



# **Business Results for the Third Quarter of the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2026**

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**Qol Holdings Co.,Ltd.**

(The Prime Market of the Tokyo Stock Exchange 3034)

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## Consolidated Financial Results

## Record-high Sales and Profit attributable to owners of parent

- In April 2025, the Company acquired an additional 29% of the shares of DAIICHI SANKYO ESPHA CO., LTD. increasing its share ownership ratio to 80%.
- The pharmaceutical manufacturing business has enhanced its presence and made steady contributions to Consolidated Financial Results.



### Pharmacy Business

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### Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Business

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- On the other hand, operating profit decreased after DAIICHI SANKYO ESPHA CO., LTD. shifted from posting a portion of expenses in one lump sum in March to posting these expenses proportionally in the second half beginning in the third quarter of the consolidated fiscal year under review.

# Highlights



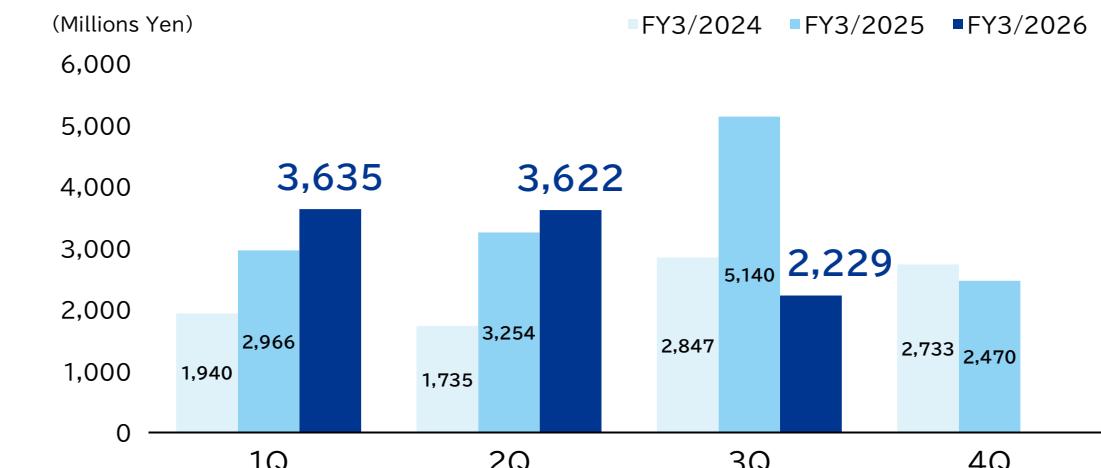
(unit: Millions yen)	3Q FY3/2024 ended Dec. 31, 2023	3Q FY3/2025 ended Dec. 31, 2024	3Q FY3/2026 ended Dec. 31, 2025	Variance	Variance(%)
<b>Net sales</b>	<b>134,528</b>	<b>198,207</b>	<b>216,025</b>	<b>17,817</b>	<b>9.0%</b>
<b>Operating profit</b>	<b>5,729</b>	<b>11,034</b>	<b>9,415</b>	<b>(1,618)</b>	<b>(14.7%)</b>
<b>Ordinary profit</b>	<b>6,523</b>	<b>11,361</b>	<b>9,487</b>	<b>(1,873)</b>	<b>(16.5%)</b>
<b>Profit attributable to owners of parent</b>	<b>3,774</b>	<b>3,524</b>	<b>4,671</b>	<b>1,147</b>	<b>32.6%</b>
<b>Profit per share (yen)</b>	<b>101.47</b>	<b>94.22</b>	<b>124.46</b>	<b>30.24</b>	<b>32.1%</b>
<b>EBITDA*</b>	<b>9,604</b>	<b>16,963</b>	<b>16,593</b>	<b>(370)</b>	<b>(2.2%)</b>

\* Operating profit + Depreciation + Amortization of goodwill

## Trend in Net Sales on a Quarterly basis



## Trend in Ordinary Profit on a Quarterly basis



# Progress



(unit: Millions yen)	3Q FY3/2026 ended Dec. 31, 2025	FY3/2026 ended Mar. 31, 2026 (Forecast)	Progress (%)
<b>Net sales</b>	216,025	280,000	77.2%
<b>Operating profit</b>	9,415	15,500	60.7%
<b>Ordinary profit</b>	9,487	15,600	60.8%
<b>Profit attributable to owners of parent</b>	4,671	7,000	66.7%
<b>Profit per share (yen)</b>	124.46	186.51	66.7%

