

Acquisition of All Shares of Ajinomoto General Foods, Inc. Held by Mondelez International, Inc.

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I. Summary

Transaction Overview

Ajinomoto Co., Inc. ("Ajinomoto Co.") will acquire the 50% stake in Ajinomoto General Foods, Inc. ("AGF"), a 50%:50% joint venture with Mondelēz International, Inc. ("Mondelēz"), from Kraft Foods Holdings Singapore Pte. Ltd., a subsidiary of Mondelēz, for JPY 27.0 billion, and makes AGF a consolidated subsidiary.

Transaction Rationale

- To expand business scale of the Ajinomoto Group through consolidating AGF with annual sales of approx. JPY 150 billion*
- To reinforce the Ajinomoto Group's business structure and accelerate expansion into adjacent domains (product categories and markets) through harmonization of each business division of Ajinomoto Co. and AGF

^{*} Approximately JPY 100 billion when adopting the Ajinomoto Group's accounting policy to deduct sales promotion discounts from net sales when net sales are recorded.



Established as a joint venture in 1973

Broad and high quality beverage product portfolios including coffee, tea and cocoa

Basic Information

Company Name: Ajinomoto General Foods, Inc.

President: Keiichi Yokoyama

Head Office: Tokyo Opera City, 3-20-2,

Nishi Shinjuku, Shinjuku-ku,

Tokyo

Establishment: August 1, 1973

of Employees: 1,103 (including subsidiaries,

as of April 1, 2014)

Business

Description: Manufacture and sales of food

and beverage products

Capital: JPY3,862.7million

Shareholders: Ajinomoto Co., Inc. 50%

Kraft Foods Holdings Singapore

Pte. Ltd. 50%

Sales Locations: 12 places in Japan

Manufacturing

Subsidiaries: AGF Suzuka, Inc.

AGF Kanto, Inc.

History

1954 Established as a 100%

subsidiary of General Foods

Corporation (US)

1973 Established AGF as a joint venture

company of Ajinomoto Co. and

General Foods Corporation

As of 2015 Provides wide range of beverage

products including coffee, tea and

cocoa



Instant Re Coffee C



Regular Coffee



Liquid Coffee



3 in 1 Coffee



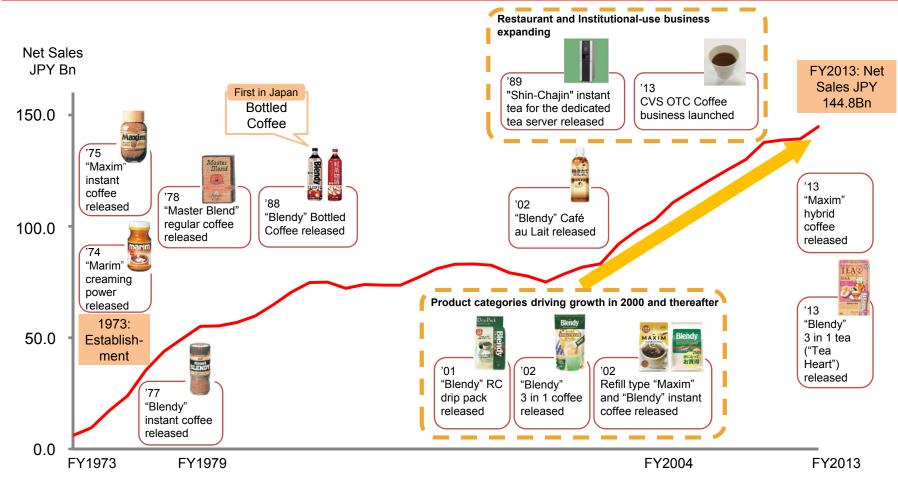
3 in 1 Tea



3 in 1 Cocoa au Lait



Continue to grow through adding value to fulfill consumers' needs Top market share in the domestic home-use coffee products market* Restaurant and Institutional-use Business expanding



^{* #1} sales in packaged coffee products in FY2013 (including gift products, but excluding canned coffee)



Products and technologies generated through AGF's innovative corporate culture

3 in 1 Coffee / Tea / Cocoa

- Various products such as coffee/café au lait/tea/cocoa
- AGF has created and led the market with high market share in Japan since the release in 2002







Refill Type Instant Coffee

- AGF released refill type instant coffee in 2002
- First Ecomark obtained for coffee products







Personal Type Drip Coffee

 AGF released personal type drip coffee in 2001 to correspond to the decrease in the number of family members per household and the diversification of consumers' tastes









Eco and Customer Friendly Bottle

 Introduced PET bottles recycled from used PET bottles with innovative technology which degrades PET at molecular level without hurting the quality



