

AMOREPACIFIC 2009 Earnings Release

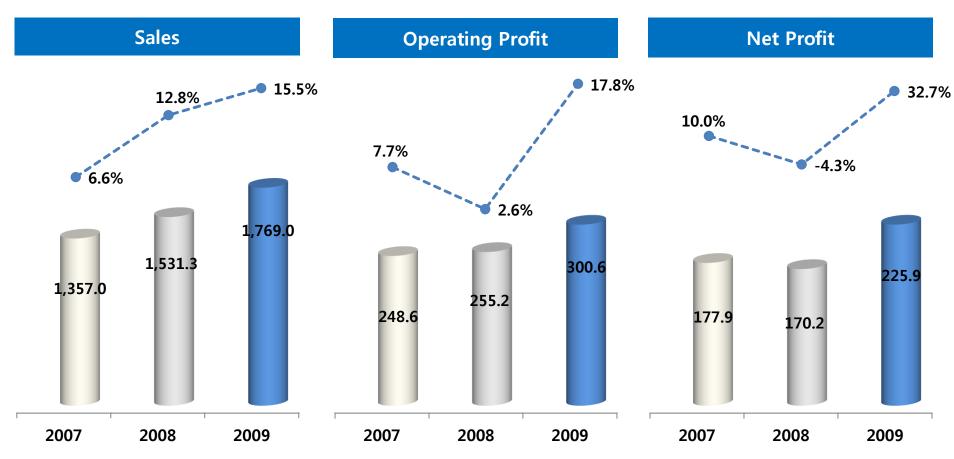


Sales and Profits

[Unit: KRWbn]

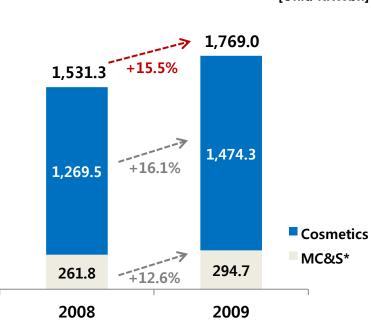
	2008	(Margin)	2009	(Margin)	Y on Y
Sales	1,531.3		1,769.0		15.5%
Gross Profit	1,066.3	(69.6)	1,261.1	(71.3)	18.3%
SG&A Expense	811.1		<u>960.5</u>		<u>18.4%</u>
Operating Profit	255.2	(16.7)	300.6	(17.0)	17.8%
Non-operating Gain/Loss	-10.9		-1.3		<u>88.1%</u>
Income Before Taxes	244.3	(16.0)	299.3	(16.9)	22.5%
Net Profit	170.2	(11.1)	225.9	(12.8)	32.7%





2009 SALES ANALYSIS

Sales by Division



* MC&S (Mass Cosmetics and Sulloc): Personal Care and Green Tea Business

[Cosmetics Sales by Major Channels]

Channel	Vs. Total Sales	YoY Growth
Door to Door	31.7%	6.2%
Department Store	17.2%	19.3%
Specialty Store	15.1%	23.0%
Hypermarket	9.2%	24.9%

2009 Sales of KRW 1,769.0bn, +16% YoY

[Unit: KRWbn]

[Cosmetics Division] Sales of KRW 1,474.3bn, +16% YoY

 Preceding investment resulted in strengthened market leadership and robust growth across all channels with advanced channel structures and unique brand power (M/S 34.3% → 35.1%)

> Luxury Segment: 61% of total cosmetics sales, +10% YoY

- Growth continued behind increased sales of premium lines of major brands, 'Sulwhasoo', 'Hera' and 'Amorepacfic' ('Sulwhasoo'+20%, 'Amorepacific'+44%)
- Increased portion of superior counselors and influx of new counselors resulted in robust growth of Door to Door sales
- Department store sales continued strong growth due to outstanding channel performance and improved service skills

> Premium Segment: 35% of total cosmetics sales, +29% YoY

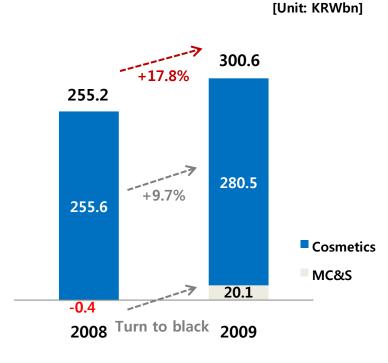
- Successful settlement and expansion of premium specialty store, 'Aritaum', resulted in enhanced market leadership (1,050 stores)
- Reinforced premium functional lines of major brands / 'Laneige' brand launched new products that appealed to younger customers settling firmly as a young premium brand in the market
- 'IOPE'+27%, 'Laneige'+23%, 'Hannule'+103%