# Consolidated Statements of Income



(unit: Millions yen)	3Q FY3/2025 ended Dec. 31, 2024	3Q FY3/2026 ended Dec. 31, 2025	Variance	Variance(%)
<b>Net sales</b>	198,207	216,025	17,817	9.0%
<b>Cost of sales</b>	167,803	187,508	19,705	11.7%
<b>Gross profit</b>	30,404	28,516	(1,887)	(6.2%)
<b>Selling general and administrative expenses</b>	19,369	19,100	(268)	(1.4%)
<b>Operating profit</b>	11,034	9,415	(1,618)	(14.7%)
	% of Net Sales			
	5.6%	4.4%	—	—
<b>Ordinary profit</b>	11,361	9,487	(1,873)	(16.5%)
	% of Net Sales			
	5.7%	4.4%	—	—
<b>Profit attributable to owners of parent</b>	3,524	4,671	1,147	32.6%
	% of Net Sales			
	1.8%	2.2%	—	—

# Consolidated Balance Sheets



(unit: Millions yen)	FY3/2025 ended Mar. 31, 2025	3Q FY3/2026 ended Dec. 31, 2025	Variance	(unit: Millions yen)
<b>Current assets</b>	<b>60,348</b>	<b>62,200</b>	<b>1,852</b>	<b>Current assets</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>+1,852</b></span>
Cash and deposits	26,727	21,060	(5,667)	Notes and accounts receivable - trade, and contract assets <span style="float: right;">+5,472</span>
Non-current assets	99,321	94,416	(4,904)	Cash and deposits <span style="float: right;">(5,667)</span>
Property, plant and equipment	18,141	17,867	(274)	Raw materials and supplies <span style="float: right;">+1,173</span>
Intangible assets	70,338	66,177	(4,160)	<b>Non-current assets</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>(4,904)</b></span>
Investments and other assets	10,841	10,371	(469)	Goodwill <span style="float: right;">(2,557)</span>
Total assets	159,669	156,617	(3,051)	Business Rights <span style="float: right;">(2,443)</span>
Current liabilities	74,202	81,858	7,656	<b>Current liabilities</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>+7,656</b></span>
Non-current liabilities	23,328	18,103	(5,225)	Accounts payable - trade <span style="float: right;">+9,573</span>
Total liabilities	97,531	99,961	2,430	Income taxes payable <span style="float: right;">(1,939)</span>
Interest-bearing debt	41,285	36,938	(4,347)	<b>Non-current liabilities</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>(5,225)</b></span>
Net assets	62,138	56,655	(5,482)	Long-term borrowings <span style="float: right;">(5,409)</span>
Shareholders' equity	57,123	54,705	(2,418)	<b>Net assets</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>(5,482)</b></span>
Total liabilities and net assets	159,669	156,617	(3,051)	Retained earnings <span style="float: right;">+3,158</span>
				Capital surplus <span style="float: right;">(5,569)</span>
				Non-controlling interests <span style="float: right;">(3,064)</span>

# Segment Overview



	(unit: Millions yen)	3Q FY3/2025 ended Dec. 31, 2024	3Q FY3/2026 ended Dec. 31, 2025	YoY Variance(%)
 Pharmacy Business	Net sales	128,781	132,418	2.8%
	Segment profit % of Net Sales	7,026 5.5%	6,866 5.2%	(2.3%)
 BPO Contracting Businesses	Net sales	10,057	10,536	4.8%
	Segment profit % of Net Sales	1,225 12.2%	1,346 12.8%	9.9%
 Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Business	Net sales	59,367	73,069	23.1%
	Segment profit % of Net Sales	5,440 9.2%	4,024 5.5%	(26.0%)



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(unit: Millions yen)	3Q FY3/2025 ended Dec. 31, 2024	3Q FY3/2026 ended Dec. 31, 2025	Variance(%)
Net sales	128,781	132,418	2.8%
Expenses	121,833	125,650	3.1%
Segment profit	7,026	6,866	(2.3%)

