## Consolidated Results of Operations

The First Quarter, Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2018

USS Co., Ltd.
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Reference materials
Japan Automobile Dealers Association, Japan Light Motor Vehicle and
Motorcycle Association, USEDCAR Co., Ltd., Trade Statistics of Japan Ministry of Finance

Results of Operations First Quarter
Fiscal Year Ending March 2018

## 1Q FY3/2018 - Summary of Consolidated Results of Operations

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■ Results of operations: Sales increased $6.4 \%$ YoY to $¥ 17.63$ billion, Operating profit was up $6.3 \%$ to $¥ 8.63$ billion, and profit attributable to owners of parent increased $5.5 \%$ to $¥ 5.99$ billion.

■ Sales and earnings increased despite a decline in the contract completion rate mainly because of growth in vehicles consigned and contracts completed.
(Million yen)

|  | 1Q FY3/2016 | 1Q FY3/2017 | 1Q FY3/2018 | Year on year |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Net sales | 17,004 | 16,584 | 17,638 | $106.4 \%$ |
| Cost of sales | 6,420 | 6,422 | 6,957 |  |
| (Per sales) | $(37.8 \%)$ | $(38.7 \%)$ | $(39.4 \%)$ | $108.3 \%$ |
| Gross profit | 10,584 | 10,162 | 10,681 |  |
| (Per sales) | $(62.2 \%)$ | $(61.3 \%)$ | $(60.6 \%)$ | $105.1 \%$ |
| Selling, general and administrative | 1,962 | 2,031 | 2,041 |  |
| expenses |  |  |  |  |
| (Per sales) | $(11.5 \%)$ | $(12.2 \%)$ | $(11.6 \%)$ | $100.5 \%$ |
| Operating profit | 8,621 | 8,130 | 8,639 |  |
| (Per sales) | $(50.7 \%)$ | $(49.0 \%)$ | $(49.0 \%)$ | $106.3 \%$ |
| Ordinary profit | 8,788 | 8,273 | 8,776 | 10 |
| (Per sales) | $(51.7 \%)$ | $(49.9 \%)$ | $(49.8 \%)$ | $106.1 \%$ |
| Profit attributable to | 5,788 | 5,684 | 5,995 | 1050 |
| owners of parent (Per sales) | $(34.0 \%)$ | $(34.3 \%)$ | $(34.0 \%)$ | $105.5 \%$ |

## 1Q FY3/2018 - Reasons for Change in Operating Income (Actual)

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1Q FY3/2017
1Q FY3/2018

## Net Sales and Operating Profit by Business Segment

(Million yen)

| Net sales | 1Q FY3/2016 | 1Q FY3/2017 | 1Q FY3/2018 | Year on year |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Auto auction | 12,852 | 13,104 | 13,898 | 106.1\% |
| Used vehicle purchasing and selling | 2,421 | 2,250 | 2,294 | 101.9\% |
| Other | 1,730 | 1,228 | 1,445 | 117.7\% |
| Total | 17,004 | 16,584 | 17,638 | 106.4\% |
| Operating profit (operating margin) | 1Q FY3/2016 | 1Q FY3/2017 | 1Q FY3/2018 | Year on year |
| Auto auction | $\begin{array}{r} 8,273 \\ (63.5 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7,936 \\ (60.0 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8,414 \\ (59.9 \%) \end{array}$ | 106.0\% |
| Used vehicle purchasing and selling | $\begin{array}{r} 137 \\ (5.7 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 65 \\ (2.9 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 39 \\ (1.7 \%) \end{array}$ | 60.7\% |
| Other | $\begin{array}{r} 153 \\ (8.8 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 73 \\ (6.0 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 159 \\ (11.0 \%) \end{array}$ | 216.9\% |
| Elimination of inter-segment transactions | 57 | 55 | 25 | 46.5\% |
| Total | $\begin{array}{r} 8,621 \\ (50.7 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8,130 \\ (49.0 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8,639 \\ (49.0 \%) \end{array}$ | 106.3\% |

[^0]Operating margins (shown \% in parenthesis) are calculated by Segment profit divided by Segment sales.

