ONO PHARMACEUTICAL CO., LTD.

February 2, 2011

Ono Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd. has announced its consolidated financial results for nine months ended December 31, 2010.

This First-Third Quarter Flash Report 2011 (unaudited) is summary information extracted from financial statements announced, and the financial statements contained herein are prepared for reference only for the convenience of readers outside Japan with certain modifications and reclassifications made from the original financial statements presented in Japanese language.

Financial Highlights

			M	lillions of yen			Th	ousands of US\$
	1st-	3rd Quarter	1s	t-3rd Quarter		Annual	1st	-3rd Quarter
	9 months ended Dec 31			9 months	12 months		9 months	
			ec 31 ended Dec 31			ded Mar 31	ended Dec 31	
		2010		2009		2010		2010
Net sales	¥	101,609	¥	106,325	¥	135,986	\$	1,254,432
Net income		19,007		24,593		27,878		234,654
Total Net assets		398,387		400,647		406,109		4,918,357
Total assets		426,090		428,078		433,226		5,260,370
				Yen				US\$
Net income per common share	¥	174.98	¥	226.17	¥	256.38	\$	2.16

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Consolidated Financial Forecast for the Year Ending March 31,2011

	Year ending March 31,2011					
-	Millions of yen		Thousands of US\$			
Net sales	¥ 131,000	\$	1,617,284			
Operating income	29,900		369,136			
Ordinary income	31,900		393,827			
Net income	20,500		253,086			
	Yen		US\$			
Net income per common share	188.97		2.33			

- (*) The forecasts for the year ending March 31, 2011 are changed from November 4, 2010.
- (*)The foregoing are forward-looking statements based on a number of assumptions and beliefs in light of the information currently available to management and are subject to risks and uncertainties. Actual financial results may differ materially depending on a number of economic factors, including conditions and currency exchange rate fluctuations.

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Consolidated Balance Sheets

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			Mil	lions of yen			Th	ousands of US\$
	1st-	3rd Quarter	1st-	1st-3rd Quarter		Annual		-3rd Quarter
ASSETS	December 31		De	December 31		March 31		ecember 31
		2010		2009	-	2010		2010
Current assets								
Cash and bank deposits	¥	33,004	¥	15,387	¥	15,387	\$	407,457
Notes and accounts receivable		40,943		41,129		31,625		505,469
Marketable securities		84,324		98,230		97,830		1,041,037
Inventories		12,917		13,986		14,626		159,469
Others		16,296		17,999		22,386		201,185
Allowance for doubtful receivables		(9)		(13)		(13)		(111)
Total current assets		187,475		186,718		181,841		2,314,506
Property, plant and equipment								
Land		22,554		22,539		22,539		278,444
Buildings and structures		22,611		23,862		23,631		279,148
Machinery, equipment and others		3,036		3,383		3,202		37,481
Construction in progress		742		845		638		9,161
Net property, plant and equipment		48,943		50,629		50,010		604,234
Investments and other assets								
Investment securities		174,360		180,856		190,628		2,152,593
Intangible assets		997		1,004		866		12,309
Others		14,315		8,871		9,881		176,728
Total investments and other assets		189,672		190,731		201,375		2,341,630
Total assets	¥	426,090	¥	428,078	¥	433,226	\$	5,260,370

(Note) All amounts are rounded off to the nearest million yen.