Main factors  
for change

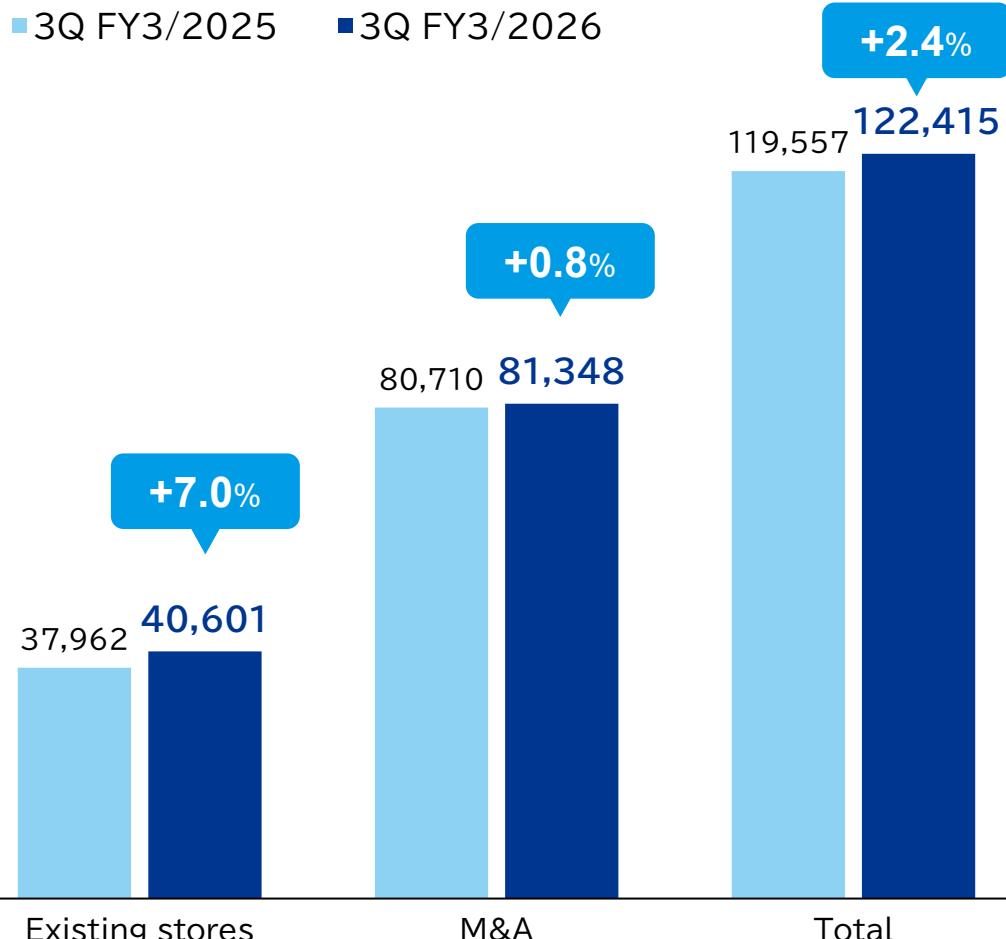


- NHI drug price revision(April)
- Revisions of medical fee was made in June. (previously April)  
① [Revised] Basic Dispensing Fee  
② [Newly established] Medical DX Premium
- Patient-elective care scheme for long-listed products has started. (October)
  - Promotion of use of generic drug

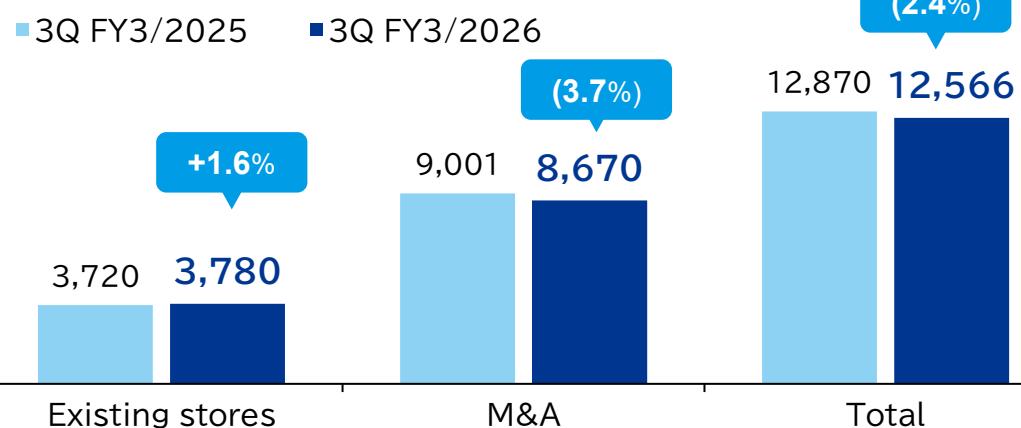
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## Net sales of receiving prescriptions (millions yen)

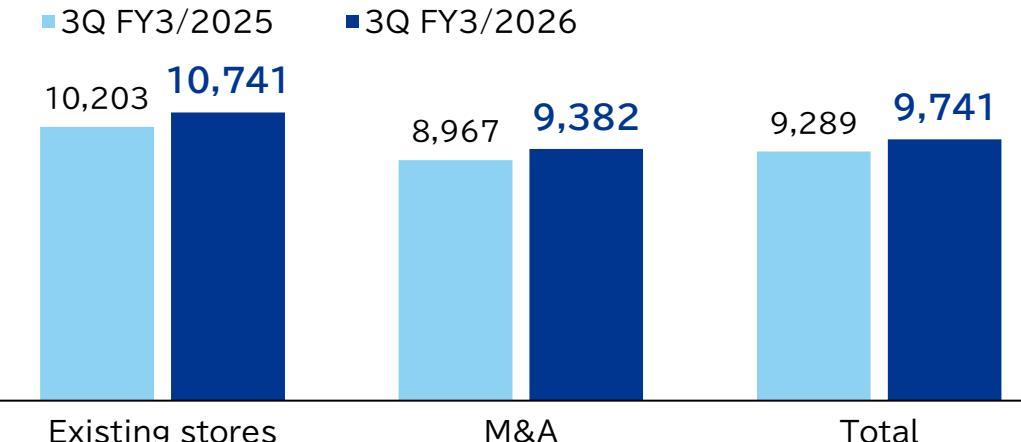
Net sales of receiving prescriptions =  
Number of receiving prescriptions × Average price of prescription



