## Consolidated Results of Operations

The Third Quarter, Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2017

USS Co., Ltd.
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Japan Bike Auction Co., Ltd., included in the consolidation assuming the end of 3Q FY3/16 as the acquisition date, is presented as JBA in these materials.

[^0]Results of Operations
Third Quarter
Fiscal Year Ending March 2017

## 3Q FY3/2017 - Summary of Consolidated Results of Operations

1-3Q FY3/17 results of operations: Sales decreased $3.5 \%$ YoY to $¥ 48.62$ billion, Operating income was down 7.8\% YoY to $¥ 23.35$ billion, and $1-3$ Q FY3/17 net profit attributable to owners of parent declined $0.7 \%$ to $¥ 16.37$ billion.

- Sales increased because of newly consolidated subsidiary JBA, but a decline in the number of cars consigned at auctions, a decrease in the contract completion ratio and higher depreciation caused earnings to decline.

Marked drop in profit due to decline in the number of vehicles purchased by Rabbit, a subsidy specializing in the purchase and sale of used vehicles
(Million yen)

|  | 1-3Q FY3/15 | 1-3Q FY3/16 | 1-3Q FY3/17 | Year on year |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | 49,013 | 50,361 | 48,622 | 96.5\% |
| Cost of sales (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 18,803 \\ (38.4 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 19,110 \\ (37.9 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 19,195 \\ (39.5 \%) \end{array}$ | 100.4\% |
| Gross profit (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 30,210 \\ (61.6 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 31,251 \\ (62.1 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 29,427 \\ (60.5 \%) \end{array}$ | 94.2\% |
| Selling, general and administrative expenses (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 6,155 \\ (12.6 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,927 \\ (11.8 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6,069 \\ (12.5 \%) \end{array}$ | 102.4\% |
| Operating income (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 24,055 \\ (49.1 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 25,323 \\ (50.3 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 23,358 \\ (48.0 \%) \end{array}$ | 92.2\% |
| Ordinary income (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 24,518 \\ (50.0 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 25,878 \\ (51.4 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 23,833 \\ (49.0 \%) \end{array}$ | 92.1\% |
| Profit attributable to owners of parent (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 15,759 \\ (32.2 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 16,485 \\ (32.7 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 16,370 \\ (33.7 \%) \end{array}$ | 99.3\% |

## 3Q FY3/2017 - Reasons for Change in Operating Income (Actual)

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1-3Q FY3/16
1-3Q FY3/17

## Net Sales and Operating Income by Business Segment

| Used car |
| :--- |
| System |

(Million yen)

| Net sales | 1-3Q FY3/15 | 1-3Q FY3/16 | 1-3Q FY3/17 | Year on year |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Auto auction | 36,586 | 38,206 | 38,176 | 99.9\% |
| Used vehicle purchasing and selling | 7,192 | 7,422 | 6,816 | 91.8\% |
| Other | 5,235 | 4,732 | 3,629 | 76.7\% |
| Total | 49,013 | 50,361 | 48,622 | 96.5\% |
| Operating income (operating margin) | 1-3Q FY3/15 | 1-3Q FY3/16 | 1-3Q FY3/17 | Year on year |
| Auto auction | $\begin{array}{r} 23,104 \\ (62.3 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 24,527 \\ (63.5 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 22,872 \\ (59.4 \%) \end{array}$ | 93.3\% |
| Used vehicle purchasing and selling | $\begin{array}{r} 307 \\ (4.3 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 431 \\ (5.8 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 185 \\ (2.7 \%) \end{array}$ | 42.8\% |
| Other | $\begin{array}{r} 527 \\ (10.1 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 201 \\ (4.2 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 135 \\ (3.7 \%) \end{array}$ | 67.4\% |
| Elimination of inter-segment transactions | 116 | 162 | 164 | 101.2\% |
| Total | $\begin{array}{r} 24,055 \\ (49.1 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 25,323 \\ (50.3 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 23,358 \\ (48.0 \%) \end{array}$ | 92.2\% |

*Net sales are sales to external customers and operating income is based on business segment earnings.
Operating margins (shown \% in parenthesis) are calculated by Segment income divided by Segment sales

## Consolidated Balance Sheets and Statements of Cash Flows

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■ Equity ratio: 89.4\%
■ Free cash flow: $¥ 5.4$ billion
■ Purchase of treasury shares ( 4.36 million shares): $¥ 7.4$ billion
■1-3Q FY3/17 capital investment: $¥ 5.2$ billion (mainly for auto auction sites)

| Consolidated Balance Sheets (Summary) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | FY3/16 | 1-3Q FY3/17 |
| Current assets | 81,440 | 63,399 |
| Cash and deposits | 62,290 | 56,972 |
| Receivables due from member dealers at auction, etc. | 19,149 | 6,427 |
| Noncurrent assets | 105,391 | 106,524 |
| Property, plant and equipment | 96,101 | 97,558 |
| Other | 9,289 | 8,965 |
| Total assets | 186,831 | 169,923 |


|  | FY3/16 <br> (Million yen) |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| 1-3Q FY3/17 |  |  |
| Current liabilities | 25,937 | 11,128 |
| Payables due to member dealers at <br> auction | 13,288 | 3,879 |
| Other | 12,649 | 7,248 |
| Noncurrent liabilities | 5,710 | 5,768 |
| Total liabilities | 31,647 | 16,896 |
| Total net assets | 155,183 | 153,027 |
| Total liabilities and net assets | 186,831 | 169,923 |

Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (Summary)

