

# **AMOREPACIFIC Corporation**

# 2013 1Q Earnings Release

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AMOREPACIFIC Corp. has adopted the K-IFRS since 2011.

## 1. 1Q Earnings Summary

## Sales up 8.4% to KRW 803.8bn, OP down 6.9% to KRW 140.2bn

- Strong Sales growth thanks to the new product launches and accelerated overseas business expansion
- Slightly decreased OP due to 1) decreased demand for luxury products 2) increased marketing expenses
  3) investments in overseas markets expansion

Sales and OP					
	2012 1Q	(%)	2013 1Q	(%)	YoY (%)
Sales	741.5	100.0%	803.8	100.0%	8.4%
Domestic business	648.7	87.5%	676.9	84.2%	4.3%
Cosmetics	522.1	70.4%	540.9	67.3%	3.6%
Mass & Sulloc	126.6	17.1%	135.9	16.9%	7.4%
Overseas business	92.8	12.5%	126.9	15.8%	36.8%
<b>Operating Profit</b>	150.6	20.3%	140.2	17.4%	-6.9%
Domestic business	145.4	22.4%	139.4	20.6%	-4.1%
Cosmetics	123.8	23.7%	118.5	21.9%	-4.3%
Mass & Sulloc	21.5	17.0%	20.9	15.4%	-2.9%
<b>Overseas business</b>	5.3	5.7%	0.8	0.7%	-84.4%
Consolidated Net Profit	114.2	15.4%	90.7	11.3%	-20.6%

## 2. Domestic business - Cosmetics



### -Operating Profit -



#### Luxury Division

#### [Door-to-door] Continued economic recession and Trading Down trend resulted in weaker growth

- Increased inflow of new customers and balanced growth thanks to the new product launches such as VB Program (Meta Green), Hera (Rouge Holic)
- Introduction of cost reduction initiatives such as promotion and set product reduction, efficient SKU management

# [Dep. store] Gained market share on the strength of launching reasonable priced products and increasing hit products sales

- Increased customer base and gained M/S on the back of 3 strong products(UV Mist Cushion, CC Cream, Rouge Holic) under 'Hera'
- Expanded coverage in natural cosmetics market through store expansions for our 'Primera' (+8)

## [Duty-free] Solid growth backed by continued inflow of foreign travelers and expanded overseas duty-free business

- (Domestic) Increased no. of Chinese shoppers
- (Overseas) Store expansion in China and Asean markets (+15)

#### **Premium Division**

## [Specialty store] Strengthened Same store sales growth through increased inflow of new and young customers

- Increased inflow of new customers in their 20s through launching trendy product (Cushion Tint)
- Launching new hit products under existing brands such as IOPE (Bio Activator), Laneige(White Plus Renew Original Essence)

**[Hypermarket]** Government regulation /Market saturation/traffic decrease resulted in weaker growth

## **Digital Division Robust growth throughout all channels with profitability improvement**

- Home-shopping: Continued launching hit product within 'IOPE' and increased sales of 'Verite' product
- ecommerce : Solid growth within external channels such as Open marekt/Dep. store website and internal channels such as Direc mall and Mobile

### 2. Domestic business- Mass & Sulloc



### Mass

#### [Hair care]

- 'Mis-en-scene' (+6%) : Strong growth in new category, Hair cosmetics (Bubble colorant /Serums/Treatment) resulted in strengthened market leadership
- **'Ryoe' (14%)** : New product launches targeting for younger customers and reinforced new channel portfolio (Online, CVS) delivered footfall increase within oriental herbal medicine category

### [Body care]

- 'Happy Bath' : Introduction of new category (Perfume body mist)
- 'illi': Increased M/S in Body care segment through introduction of traditional herbal medicine category

#### [Oral care]

• '**Median'** : Strong sales of functional lines (Dental IQ, +21%) targeting for customers with high-involvement in oral care category

#### Sulloc

# Increased sales of premium products and differentiated category led to footfall increase

- New product launches(blending tea bag) and hit product sales(Latte, Plus line) resulted in diversified product portfolio and increased premium portion
- Giving Differentiated customer experience with relation to culture festival in O'Sulloc Tea House Café resulted in increased footfall
- Online channel showed strong growth through the strengthened connection between On and Off line

## 3. Overseas business



# [China] Balanced growth of existing/new brands through increase in new products launches and point of sales

- **Laneige**: Increase in number of new customers and re-purchasing rate due to strong sales of BB cushion and White Original Essence
- **Mamonde**: Increase in same store sales growth in department stores driven by new product launches (Flower First Serum) and aggressive expansion into new growth channels such as online
- **Sulhwasoo**: Increased efficiency of existing stores by expanding number of SKUs and strengthening the product portfolio (skincare, functional, men's)
- **Innisfree:** Diversified product category by launching color make up. Increased point of sales by opening new road shops (+5, total of 8) and by expanding presence in the online channel (Taobao)

#### [Asia] Created opportunities for growth by launching new products and entering into new channels

- Japan(+3%): Aggressive expansion into new channels (JPY +25%) such as TV Home shopping(Iope Air Cushion/Retinol) and Drugstores(Ryoe, finalized contract to enter 1,426 new stores)
- Taiwan(+59%): High growth through successful launch in the TV home shopping channel (Ryoe, sold out all 3 times) and introduction of new products (BB Cushion, White Original Essence)
- Singapore(+241%): Expansion into channels other department stores by opening 4 new Laneige FSSs. Strengthened luxury positioning by focusing on PR activities such as Sulhwasoo media tours
- Thailand(231%): Strong same store sales growth and continued opening of Sulhwasoo counters (+1, total of 3)
- Indonesia: Entered market by opening a Laneige counter in department stores

**[France]** Although sales decreased due to the economic recession in Europe, turned around the business achieved operating profits as a result of streamlining of operations

# [US] High growth in all channels driven by new product launches and continued store expansion

• Achieved high growth and increased customer base by successfully launching new products such as AP CC Cushion and Sulhwasoo Ginseng Renewing Eye Cream

## 4. Financial Summary

### **Income Statement**

[KRWbn]	2012 1Q		2013 1Q	
Sales	741.5	100.0%	803.8	100.0%
Gross Profit	528.8	71.3%	569.3	70.8%
SG&A expenses	378.2	51.0%	429.1	53.4%
<b>Operating profit</b> <sup>1)</sup>	150.6	20.3%	140.2	17.4%
Non-operating <sup>2)</sup> Profit/Expenses	5.3		-11.6	
Profit before tax	155.9	21.0%	128.6	16.0%
Consolidated net income	114.2	15.4%	90.7	11.3%

### **Statements of Financial Position**

[KRWbn]	2012. 12	2013.03
Assets	3,026.2	3,175.2
Current assets	8,04.2	919.0
Non-current assets	2,222.0	2,256.2
Liabilities	682.4	782.1
Current liabilities	417.2	512.8
Non-current liabilities	265.2	269.3
Shareholder's Equity	2,343.8	2,393.1
Capital stock	34.5	34.5
Additional paid-in capital	712.7	712.7
Capital surplus	7.8	7.8
Other components of equity	-1.8	-1.8
Accumulated other comprehensive income	-12.0	-8.5
Retained earnings	1,592.4	1,637.9
Non-controlling interest	10.2	10.5
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1) 2012 numbers adjusted to reflect the change of K-IFRS 1019, 'Employee Benefits'