## Number of receiving prescriptions (thousand unit)



## Average price of prescription (yen)



\* Excluding new stores

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## Review of the store portfolio

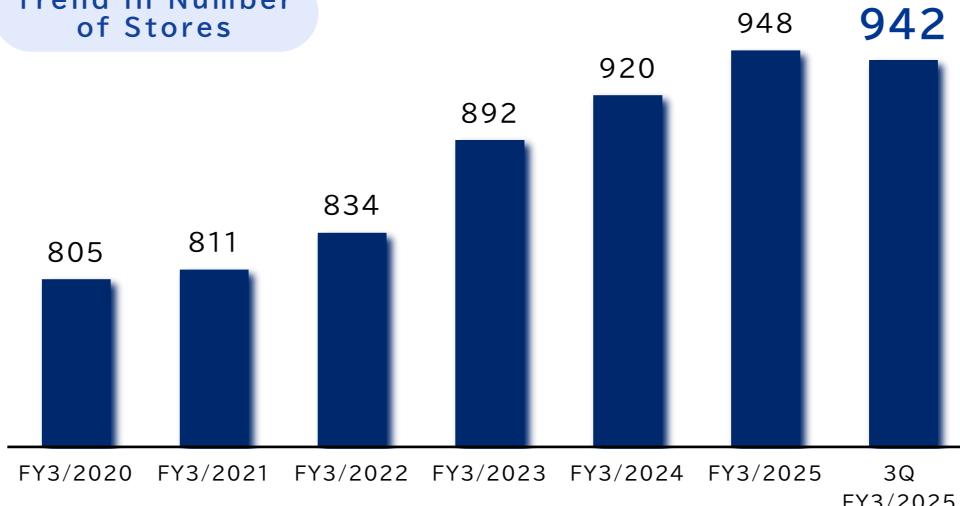


## Expansion of scale through M&amp;A and store openings

Review of store strategy underway in accordance with the characteristics of each region

	FY3/2020	FY3/2021	FY3/2022	FY3/2023	FY3/2024	FY3/2025	3Q FY3/2025
New stores	18	16	15	21	16	18	8
M&A	39	18	15	48	17	26	1
Retail store	3	0	1	1	2	1	2

Trend in Number of Stores



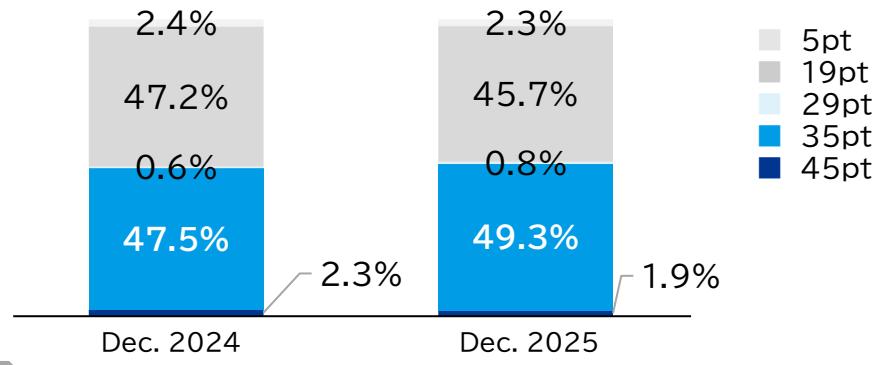
- Expansion of scale, mainly in Tokyo, Nagoya and Osaka
- Strategic initiatives for the Home and Facility Dispensing Business
- Selection of projects with a focus on investment efficiency in view of the brisk M&A market



(Takeover of operations in January 2026: Eight stores from Hikari Co., Ltd.)