Reduction of oil resource consumption by 60% through resource recycling

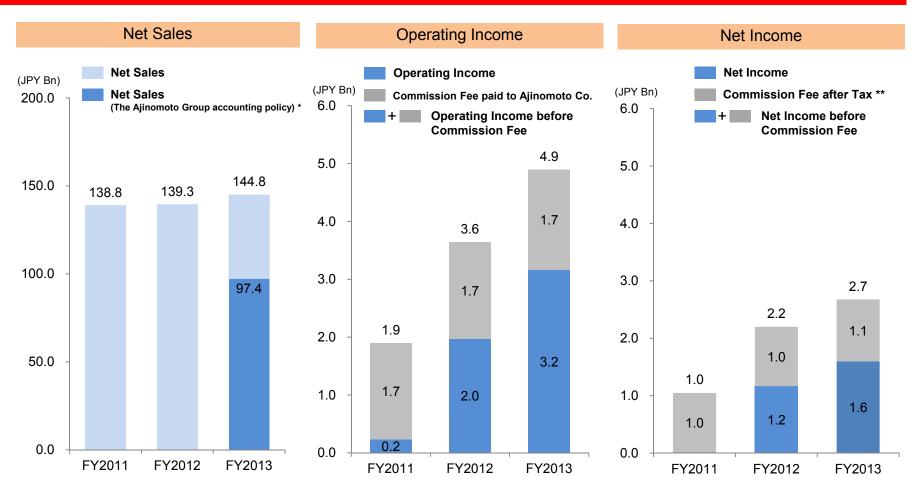




Customer-friendly Easy to carry, easy to pour



Financial Information



^{*} Net Sales based on the Ajinomoto Group accounting policy to deduct sales promotion discounts from net sales when recording net sales.

^{**}Commission Fee after Tax calculated as Commission Fee x (1- statutory effective tax rate)





"Further Reinforcement of Business Structure" and "Acceleration of Growth Momentum"



Further Reinforcement of Business Structure FIT

Structural reform centered on a shift from commodities to specialty

Enhancement of capital efficiency to boost shareholder value / ROE

Growth Driver Advancement

GROW

Global growth

Be each country's No.1 in deliciousness through assimilation with customers / countries (regions)

R&D leadership

Evolution of Management Foundation (Management Innovation)

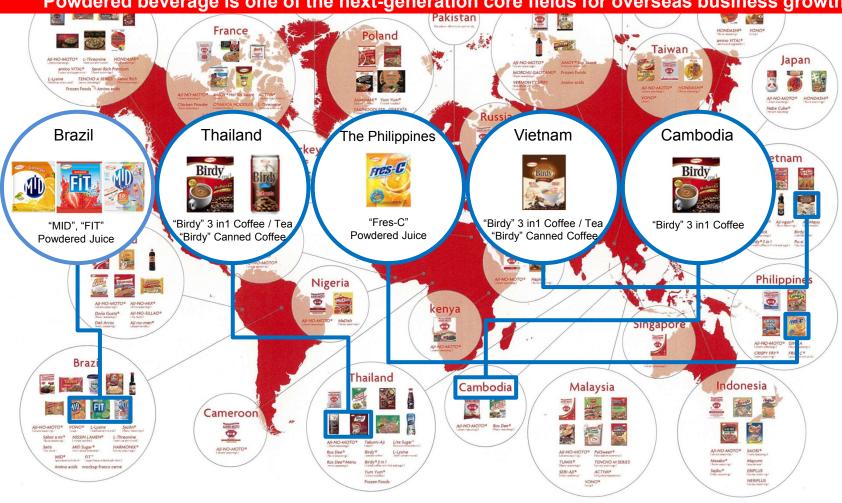
Corporate Governance
Solid and Large Class of Global Human Resources
Open New Sky



III. The Ajinomoto Group FY2014-2016 Medium-Term Management Plan: Global Growth

Ajinomoto Co. has developed its coffee / powdered beverage business independently from AGF

Powdered beverage is one of the next-generation core fields for overseas business growth



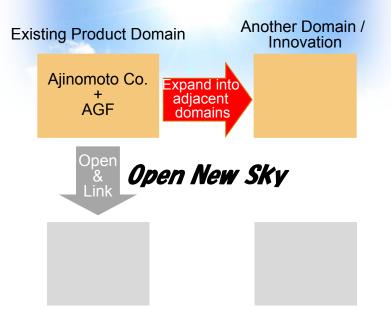


IV. Expansion of Business Domains

Accelerating expansion into adjacent domains (product categories and markets) and expanding products / markets by leveraging the common ground of powdered and processed products

Idea behind "Open New Sky"

Daily efforts to flexibly use external capabilities (open & linked) and expand into adjacent domains with a wider approach



Leveraging the common ground of powdered and processed products





V. Reinforcement of Business Structure

Collaboration of businesses and functions through the consolidation of AGF







Corporate Function

Group corporate function

Operating subsidiary corporate function

Production Technology

Production technology of soup / flavor seasoning etc.

Production technology of instant coffee / creaming powder etc.

R&D

Science of deliciousness / development & application of flavoring materials etc.

Science of deliciousness / easy dissoluable substance / coffee aroma extracts etc.

Business

Gift products (Seasoning / oil)

Gift products (Coffee)

Sales and Marketing

Wholesaler for food service / CVS / Large food service chain / Mass retailer / Food processor

Office / CVS / Drug store / E-commerce

Expected Synergy

Streamline / integrate redundant functions (utilization of shared service etc.)

Improve product quality and reduce costs through exchange of technology of powdered and processed products

Develop new value-added beverage / processed food products through combination

Reinforce structure of both companies' gift product business through reorganization

Further expand sales by effectively utilizing sales channels in which each company has strength



VI. Post Consolidation Management

To enhance both AGF and the Ajinomoto Group's corporate value together with AGF's current management team and employees

1.	Expected Closing Date:	By the end of April, 2015
2.	Company Name:	Ajinomoto General Foods, Inc.
3.	Brands:	No Change
4.	Management and Employees:	No Change
5.	Distributer:	Ajinomoto Co. (No Change)
6.	Sales Structure:	No Change



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