## Consolidated Balance Sheets and Statements of Cash Flows

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■ Equity ratio: 81.9\%。
■ Free cash flow: 19.7 billion yen, due mainly to period shortening of time deposits


New Car Registrations and YoY Changes


## Used Car Exports and YoY Changes



## Used Car Registrations and YoY Changes



AA Market: Vehicles Consigned and Contracted and YoY Changes


■ Vehicles consigned increased $7.3 \%$ YoY to 636 thousand; contract completions increased $4.4 \%$ YoY to 393 thousand (contract completion rate: $61.8 \%$ against $63.5 \%$ in the previous fiscal year)

- Although depreciation and taxes and dues were higher and outsourcing expenses increased, sales and earnings increased mainly because of growth in vehicles consigned and contracts completed.
Auto Auction Segment Performance in 1Q
(Million yen)

|  | 1Q FY3/2016 | 1Q FY3/2017 | 1Q FY3/2018 | Year on year |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Net sales | 12,852 | 13,104 | 13,898 | $106.1 \%$ |
| Consignment fees | 3,218 | 3,120 | 3,308 | $106.0 \%$ |
| Contract completion fees | 3,059 | 2,973 | 3,159 | $106.2 \%$ |
| Successful bid fees | 4,292 | 4,442 | 4,658 | $104.9 \%$ |
| Other | 2,281 | 2,568 | 2,773 | $108.0 \%$ |
| Operating profit | 8,273 | 7,936 | 8,414 | $106.0 \%$ |
| Operating margin | $63.5 \%$ | $60.0 \%$ | $59.9 \%$ |  |



## Auto Auction Segment (2)



## No. of Vehicles Consigned and Vehicles Contracted <br> $\square$ Vehicles consigned $\quad$ Vehicles contracted



Market Share


## Contract Completion Rate

$\simeq$ USS -■—Industry's average (excl. USS)


## Average Price of Vehicle Contracted



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## Auto Auction Segment (3)

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Total Consignment Fees and Consignment Fee per Vehicle
$\square$ Total consignment fees $\quad-$ FFee per vehicle




No. of Members and Off-site Ratio
On-site auction members
Satellite TV members
CIS members


[^2]* The figures in this slide do not include JBA data.

From April 1, 2017 to June 30, 2017
(Number of auctions held, Vehicles)

|  | Number of auctions |  | Number of consigned vehicles |  |  | Number of contract completions |  |  | Contract completion rate |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { 1Q } \\ \text { FY3/17 } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { 1Q } \\ \text { FY3/18 } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { 1Q } \\ \text { FY3/17 } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { 1Q } \\ \text { FY3/18 } \end{gathered}$ | YoY change | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { 1Q } \\ \text { FY3/17 } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline 1 \mathrm{Q} \\ \mathrm{FY} / 18 \end{gathered}$ | YoY change | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { 1Q } \\ \text { FY3/17 } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { 1Q } \\ \text { FY3/18 } \end{gathered}$ |
| Tokyo | 12 | 12 | 163,106 | 164,394 | 100.8\% | 112,609 | 110,726 | 98.3\% | 69.0\% | 67.4\% |
| Nagoya | 12 | 12 | 116,329 | 129,686 | 111.5\% | 68,044 | 71,094 | 104.5\% | 58.5\% | 54.8\% |
| Kyushu | 12 | 12 | 43,427 | 47,479 | 109.3\% | 25,655 | 27,793 | 108.3\% | 59.1\% | 58.5\% |
| Yokohama | 12 | 12 | 47,822 | 46,717 | 97.7\% | 32,847 | 30,102 | 91.6\% | 68.7\% | 64.4\% |
| Sapporo | 12 | 12 | 35,309 | 39,042 | 110.6\% | 19,490 | 24,169 | 124.0\% | 55.2\% | 61.9\% |
| R-Nagoya | 12 | 12 | 32,489 | 38,410 | 118.2\% | 26,596 | 30,346 | 114.1\% | 81.9\% | 79.0\% |
| Osaka | 12 | 12 | 29,241 | 34,962 | 119.6\% | 17,176 | 19,339 | 112.6\% | 58.7\% | 55.3\% |
| Shizuoka | 12 | 12 | 19,292 | 22,452 | 116.4\% | 11,062 | 13,238 | 119.7\% | 57.3\% | 59.0\% |
| Okayama | 12 | 12 | 15,752 | 18,379 | 116.7\% | 10,296 | 11,585 | 112.5\% | 65.4\% | 63.0\% |
| Kobe | 12 | 12 | 14,993 | 17,755 | 118.4\% | 8,865 | 10,463 | 118.0\% | 59.1\% | 58.9\% |
| Gunma | 12 | 12 | 15,708 | 17,671 | 112.5\% | 9,943 | 10,813 | 108.7\% | 63.3\% | 61.2\% |
| Tohoku | 12 | 12 | 18,517 | 16,924 | 91.4\% | 13,320 | 11,638 | 87.4\% | 71.9\% | 68.8\% |
| Saitama | 12 | 12 | 15,203 | 16,167 | 106.3\% | 8,743 | 9,056 | 103.6\% | 57.5\% | 56.0\% |
| Niigata | 12 | 12 | 12,293 | 11,691 | 95.1\% | 5,402 | 5,098 | 94.4\% | 43.9\% | 43.6\% |
| Fukuoka | 12 | 12 | 10,647 | 10,950 | 102.8\% | 4,906 | 5,750 | 117.2\% | 46.1\% | 52.5\% |
| Hokuriku | 12 | 12 | 3,742 | 4,256 | 113.7\% | 2,336 | 2,514 | 107.6\% | 62.4\% | 59.1\% |
| Total | 192 | 192 | 593,870 | 636,935 | 107.3\% | 377,290 | 393,724 | 104.4\% | 63.5\% | 61.8\% |