Consolidated  
base

## Basic Dispensing Fee (percentage of store type)



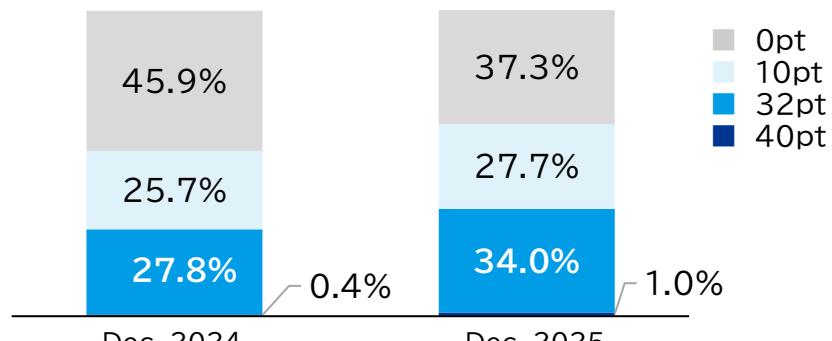
Number of  
pharmacies

926

912

5pt  
19pt  
29pt  
35pt  
45pt

## Community Support System Premium (percentage of store type)



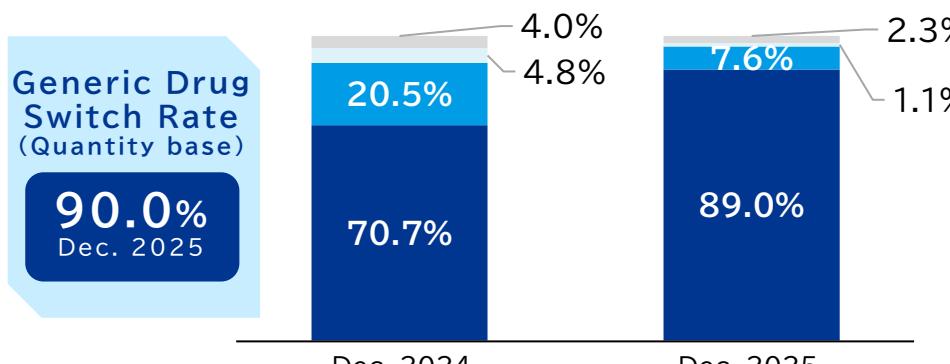
Number of  
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0pt  
10pt  
32pt  
40pt

## Generic Drug Dispensing System Premium (percentage of store type)



Generic Drug  
Switch Rate  
(Quantity base)

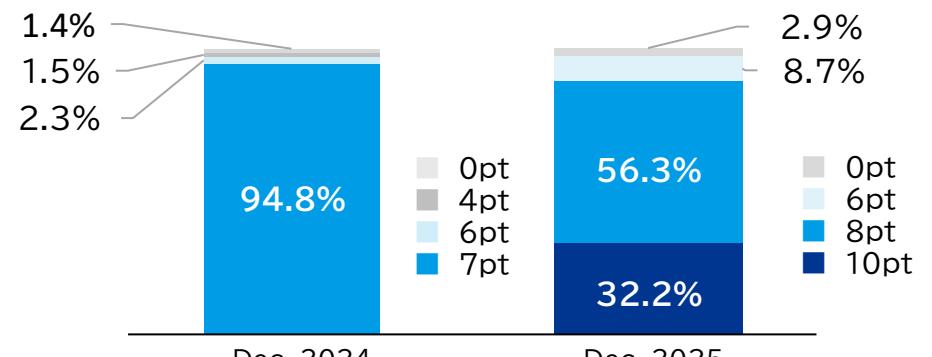
90.0%  
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0pt  
21pt  
28pt  
30pt