[MC&S Division] Sales of KRW 294.7bn, +13% YoY

- 'Mis-en-scene' launched a premium product line and 'Ryoe' became No.1 in the hair loss segment of the shampoo market
- Sulloc sales had a favorable turn in sales behind strengthened lineup of premium products and new product launches
- 'Mis-en-scene'+16%, 'Ryoe'+137%, 'Happy Bath'+26%

2009 PROFITS ANALYSIS

OP by Division



2009 OP of KRW 300.6bn, +18% YoY

[Cosmetics Division]

- Operating profits increased 10% YoY
- Despite the continued investment in brands and distribution channels throughout the year, profits increased due to strong growth in sales
- Profitability enhanced behind stable sales growth of core luxury brands, 'Sulwhasoo' and 'Amorepacific'
- Profitability of major brands such as 'IOPE', 'Laneige' and 'Hannule' improved due to the increased sales portion of functional lines

[MC&S Division]

- Operating profits turned to black
- Profitability and product mix improved due to increased portion of cosmetics-related and premium products of major brands, "Mis-enscene', 'Ryoe' and 'Happy Bath'
- Effective cost management: Cost reduced through continuing innovative efforts / SG&A costs cut-down by efficient marketing cost management

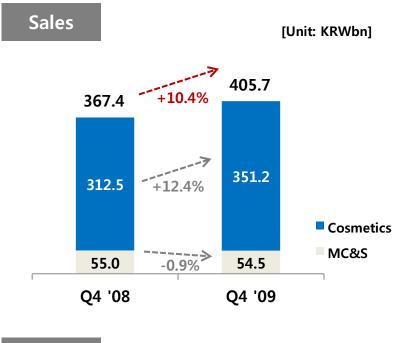
[2009 Major SG&A Expense to Sales]

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[OPM]	2008	2009	[vs. Sales]	2008	2009
Cosmetics	20.1%	19.0%	Personnel	8.7%	8.9%
			Marketing	15.2%	15.5%
MC&S	-0.2%	6.8%	Commission	15.8%	17.0%
Company	16.7%	17.0%	Total SG&A	53.0%	54.3%

[2009 OPM by Division]

2009 Q4 QUARTERLY PERFORMANCE

[Unit: KRWbn]



Sales of KRW 405.7bn, +10% YoY

[Cosmetics Division] Sales grew 12.4% YoY

- Department store channel showed strong growth backed by stable sales increase of major luxury brands, 'Sulwhasoo' and 'Amorepacific' and the launch of 'Lirikos' brand (+19%)
- Due to the product mix improvement and new customer influx, Specialty store and Hypermarket channel continued to expand (Aritaum +17%, Hypermarket +20%)
- Online channel displayed sales growth of 44% behind reinforced marketing efforts such as channel-exclusive product launches

[MC&S Division] Sales grew -0.9% YoY

- Sales decreased slightly due to sales returns from the Chusok gift sets

OP of KRW 37.2bn, -24% YoY

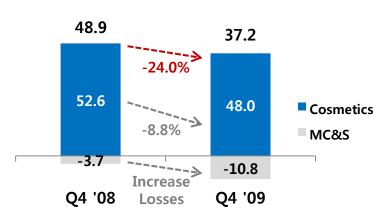
[Cosmetics Division]

- Although gross profit margin improved due to increased sales portion of premium products, costs for growth in 2010 such as marketing, advertisement and promotion increased
- 'Aritaum' franchise fee collected in 2008 Q4 was excluded in 2009

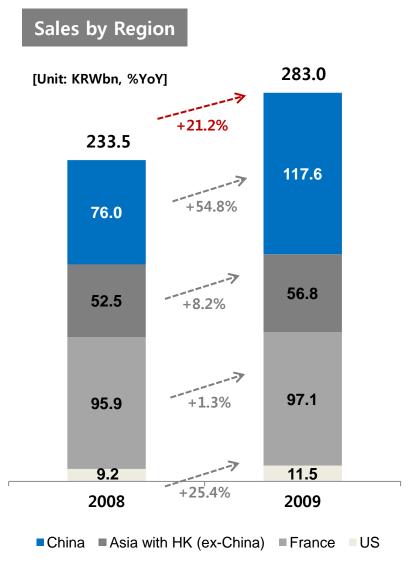
[MC&S Division]