[^3]Auto Auction Segment (5)
(Vehicles, \%)

|  |  | Apr. | May | Jun. | Jul. | Aug. | Sep. | First Half | Oct. | Nov. | Dec. | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | Second Half | Fiscal Year |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| No. of Vehicles Consigned | FY3/16 | 240,027 | 180,560 | 188,060 | 198,744 | 143,557 | 196,546 | 1,147,494 | 221,602 | 188,116 | 173,302 | 179,967 | 208,405 | 275,123 | 1,246,515 | 2,394,009 |
|  | YoY Change | 6.7 | ⓪.4 | 5.7 | 2.6 | -8.6 | 2.8 | 1.9 | 0.3 | © 3.6 | 3.7 | 1.6 | 1.1 | 5.5 | 1.6 | 1.7 |
|  | FY3/17 | 233,303 | 165,327 | 195,240 | 186,899 | 141,275 | 201,229 | 1,123,273 | 186,409 | 197,643 | 174,983 | 172,609 | 209,027 | 289,592 | 1,230,263 | 2,353,536 |
|  | YoY Change | -2.8 | © 8.4 | 3.8 | 46.0 | 41.6 | 2.4 | -2.1 | A15.9 | 5.1 | 1.0 | © 4.1 | 0.3 | 5.3 | © 1.3 | © 1.7 |
|  | FY3/18 | 234,454 | 183,593 | 218,888 | 195,997 |  |  | 832,932 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 832,932 |
|  | YoY Change | 0.5 | 11.0 | 12.1 | 4.9 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| No. of Vehicles Contracted | FY3/16 | 146,183 | 116,850 | 128,131 | 134,479 | 99,117 | 129,929 | 754,689 | 146,362 | 122,078 | 111,421 | 118,004 | 135,810 | 174,035 | 807,710 | 1,562,399 |
|  | YoY Change | 8.5 | 1.1 | 11.1 | 6.9 | -4.8 | 40.8 | 3.9 | 0.1 | © 4.5 | 2.5 | - 3.0 | © 4.7 | 1.2 | © 1.4 | 1.1 |
|  | FY3/17 | 140,412 | 109,067 | 127,811 | 122,962 | 93,386 | 133,187 | 726,825 | 121,245 | 126,888 | 110,392 | 109,986 | 135,605 | 177,902 | 782,018 | 1,508,843 |
|  | YoY Change | 43.9 | 46.7 | © 0.2 | 48.6 | 45.8 | 2.5 | 43.7 | A17.2 | 3.9 | ¢ 0.9 | 46.8 | 40.2 | 2.2 | 43.2 | © 3.4 |
|  | FY3/18 | 138,362 | 116,398 | 138,964 | 127,444 |  |  | 521,168 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 521,168 |
|  | YoY Change | -1.5 | 6.7 | 8.7 | 3.6 |  |  | - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Contract Completion Rate | FY3/16 | 60.9 | 64.7 | 68.1 | 67.7 | 69.0 | 66.1 | 65.8 | 66.0 | 64.9 | 64.3 | 65.6 | 65.2 | 63.3 | 64.8 | 65.3 |
|  | FY3/17 | 60.2 | 66.0 | 65.5 | 65.8 | 66.1 | 66.2 | 64.7 | 65.0 | 64.2 | 63.1 | 63.7 | 64.9 | 61.4 | 63.6 | 64.1 |
|  | FY3/18 | 59.0 | 63.4 | 63.5 | 65.0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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## Used Vehicle Purchasing and Selling Segment