## Medical DX Premium (percentage of store type)



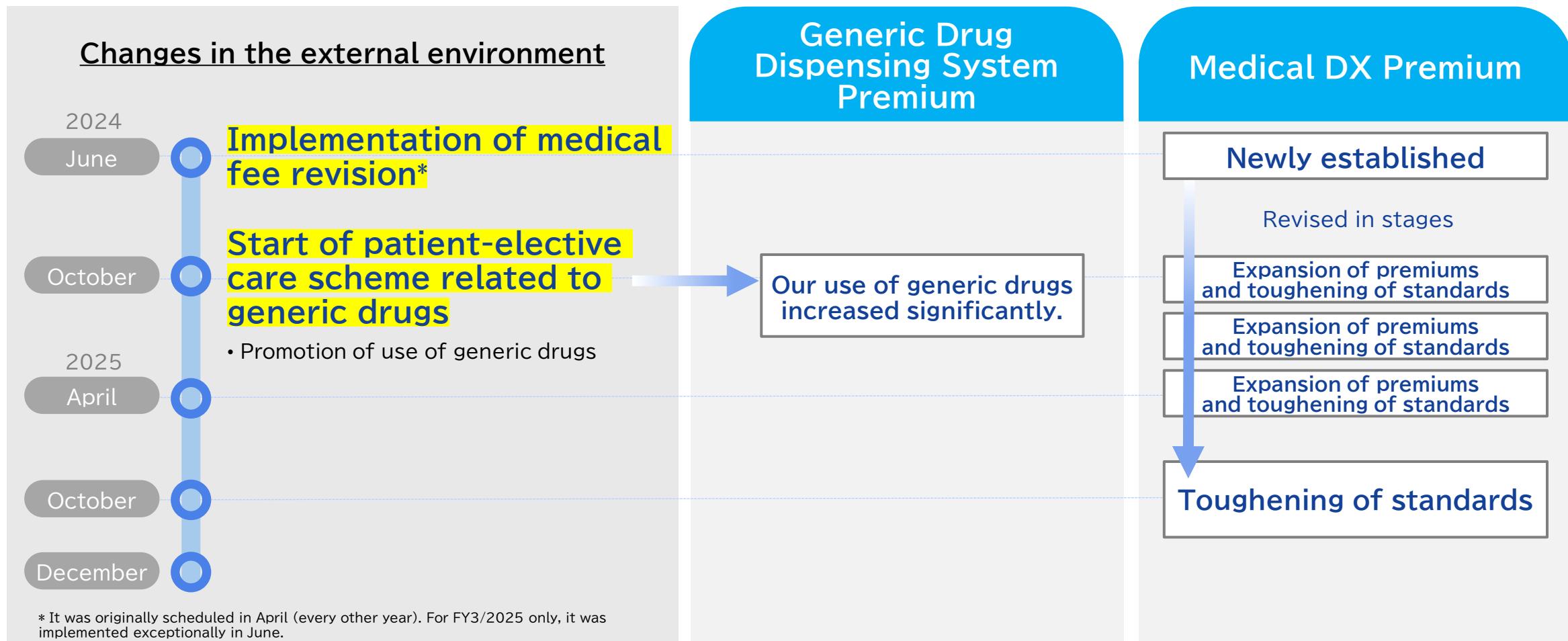
Number of  
pharmacies

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0pt  
4pt  
6pt  
7pt

- The timing of revisions to the medical fee and related medical schemes may have an impact on the quarterly trend of technical fees. For the third quarter of the fiscal year under review, two premiums fell under these factors.



 Higher sales and profit

The number of contract MRs increased due to growing demand for MR dispatches.

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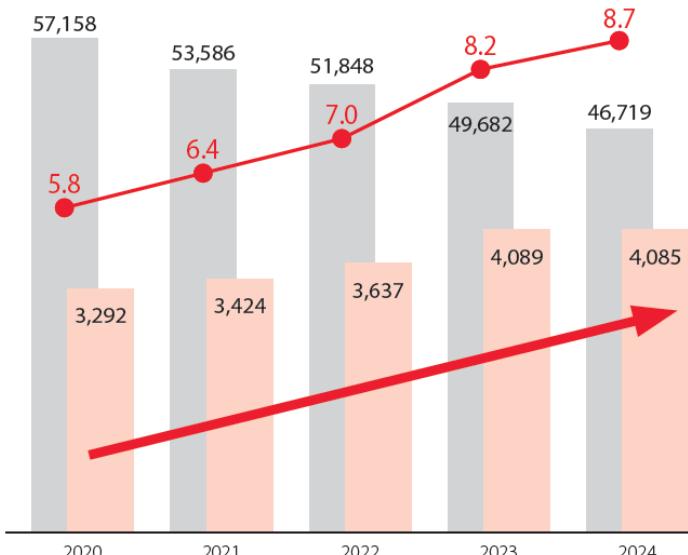
- For the third quarter of the fiscal year under review, the BPO Contracting Businesses was driven by the CSO\*<sup>1</sup> business.

\*1 Mainly for dispatch of contract MRs    \*2 Contract MRs

Demand for MR dispatch continued to expand amid a reduction in regular-employee MRs.

Number of MRs and CMR outsourcing percentage in Japan

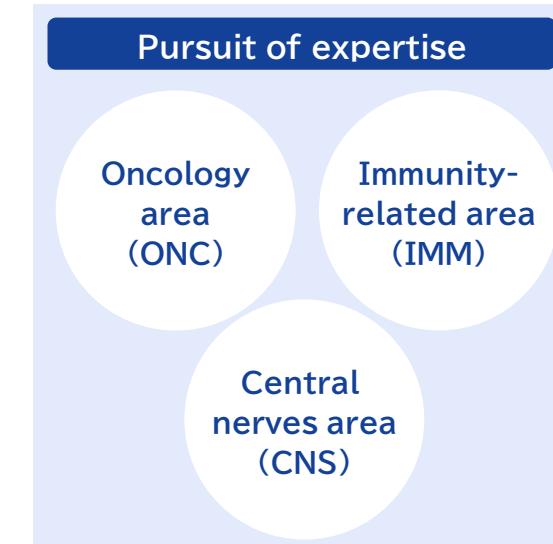
All number of MRs   Number of contract human resources in operation (persons)  
CMR outsourcing percentage (%)



Source: Japan CSO Association, Overview of the survey on the actual situation of CSO business in Japan