- Losses increased due to sales returns from the Chusok gift sets and green tea discard

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2009 OVERSEAS BUSINESS ANALYSIS



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2009 Sales of KRW 283.0bn, +21% YoY

[China] 42% of overseas sales, +55% YoY

- Strong growth in sales and profits continued (Net Profit of KRW 13.3bn, +179%)
 - '<u>Laneige</u>' brand continued stable and profitable growth through enhanced customer marketing and new product launches
 - '<u>Mamonde</u>' brand sales surged through aggressive counter expansion and same store sales growth / Turned profitable based on cost improvement

[Asia Ex-China] 20% of overseas sales, +8% YoY

- Enhanced brand recognition of 'Laneige' as a result of the brand renewal and new product launches
- Reinforced premium marketing through the 'Sulwhasoo' spa launch in Hong Kong
- Expansion of the ASEAN duty-free business resulted in enhanced brand recognition and sales increase
- Sales increased in major Asian markets (Taiwan +10%, Hong Kong +12%, Malaysia +81%)

[France] 34% of overseas sales, +1% YoY

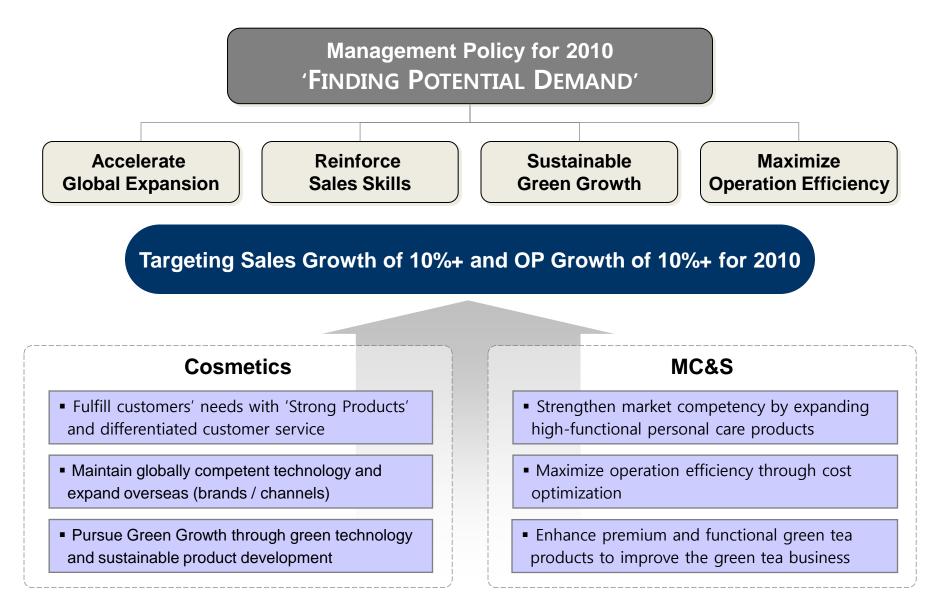
Perfume sales had a favorable turn in H2 due to the launch of a new product ('Si Lolita') and loss volume decreased backed by efficient management of costs

[US] 4% of overseas sales, +25% YoY

 Despite the economic depression, sales continued to grow due to sales increase in specialty stores (Amore Shops)

2009 FINANCIAL SUMMARY

Income Statement						Balance Sheet		
[KRWbn]	200	8 %	2009 %		[KRWbn]	2008. 12	2009. 12	
Sales	1,531.3	100.0	1,769.0	100.0	Asset Current Asset	1,455.2 445.1	1,664.0 550.3	
Gross Profit	1,066.3	69.6	1,261.1	71.3	Non-current Asset	1,010.0	1,113.8	
SG&A Expense	811.1	53.0	960.5	54.3	Liability Current Liability	339.9 199.4	364.3 217.2	
Operating Profit	255.2	16.7	300.6	17.0	Non-current Liability	140.4	147.1	
Non-operating Profit	35.2		33.3		Shareholder's Equity Capital	1,115.3 34.5	1,299.7 34.5	
Non-operating Expense	46.1		34.6		Capital Reserve	712.7	712.7	
Income Before Taxes	244.3	16.0	299.3	16.9	Capital Adjustment Accumulated Other	-1.4	-1.8	
Net Profit	170.2	11.1	225.9	12.8	Inclusive Gain and Loss Retained Earnings	30.9 338.6	24.4 529.9	





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