■ Sales and earnings declined at the Rabbit used vehicle purchasing business primarily because of declined gross profit per vehicle. (Net sales declined $3.6 \%$ YoY to $¥ 1,374$ million, Operating profit declined $30.2 \%$ to $¥ 41$ million)
■ In the accident-damaged vehicle purchasing business, there was an operating loss primarily due to a decline in the number of vehicles handled. (Net sales increased $11.5 \%$ YoY $¥ 919$ million, operating loss $¥ 1$ million (operating profit of $¥ 6$ million in 1Q FY3/17))
Used Vehicle Purchasing and Selling Segment Performance in 1Q
(Million yen)

|  | 1Q FY3/2016 | 1Q FY3/2017 | 1Q FY3/2018 | Year on year |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Net sales | 2,421 | 2,250 | 2,294 | $101.9 \%$ |
| Operating profit | 137 | 65 | 39 | $60.7 \%$ |
| Operating margin | $5.7 \%$ | $2.9 \%$ | $1.7 \%$ | - |

Quarterly Net Sales and YoY Changes


Quarterly Operating Profit and YoY Changes


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## Other Segment

- In the vehicle recycling business, sales and earnings increased because of growth in the volume of materials recycled and high prices for metallic scrap. (Net sales increased $18.8 \%$ YoY to $¥ 1,301$ million, Operating profit increased $113.1 \%$ to $¥ 140$ million)
- In the used vehicle export clearing service, higher vehicle ground transport revenue was responsible for growth in sales and earnings. (Net sales increased $7.4 \%$ YoY to $¥ 116$ million, Operating profit increased $160.4 \%$ to $¥ 8$ million)
Other Segment Performance in 1Q
(Million yen)

|  | 1Q FY3/2016 | 1Q FY3/2017 | 1Q FY3/2018 | Year on year |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Net sales | 1,730 | 1,228 | 1,445 | $117.7 \%$ |
| Operating profit | 153 | 73 | 159 | $216.9 \%$ |
| Operating margin | $8.8 \%$ | $6.0 \%$ | $11.0 \%$ | - |

Quarterly Net Sales and YoY Changes


Quarterly Operating Profit and YoY Changes


* Net sales are sales to external customers and operating profit is based on business segment earnings.

Operating margins are calculated by Segment profit divided by Segment sales.

Consolidated Forecast for FY3/2018

## FY3/2018 - Consolidated Forecast

Used car
System
(Million yen)

|  | FY3/16 (Actual) | FY3/17 (Actual) | FY3/18 (Forecast) | VS. previous year |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | 68,607 | 67,179 | 68,800 | 102.4\% |
| Gross profit (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 42,740 \\ (62.3 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 40,765 \\ (60.7 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 41,932 \\ (60.9 \%) \end{array}$ | 102.9\% |
| Operating profit <br> (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 34,491 \\ (50.3 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 32,396 \\ (48.2 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 33,400 \\ (48.5 \%) \end{array}$ | 103.1\% |
| Ordinary profit (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 35,218 \\ (51.3 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 32,999 \\ (49.1 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 33,900 \\ (49.3 \%) \end{array}$ | 102.7\% |
| Profit attributable to owners of parent (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 22,477 \\ (32.8 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 22,909 \\ (34.1 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 23,200 \\ (33.7 \%) \end{array}$ | 101.3\% |
| Profit per share (Yen) | 86.92 | 90.02 | 91.34 | 101.5\% |
| Capital expenditures (Terms of cash flows) | 8,731 | 5,878 | 5,100 | 86.8\% |
| Depreciation | 3,325 | 4,596 | 4,627 | 100.7\% |
| Auto Auction Business (excl. JBA) | FY3/16 (Actual) | FY3/17 (Actual) | FY3/18 (Forecast) | VS. previous year |
| No. of vehicles consigned (Thousands) | 2,394 | 2,353 | 2,400 | 102.0\% |
| No. of vehicles contracted (Thousands) | 1,562 | 1,508 | 1,520 | 100.7\% |
| Contract completion rate | 65.3\% | 64.1\% | 63.3\% | - |

## FY3/2018 - Reasons for Change in Operating Profit (Forecast)

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FY3/2017
FY3/2018 (Forecast)