Focus on the development of MRs in specialty areas to **create high value-added and high-productivity CMRs**<sup>2</sup>

## APO PLUS STATION



Number of active CMRs at APO PLUS STATION Co., LTD in FY3/2026



# Segment Information



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Net sales	59,367	73,069	23.1%
Expenses	53,927	69,044	28.0%
Segment profit	5,440	4,024	(26.0%)

Main factors  
for change



- NHI drug price revision (April)
- In April 2024, the Company increased its shareholding in DAIICHI SANKYO ESPHA Co., Ltd. From 30% to 51%.
- Number of new products launched: 4 ingredients (GE:1, launched in Jun. 2024 AG:3, launched in Dec. 2024)

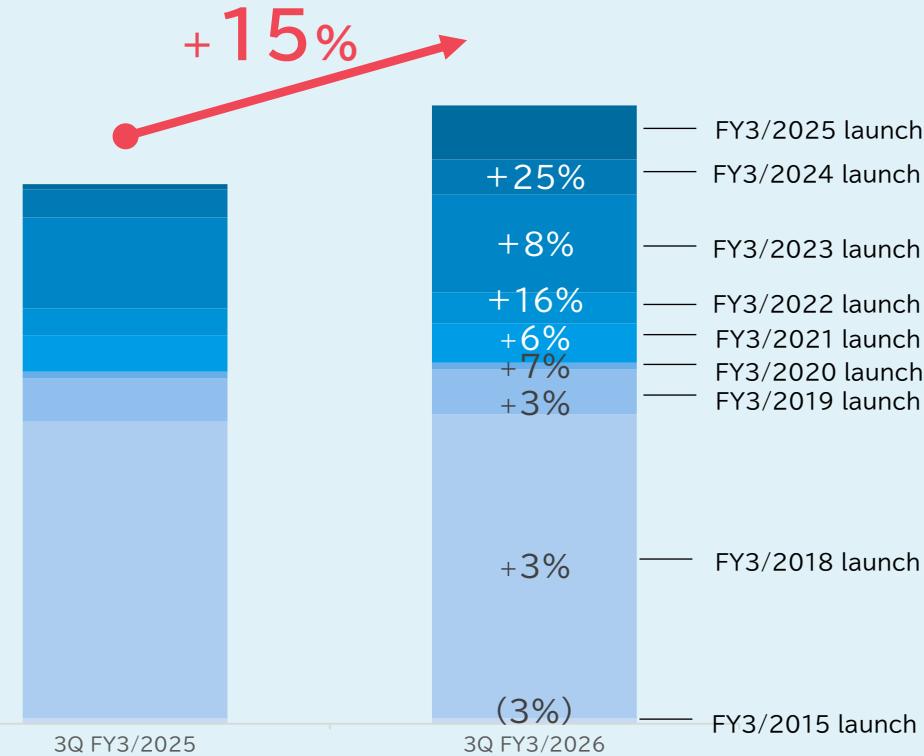
- NHI drug price revision (April)
- In April 2025, the Company increased its shareholding in DAIICHI SANKYO ESPHA Co., Ltd. from 51% to 80%.
- Number of new products launched (1Q~3Q) : 1 ingredient (AG:1, launched in Dec. 2025)

## Shipment Volume\* of existing products grew steadily

up 15% year on year

### Shipment Volume\* Trends of Existing Products

\*Volume of pharmaceuticals shipped to medical institutions (hospitals and pharmacies)



Year of launch	Generic name	Main purpose
FY3/2015	Levofloxacin	Antibacterial agent
FY3/2018	Telmisartan Telmisartan/Amlodipine Telmisartan/Hydrochlorothiazide Olmesartan Rosuvastatin	Hypertension treatment Hypertension treatment Hypertension treatment Hypertension treatment Hypercholesterolemia treatment
FY3/2019	Levofloxacin(Injection) Sildosin Gefitinib	Antibacterial agent Urinary disorder Anti-cancer agents
FY3/2020	Bicalutamide Anastrozole Tamoxifen	Anti-cancer agents Anti-cancer agents Anti-cancer agents
FY3/2021	Memantine Hydrochloride Ezetimibe	Dementia Hypercholesterolemia treatment
FY3/2022	Bortezomib Carvedilol Pilsicainide hydrochloride hydrate	Anti-cancer agents Chronic heart failure treatment Arrhythmia
FY3/2023	Azocemide Febuxostat	Diuretic Hyperuricemia treatment
FY3/2024	Bisoprolol fumarate	Hypertension treatment
FY3/2025	Rivaroxaban Loxoprofen Sodium Tape Hydroxychloroquine Sulfate	Selective direct effect Factor Xa inhibitor (Oral Anticoagulants) Transdermal analgesia Anti-Inflammatory agent Immune adjusters

## Sales of New Products in the Previous Fiscal Year

	FY3/2025 (December to March)	3Q FY3/2026 ended Dec. 31, 2025
■ Top row figures Net sales shipped to medical institutions (millions of yen)	6,024 (16,767)	14,804 (38,558)
■ Bottom row figures Number of medical institutions that adopted products	1,279 (10,340)	3,993 (15,687)
Rivaroxaban	247 (1,981)	776 (6,727)
Loxoprofen Sodium Tape		
Hydroxychloroquine Sulfate		

- The products launched in December 2024 were steadily adopted by medical institutions, contributing to full-year performance.