		Millions of yen		Thousands of US\$		
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	1st-3rd Quarte December 31 2010	1st-3rd Quarter December 31 2009	Annual March 31 2010	1st-3rd Quarter December 31 2010		
Current liabilities						
Current portion of long-term debt	¥ 2	¥ 2	¥ 2	\$ 25		
Notes and accounts payable	4,191	4,565	2,345	51,741		
Income tax payable	5,305	3,740	8,421	65,494		
Others	14,555	15,845	12,674	179,691		
Total current liabilities	24,053	24,152	23,442	296,951		
Long-term liabilities						
Long-term debt, less current portion	13	15	14	160		
Liabilities for retirement benefits	514	201	599	6,346		
Asset retirement obligations	52	_	_	642		
Others	3,071	3,063	3,062	37,914		
Total long-term liabilities	3,650	3,279	3,675	45,062		
Equity						
Common stock	17,358	17,358	17,358	214,296		
Capital surplus	17,080	17,080	17,080	210,864		
Retained earnings	430,321	427,585	430,871	5,312,605		
Treasury stock-at cost	(66,105	(63,436)	(63,440)	(816,111)		
Total equity	398,654	398,587	401,869	4,921,654		
Other comprehensive income						
Unrealized gain on securities (*)	5,127	7,580	9,707	63,296		
Land revaluation surplus	(8,938	(8,923)	(8,923)	(110,346)		
Foreign currency translation adjustmen	nts (243	(186)	(174)	(3,000)		
Total other comprehensive income	(4,054	(1,529)	610	(50,050)		
Minority interests	3,787	3,589	3,630	46,753		
Total net assets	398,387	400,647	406,109	4,918,357		
Total liabilities and total net assets	¥ 426,090	¥ 428,078	¥ 433,226	\$ 5,260,370		

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Nine months ended December 31, 2010

Consolidated Statements of Income

(Note) All amounts are rounded off to the nearest m	nillion ven	١.
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	1st-	3rd Quarter		-3rd Quarter		Annual	1st	-3rd Quarter	
		months		9 months	1	12 months	9 months ended Dec 31		
	en	ded Dec 31	en	ded Dec 31	en	ded Mar 31			
		2010	2009		2010			2010	
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Net sales	¥	101,609	¥	106,325	¥	135,986	\$	1,254,432	
Cost of sales	_	17,931	_	16,555	_	20,838		221,370	
Gross profit		83,678		89,770		115,148		1,033,062	
Selling, general and administrative expenses	S	56,398		55,229		75,307		696,272	
Operating income	_	27,280	_	34,541	_	39,841		336,790	
Other income (expenses)									
Interest and dividend income		2,601		2,581		2,964		32,111	
Interest expenses		(0)		(0)		(1)		(0)	
Other, net		(199)		358		339		(2,457)	
,	_	2,402	_	2,939	_	3,302		29,654	
Income before income taxes and		Ź		ŕ		ŕ		ĺ	
minority interests		29,682		37,480		43,143		366,444	
Income taxes		10,500		12,721		15,055		129,630	
Income before minority interests		19,182		24,759		28,088		236,814	
Minority interests		(175)		(166)		(210)		(2,160)	
Net income	¥	19,007	¥	24,593	¥	27,878	\$	234,654	
				Yen				US\$	
Per share of common stock									
Basic net income	¥	174.98	¥	226.17	¥	256.38	\$	2.16	
Cash dividends applicable to the period	¥	90.00	¥	90.00	¥	180.00	\$	1.11	

