(financial position)	year-end	year-end	Variance	Management Plan Part III	
ROA (income before income taxes, %)	4.9%	4.5%	-	4.8%	
Total shareholders' equity ratio	47.6%	49.2%	-	49.4%	
Interest-bearing debt	155,263	139,187	(16,076)	170,000	
D/E ratio (times)	0.55	0.48	-	0.54	

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