## FY3/2018 - Forecast by Business Segment

(Million yen)

|  | FY3/16 (Actual) | FY3/17 (Actual) | FY3/18 (Forecast) | VS. previous year |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales |  |  |  |  |
| Auto auction | 52,594 | 52,811 | 53,747 | 101.8\% |
| Used vehicle purchasing and selling | 10,097 | 9,373 | 9,496 | 101.3\% |
| Other | 5,915 | 4,995 | 5,555 | 111.2\% |
| Total | 68,607 | 67,179 | 68,800 | 102.4\% |
| Operating profit (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 34,491 \\ (50.3 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 32,396 \\ (48.2 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 33,400 \\ (48.5 \%) \end{array}$ | 103.1\% |

## Market Overview <br> Strategy for Creating Value Over the Medium Term



## Consignment fee <br> Ave. 8,000yen

## Contract completion fee

Ave. 8,000 yen

## Successful bid fee

Ave. 7,000 yen

## Vehicles consigned

2.35 million units(FY3/2017)

USS's fee per unit

## Ave.23,000yen

Contract completion rate 64.1\%(7ve20017)

## Automobile Market and USS Revenue

■ The number of vehicles consigned is correlated through trade-ins to (1) New car registrations and (2) Used car registrations

- Total demand comprises domestic demand (2) and overseas demand (3). In recent years, total demand has been driven mainly by overseas demand.
- In addition to the above, share of the used car auction market and contract ratio have an important bearing on USS auto auction profits.



## New/Used Car Registrations and Auto Auction Market

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■ The auction market continued to expand till 2000 as the share of used vehicles sold through the auction market increased as a share of the total used vehicle market. Starting in the mid-2000s, older vehicles and vehicles with high mileage which would normally have been scrapped started flowing into auto auction sites and steadily drove up the number of vehicles consigned.

- After the financial crisis of late 2008 the auto auction market was largely correlated to new car registrations (supply) and exports (demand). $\Rightarrow$ Both are on the decline from 2014
New/Used car registrations, used car exports, vehicles consigned and vehicles contracted (CY)



## ■Largest in the auction market

(Share of vehicles consigned: 32.9\% (1H CY2017))

- A nationwide network of 17 auction sites; 47,000 members

■Tokyo Auction Site (Largest in Japan) and Nagoya Auction Sites
(Second) particularly competitive
-Has a comprehensive satellite TV and Internet off-site bidding facility
■Solid financial base capable of withstanding the need for continuing investment in new equipment (Equity ratio: 81.9\%)

High quality used cars concentrate at USS $\rightarrow$ Average price of vehicle contracted is above industry average
(USS Average price of vehicle contracted: 620,000 yen)
(Average price at competitors: 444,000 yen) (1Q FY3/2018)

## History of USS Long-term Growth

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## Before 2000

1982: Held the first auction with only 255 vehicles consigned 1988: Expanded the Nagoya Auction Site. The number of POS seats was 570 (the largest in Japan).
Early nineties: Opened Kyushu and Tokyo Auction Sites Late nineties: Opened Okayama, Shizuoka, Sapporo and West
Tokyo(currently the Saitama auction site) Auction Sites


## Used Car Auction Market and USS Market Share

■ Maintained high market shares and increased profit in the period of sluggish markets following the financial crisis of 2008-2009.

1990(CY) market share


Other 63.8\%

2000(CY) market share


2016(CY) market share



■ Increase competitiveness of major auction sites, reorganize the auction site network with the goal of further increasing market share.

## Overview of major players

| Group | No. of <br> auction site | Overview |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| TAA | 10 | Operated by Toyota UZEC, a wholly owned subsidiary <br> of Toyota Motor Corporation. Vehicles are consigned <br> largely by Toyota dealers. Operates 10 auction sites <br> and three yards at remote locations throughout Japan. |
| JAA | 2JAA operates two auction sites: JAA Tokyo Auction <br> site and HAA Kobe Auction site (Operated by JAA <br> subsidiary HAA) |  |
| CAA | 4 | Capital alliance with Toyota UZEC. Operates auction <br> sites in Aichi, Chiba, Gifu and Iwate prefectures. <br> Shares systems with TAA. |
| Arai AA | 4Arai Shoji (headquartered at Hiratsuka City, <br> Kanagawa Prefecture) operates auction sites in <br> Miyagi, Kanagawa and Fukuoka prefectures. |  |
| KCAA | 4Kyushu Chuo Auto Auction (Koga city, Fukuoka <br> prefecture) operates auction sites in Miyazaki, <br> Fukuoka, Yamaguchi and Kyoto prefectures. |  |
| JU Gifu | 1JU Gifu Hashima Auto Auction (Hashima City, Gifu <br> prefecture) operates one auction site. |  |
| Other |  | Operates 70 auctions nationwide (JU affiliate, |
| company, manufacturer, dealer affiliated). Has a |  |  |
| market share of 32.0\% (CY2016) |  |  |