Nine months ended December 31, 2010

Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

(Note) All amounts are round	ed off to the n	nearest million ven.
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	(No	ote) All amounts are r	ounded off to the	
	1st-3rd Quarter 9 months ended Dec 31 2010	Millions of yen 1st-3rd Quarter 9 months ended Dec 31 2009	Annual 12 months ended Mar 31 2010	Thousands of US\$ 1st-3rd Quarter 9 months ended Dec 31 2010
Operating activities:				
Income before income taxes and minority interests	¥ 29,682	¥ 37,480	¥ 43,143	\$ 366,444
Adjustments for:				
Depreciation and amortization	2,249	2,189	3,012	27,765
Increase (decrease) in allowance for doubtful receivables	(4)	3	10	(49)
Interest and dividend income	(2,601)	(2,581)	(2,964)	(32,111)
Interest expenses	0	0	1	0
Contribution to retirement benefits trust	_	5,000	5,000	_
Gain on sales of investment securities	_	_	(85)	_
Decrease (increase) in trade notes and accounts receivable	(9,320)	(1,649)	7,856	(115,062)
Decrease (increase) in inventories	1,709	(3,927)	(4,567)	21,099
Increase (decrease) in trade notes and accounts payable	1,834	1,356	(600)	22,642
Others	4,590	(4,650)	(9,663)	56,667
Interest and dividend income received	2,814	2,798	3,244	34,741
Interest paid	(0)	(0)	(1)	(0)
Payments for contribution to retirement benefits trust	_	(5,000)	(5,000)	_
Income taxes paid	(13,654)	(18,078)	(18,084)	(168,568)
Net cash provided by provided by operating activities	17,299	12,941	21,302	213,568
Investing activities:				
Payments for purchases of marketable securities	(26,151)	(29,030)	(33,379)	(322,852)
Proceeds from sales of marketable securities	46,750	73,970	86,120	577,160
Payments for purchases of property, plant and equipment	(978)	(1,970)	(3,211)	(12,074)
Payments for purchases of investment securities	(14,821)	(18,518)	(32,348)	(182,975)
Proceeds from sales of investment securities	11	7	174	136
Other payments	(322)	(436)	(480)	(3,975)
Net cash provided by investment activities	4,489	24,023	16,876	55,420
Financing activities:				
Repayment of current portion of long-term debt	(1)	(1)	(2)	(12)
Payments for obtaining treasury stock	(2,664)	(10)	(13)	(32,889)
Cash dividends	(19,025)	(18,994)	(19,553)	(234,877)
Net cash used in financing activities	(21,690)	(19,005)	(19,568)	(267,778)
Foreign currency translation adjustments				
on cash and cash equivalents	(68)	16	26	(839)
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	30	17,975	18,636	371
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning	72,097	53,461	53,461	890,086
Cash and cash equivalents, ending	¥ 72,127	¥ 71,436	¥ 72,097	\$ 890,457
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Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

- Note 1 This First-Third Quarter Flash Report 2011 (unaudited) is summary information extracted from the financial statements announced by the Company on February 2, 2011.
 - The financial statements announced have been prepared and stated in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in Japan.
 - The financial statements and figures contained in this First-Third Quarter Flash Report 2011 (unaudited) are prepared for reference only for the convenience of readers outside Japan with certain modifications and reclassifications made from the original financial statements presented in Japanese language.
- Note 2 All amounts expressed herein in millions of Japanese yen are rounded off to the nearest million yen, which are to follow the basis of presentation in the above original announcement.
- Note 3 U.S. Dollar amounts herein are given solely for the convenience of readers outside Japan and are stated, as a matter of arithmetical computation only, at the rate of Japanese yen 81 = US\$ 1, the approximate exchange rate prevailing on December 31, 2010.

Nine months ended December 31, 2010

Sales of Major Products

Supplemental Data

For information purpose only

(Note) All amounts are rounded off to the nearest hundred million yen.

1st-3rd Quarter 9 months ended Dec 31 2010

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		R	esults	Increase	/Decrease		
Opalmon	Circulatory system agent	¥	314	▲ 39	▲ 11.1%		
Onon	Agent for bronchial asthma and allergic rhinitis		146	▲ 42	▲ 22.4%		
Kinedak	Agent for diabetic peripheral neuropathy		105	▲ 25	▲ 19.2%		
Foipan	Agent for chronic pancreatitis and postoperative reflux esophagitis		87	▲ 16	▲15.4%		
Onon dry syrup	Agent for pediatric bronchial asthma		65	A 5	▲ 7.4%		
Glactiv	Agent for type II diabetes		65	_	_		
Staybla	Agent for overactive bladder (pollakiuria and urinary incontinence)		43	+10	28.6%		
Elaspol	Agent for acute lung injury associated with SIRS		39	A 3	▲8.0%		
Emend	Agent for Chemotherapy-induced nausea and vomiting		35	_	_		
Onoact	Agent for tachyarrhythmia during and post operation		29	+3	10.7%		
Recalbon	Agent for osteoporosis		15	+8	114.8%		

Note: Sales of products are shown in a gross sales basis.

Note: Glactiv and Emend were launched in December 2009, and year-on-year changes in value and percentage are therefore not available.