One ingredient, one product  
released in December 2025

Brand name	Product name	Effect
 Zytiga® 250mg	Abiraterone acetate 250mg “DSEP”	Prostate cancer treatment (CYP17 inhibitor)

One ingredient, four product  
scheduled for release in March 2026

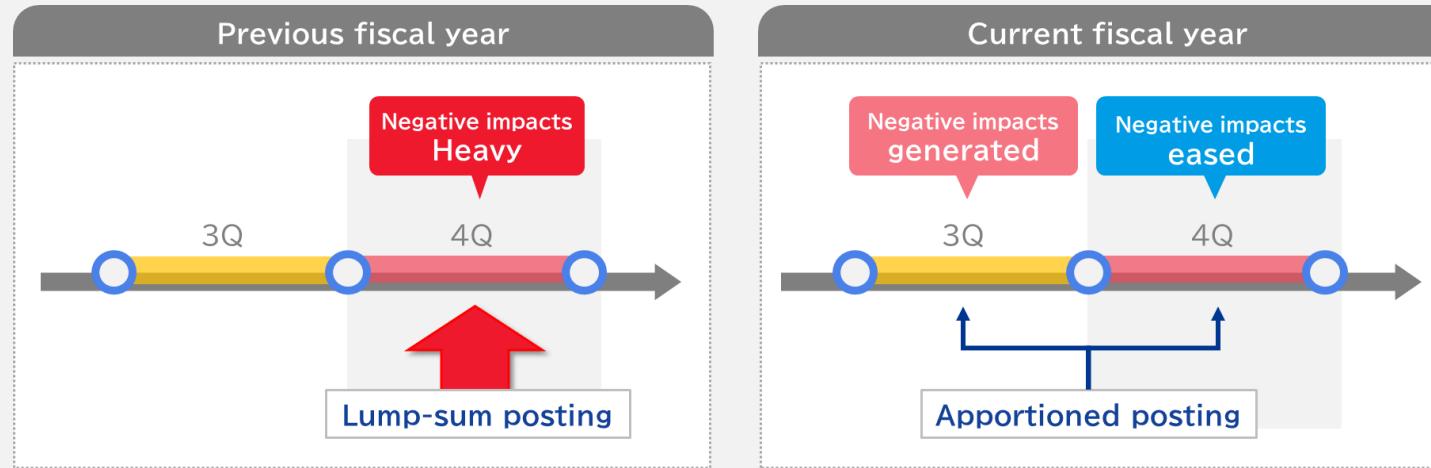
Brand name	Product name	Effect
 Efient® 2.5mg・3.75mg・5mg	Prasugrel 2.5mg・3.75mg・5mg “DSEP”	
 Efient® OD 20mg	Prasugrel OD 20mg “DSEP”	Antiplatelet agent

# Factors for Change in Operating Profit

- The operating margin for the third quarter of the fiscal year under review decreased because of (1) the change in the method of posting expenses and (2) the cost increase attributable to new products in the previous fiscal year. It will be leveled on a full-year basis.

## (1) Expenses

- From the third quarter of the fiscal year under review, the method of posting part of the expenses apportioned in the second half applies instead of the method of posting it in a lump sum in the fourth quarter.



## (2)

- Advertising, sales promotion and suchlike
- Depreciation

- Expenses increased after the December 2024 launch of seven new products with three ingredients, including large-size products.
- Since expenses for the third quarter of the previous fiscal year were minor, the profit level looked higher than it really was.

# Promotion of Sustainability



Certification obtained from SBTi, an international climate change initiative

Qol's new greenhouse gas (GHG) emission reduction targets have been deemed to conform to the Paris Agreement and have received certification from the Science Based Targets initiative (SBTi).

## <GHG emission reduction targets>

- Reduce GHG emissions (Scope 1 + 2) by 42% from the level in FY3/2024, which is the base year
- Reduce GHG emissions (Scope 3) by 25% from the level in FY3/2024, which is the base year



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## Inclusion in ESG ratings

Qol has been internationally recognized for its continued commitment to ESG and has been selected as a constituent of ESG investment indexes which are composed of Japanese companies with excellent ESG initiatives.

- FTSE JPX Blossom Japan Index
- FTSE JPX Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index



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