## Market share in 2016(CY)



■Increase in off-site auction members due to expansion of the CIS (Internet) system
■Realized contract completion rates surpassing the industry average since the financial crisis of 2008. This is a result of a policy of deemphasizing the volume of vehicles consigned and instead focusing on the contract completion rate and the vehicle price.
$\leadsto$ USS - - Industry's average (excl. USS)


■ Domestic new car sales: Unlikely to see significant growth over the medium term

- USS's Strategy

1) A total of about 20 billion yen invested for plant and equipment over the past two years.
$\Rightarrow$ Improve member convenience at all auto auction sites to increase auction participation rates
$\Rightarrow$ Concentrate management resources on large auction sites (Tokyo and Nagoya) to raise contract completion rate and market shares
2) Continue the strategy of prioritizing contract completion rate

- Used car exports: Exports will slow in the short-term, environment will be difficult due to slowing economic growth in emerging countries, import regulations and other factors
- USS's Strategy

1) Over the medium-term, there is strong potential for population increase and economic growth in Central and South Asia, Africa, Russia and other regions.
$\Rightarrow$ Expectations of growth in high-quality used Japanese cars as Japan has a mandatory inspection (Shaken) system.


## Capital investment (project completion basis)

## (Billion yen)

## Capital investment plan

Capital investment to the tune of 20 billion yen over two years to further strengthen competitive power


## Purchase of JAA Stock

■The USS board of directors approved a resolution on January 18, 2017 to purchase $66.04 \%$ of the stock of Japan Automobile Auction (JAA). Approval of the Fair Trade Commission must be received before this stock can be purchased.

| Profile of JAA |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Name | Japan Automobile Auction Inc. |
| Address | 3-2-1 Rinkai-cho, Edogawa-ku, Tokyo |
| Representative | Toshihiko Tabata, Representative Director, President and Chief Executive Officer |
| Business activities | Used car auctions and associated activities |
| Net sales | 9,615 million yen (FY3/2016) |
| Auction sites | JAA Tokyo site : 3-2-1 Rinkai-cho, Edogawa-ku, Tokyo <br> HAA Kobe (HAA Kobe Inc.) : 21-1 Onohama-cho, Chuo-ku, Kobe, Hyogo |
| Market share <br> (CY2016) | JAA : 8.9\% (USS : 32.5\%) |

Increase shareholder distributions while continuing investment for growth

- Consolidated dividend payout ratio: Over 50\% starting in FY3/2017

■ Stock repurchases: Buy back stock with flexibility, with due consideration to cash flows, capital investment plans and the market environment

- Return on equity (ROE):


## Earnings Distributions - Dividend Policy

■Plan to pay 47.0 yen dividend per share for $\mathrm{FY} 3 / 18$ (up 0.6 yen)
■ 18 consecutive years of dividend growth since listing


## Earnings Distributions - Total Payout Ratio

■Flexible stock repurchases while maintaining stable dividend.


## Earnings Distributions - Return on Equity (ROE)

■ No change in the medium-term ROE target of above 15\%.


■Aim at increasing shareholder value by a two-pronged strategy of solid investments in growth and active shareholder distributions


## How USS Creates Social and Economic Value

| Used car |
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## The used vehicle ecosystem

The reuse cycle
The new vehicle value chain


■The company's governance organization has been expanded in order to work toward the goal of increasing corporate value through continuing business growth
■Strengthened the executive officer system in FY3/2013
■Established nomination and compensation committees in FY3/2016
■Introduced a stock option system for directors and executive officers.


Adopted the outside director system
Strengthened the executive officer system
Established nomination and compensation committees

As of August 2017
Directors 10 (of which outside directors: 3)
Auditors: 3 (of which outside auditors: 2)
Executive officers: 5


[^0]:    *Net sales are sales to external customers and operating profit is based on business segment earnings.

[^1]:    * Period ending in December: 12-month data; Period ending in June: 6-month data.
    * The figures in this slide do not include JBA data.

[^2]:    * Fee per vehicle is calculated before eliminations for consolidation.

[^3]:    * The figures in this slide do not include JBA data.

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[^5]:    * Net sales are sales to external customers and operating profit is based on business segment earnings.

    Operating margins are calculated by Segment profit divided by Segment sales.