Nine months ended December 31, 2010

Supplemental Information

Status of Development Pipeline

as of February 2, 2011

Developments in Japan

NDA approved (New Formulations):

Staybla® OD Tablets (ONO-8025OD / KRP-197OD) (co-development with Kyorin Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd.) Overactive bladder (pollakiuria and urinary incontinence) [M₃ muscarinic receptor blocker]

- NDA filed (New Chemical Entities)

 Rivastach® Patch (ONO-2540 / ENA713D) (transdermal patch) (co-development with Novartis Pharma K.K.) Alzheimer's disease [dual inhibitor of AChE and BuChE]
- Proemend® for Injection (ONO-7847 / MK-0517) (in-licensed from Merck & Co., Inc.) Chemotherapy-induced nausea and vomiting [NK1 receptor antagonist]

- NDA filed (Additional Indications):

 Prostandin® for Injection Use in diagnostic testing for erectile dysfunction [alprostadil alfadex]
- Glactiv® Tablets (ONO-5435 / MK-0431) (co-development with MSD K.K.) Type II diabetes: combination therapy with an alphaglucosidase inhibitor or an insulin product [DPP-4 inhibitor]
- Corebeta® for Injection (ONO-1101) Improvement of image quality of coronary arteries for coronary CT angiography [short-acting beta-1 blocker]

NDA filed (New Dosage Regimen):
■ Recalbon® Tablet (ONO-5920 / YM529) (once-monthly oral tablet) (co-development with Astellas Pharma Inc.)

Osteoporosis [bone resorption inhibitor (bisphosphonate)]

Ongoing clinical studies (New Chemical Entities):

- ONO-4641 (tablet) Multiple sclerosis (Phase II) [S1P receptor agonist]
- ONO-3849 (injection) (in-licensed from Progenics Pharmaceuticals, Inc.) Opioid-induced constipation (Phase II) [mu-opioid receptor antagonist]
- ONO-7643 / RC-1291 (tablet) (in-licensed from Helsinn Therapeutics (U.S.), Inc.) Cancer anorexia / cachexia (Phase II) [ghrelin mimetic]
- **ONO-5334** (tablet) Osteoporosis (Phase I) [cathepsin K inhibitor]
- ONO-4538 / BMS-936558 (MDX-1106) (injection) Cancer (Phase I) [fully human anti-PD-1 antibody]
- ONO-2745 / CNS 7056 (injection) (in-licensed from PAION AG) Short-acting general anesthetic (Phase I) [GABAA receptor agonist]

- ONO-3951 / Asimadoline (tablet) (in-licensed from Tioga Pharmaceuticals, Inc.) Irritable bowel syndrome (Phase I) [kappa-opioid receptor agonist]
- ONO-6950 (tablet) Bronchial asthma (Phase I) [LT receptor antagonist]

Ongoing clinical studies (Additional Indications): Emend® Capsules (ONO-7436 / MK-0869)

(in-licensed from Merck & Co., Inc.) Chemotherapy-induced nausea and vomiting in pediatric patients (Phase III) [NK1 receptor antagonist]

Developments abroad

Ongoing clinical studies (New Chemical Entities):

- ONO-5334 (tablet) Osteoporosis (Phase II) [cathepsin K inhibitor]
- ONO-4641 (tablet) Multiple sclerosis (Phase II) [S1P receptor agonist]
- ONO-4538 / BMS-936558 (MDX-1106) (injection) (co-development with Bristol-Myers Squibb Company) Cancer (Phase I) Hepatitis C (Phase I) [fully human anti-PD-1 antibody]
- ONO-7746 (capsule) (in-licensed from Nissan Chemical Industries, Ltd.) Thrombocytopenia (Phase I) [TPO receptor agonist]
- ONO-6950 (tablet) Bronchial asthma (Phase I) [LT receptor antagonist]

Changes from the Semi-annual Flash Report for the Fiscal Year ended March 2011 announced on November 4, 2010

- An NDA of Staybla® OD Tablets (ONO-8025OD / KRP-197OD) for the treatment of overactive bladder was approved by the Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare of Japan on November 9, 2010.
- We commenced Phase II study of ONO-7643, a drug for cancer anorexia / cachexia in Japan.
- We commenced Phase I study of ONO-6950, a drug for bronchial asthma in and outside of Japan.