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Pursuit of Efficiency and Productivity in Value Creation

Eisai's Profile

Eisai's vision is to meet various health care needs around the world, taking into consideration the desires of patients and their faB5003 Tc 0 12 -12 0 338.29912531d of patients an

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Safe Harbor Statement

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Management Concept

Pursue Efficiency and Productivity in Creation of Patient Value

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Creation of Patient Value

Satisfying Unmet Medical Needs

Stable Supply of Quality Products

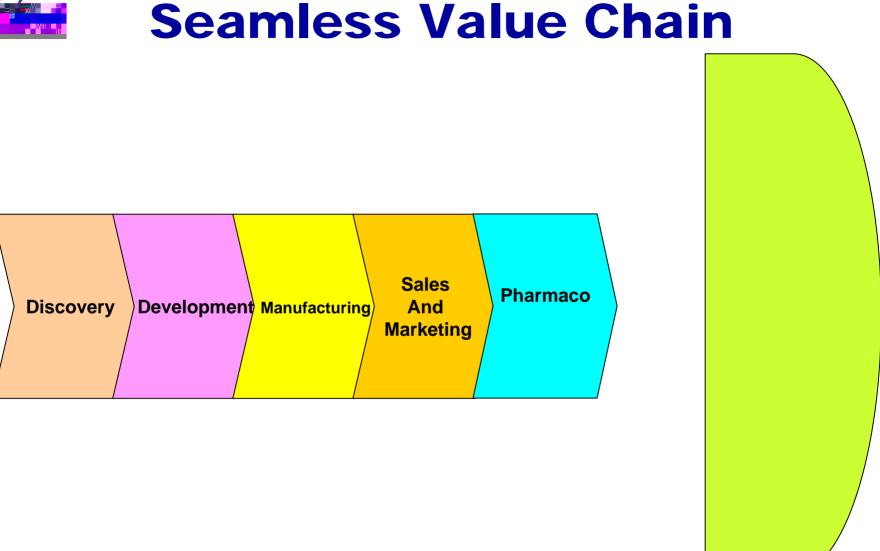
Information Provision for Efficacious Usage of Medicines



Seamless Value Chain

Benefits of Seamless Value Chain Concept

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Seamless Value Chain in Operation

Region	Discovery	Development	Manufacturing	Sales, Marketing & Pharmacovigilance
Japan	KAN (Kyoto) Tsukuba	Kashima Tsukuba Kawashima Tokyo	Kashima Kawashima Misato	Nationwide
U.S.A.	Boston	New Jersey North Carolina	RTP (North Carolina)	Nationwide
EU	London	London		UK France Germany Spain
Asia	KPT (Indonesia)		Tainan (Taiwan) Bogor (Indonesia) Suzhou (China)	8 countries incl. China, India and Korea





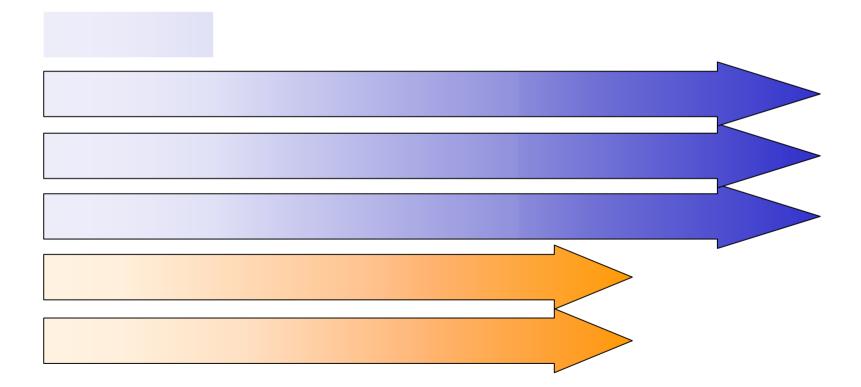
Franchise Pipeline

				Aricept [®] Zonegran [®] Methycobal [®] Myonal [®]
GI	E3030 E3024	E3620 Aciphex [®] –intermittent therapy	Pariet [®] –H. pylori –Symptomatic GERD	Aciphex [®] / Pariet [®] Selbex [®] Glucagon G [®]
Oncology & Critical Care	E7820 E7080 E7974	E5564 E7070 E7389 E0167		Creactor [®] Coretec [®] Tambocor [®] Inj.



The Company's performance and financial results could differ materially from these forward-looking statements due to

Aciphex[®]/Pariet[®] Lifecycle Management (Application for new indication and formulation)





Zonegran[®] -- Anti-epileptic (US & EU)

US sales target in FY2004: \$110 MM, FY2005: \$150MM Received positive opinion from CHMP EU approval expected in 2005

- Cerebyx[®] -- Anti-seizure (US)
- Rasagiline (TVP-1012) -- Parkinson's disease (US) US approval expected in 2005
- Rufinamide (E2080) Epilepsy (WW) Plan to submit NDA in FY2004 in the US and EU

GI **Entocort[®]** -- Inflammatory Bowel Diseases (Germany) Imurek[®] -- Immunosuppressant (Germany)



R&D Renovation

For Efficiency & Productivity



Creation of Shareholder Value

Endeavor to Enhance Capital Efficiency

for the Purpose of Maximizing Shareholder Value;

- Optimize investment to enhance return on capital by striving to leverage strong balance sheet
- Importance being placed on economic profit to create shareholder value after absorbing the cost of capital
- High level of dividend payout to capitalize on ample cash flow and constrain capital base
- Flexible share buyback as a contingent measure

More Proactive Stance Toward Return to Shareholders



Reinforced Policy for Return to Shareholders

Rationale Behind the Policy

- Proactive investment for the purpose of enhancing shareholder value
- More flexible share buyback given the easing of unwinding of cross-shareholdings
- More inclination to dividend payout given the importance of long-term shareholder relationship

DOE (Dividends On Equity=ROE x Dividend payout)

- Accelerate achievement of targeted DOE 3% by two years (from FY06 to FY04)
- Seek DOE 5% as a new mid-term goal

Hybrid Policy

- Optimize level of investment to boost ROE
- Strive to increase dividend payout to reward long-term holders

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Financial Forecast for FY2004

Posted Record Profits for Fifth Consecutive Years

(billions of yen, %)

	FY2003 Results	FY2004 Estimates	YOY
Net Sales	500.2	530.0	106
R&D Expenses	69.0	76.0	112
Operating Income	83.1	87.0	105
Net Income	50.1	54.0	108
EPS (Yen)	172.1	188.1	109

Dividends (Yen)	36.0	56.0	156
DOE (%)	2.6	3.7	