1-3Q FY3/15

| Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities | 11,062 | 13,961 | 14,698 | 737 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities | - 15,245 | -8,451 | -9,230 | - 779 |
| Free cash flow | 44,183 | 5,510 | 5,468 | -42 |
| Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities | ©9,637 | © 10,303 | © 17,767 | © 7,463 |
| Capital expenditures (Terms of cash flows) | 2,117 | 5,950 | 5,229 | 4720 |
| Depreciation | 2,553 | 2,380 | 3,289 | 909 |

New Car Registrations and YoY Changes


## Used Car Exports and YoY Changes

## (Thousand vehicles)



## Used Car Registrations and YoY Changes



AA Market: Vehicles Consigned and Contracted and YoY Changes


■ 1-3Q FY3/17 vehicles consigned declined $2.8 \%$ YoY to 1.682 million; contract completions declined $4.3 \%$ YoY to 1.085 million (contract completion rate: $64.5 \%$ against $65.6 \%$ in the previous fiscal year)

- Sales increased due to the inclusion of newly consolidated subsidiary JBA but earnings were down because of decreases in vehicles consigned and the contract completion ratio and an increase in depreciation.


## Auto Auction Segment Performance in 1-3Q

|  | 1-3Q FY3/15 | 1-3Q FY3/16 | 1-3Q FY3/17 | (Million yen) |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Year on year |  |  |  |  |
| Net sales | 36,586 | 38,206 | 38,176 | $99.9 \%$ |
| Consignment fees | 9,325 | 9,343 | 8,991 | $96.2 \%$ |
| Contract completion fees | 8,674 | 8,974 | 8,679 | $96.7 \%$ |
| Successful bid fees | 12,310 | 13,138 | 12,899 | $98.2 \%$ |
| Other | 6,274 | 6,750 | 7,605 | $112.7 \%$ |
| Operating income | 23,104 | 24,527 | 22,872 | $93.3 \%$ |
| Operating margin | $62.3 \%$ | $63.5 \%$ | $59.4 \%$ | - |



## 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
$\leadsto$ USS $\curvearrowleft$-Industry's average (excl. USS)


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## Auto Auction Segment (3)

| Used car |
| :---: |
| System |
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Total Consignment Fees and Consignment Fee per Vehicle




No. of Members and Off-site Ratio


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


## Auto Auction Segment (4)

From April 1, 2016 to December 31, 2016
(Number of auctions held, Vehicles)

|  | Number of auctions |  | Number of consigned vehicles |  |  | Number of contract completions |  |  | Contract completion rate |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { 1-3Q } \\ \text { FY3/16 } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 1-3Q } \\ \text { FY3/17 } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 1-3Q } \\ \mathrm{FY} 3 / 16 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 1-3Q } \\ \text { FY3/17 } \end{gathered}$ | YoY change | $\begin{gathered} 1-3 Q \\ \mathrm{FY} 3 / 16 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 1-3Q } \\ \text { FY3/17 } \end{gathered}$ | YoY change | $\begin{gathered} \text { 1-3Q } \\ \mathrm{FY} 3 / 16 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 1-3Q } \\ \text { FY3/17 } \end{gathered}$ |
| Tokyo | 37 | 36 | 483,232 | 456,096 | 94.4\% | 345,161 | 316,379 | 91.7\% | 71.4\% | 69.4\% |
| Nagoya | 38 | 37 | 333,183 | 353,604 | 106.1\% | 204,696 | 204,671 | 100.0\% | 61.4\% | 57.9\% |
| Yokohama | 37 | 37 | 136,799 | 133,237 | 97.4\% | 92,384 | 91,114 | 98.6\% | 67.5\% | 68.4\% |
| Kyushu | 38 | 37 | 142,352 | 118,714 | 83.4\% | 86,418 | 73,998 | 85.6\% | 60.7\% | 62.3\% |
| Sapporo | 37 | 37 | 104,216 | 99,194 | 95.2\% | 61,793 | 60,022 | 97.1\% | 59.3\% | 60.5\% |
| R-Nagoya | 36 | 37 | 88,642 | 92,249 | 104.1\% | 75,314 | 76,875 | 102.1\% | 85.0\% | 83.3\% |
| Osaka | 37 | 37 | 87,346 | 83,603 | 95.7\% | 53,832 | 50,023 | 92.9\% | 61.6\% | 59.8\% |
| Shizuoka | 37 | 37 | 53,128 | 52,607 | 99.0\% | 31,773 | 32,523 | 102.4\% | 59.8\% | 61.8\% |
| Okayama | 37 | 37 | 49,817 | 48,172 | 96.7\% | 32,930 | 32,397 | 98.4\% | 66.1\% | 67.3\% |
| Tohoku | 38 | 37 | 49,842 | 48,138 | 96.6\% | 37,586 | 35,636 | 94.8\% | 75.4\% | 74.0\% |
| Kobe | 38 | 38 | 41,267 | 45,871 | 111.2\% | 22,878 | 26,214 | 114.6\% | 55.4\% | 57.1\% |
| Gunma | 37 | 37 | 48,104 | 42,518 | 88.4\% | 32,009 | 27,869 | 87.1\% | 66.5\% | 65.5\% |
| Saitama | 37 | 37 | 36,783 | 39,241 | 106.7\% | 20,624 | 22,597 | 109.6\% | 56.1\% | 57.6\% |
| Niigata | 38 | 37 | 31,955 | 32,586 | 102.0\% | 15,545 | 14,985 | 96.4\% | 48.6\% | 46.0\% |
| Fukuoka | 37 | 37 | 30,628 | 26,757 | 87.4\% | 13,306 | 13,887 | 104.4\% | 43.4\% | 51.9\% |
| Hokuriku | 37 | 37 | 13,220 | 9,721 | 73.5\% | 8,301 | 6,160 | 74.2\% | 62.8\% | 63.4\% |
| Total | 596 | 592 | 1,730,514 | 1,682,308 | 97.2\% | 1,134,550 | 1,085,350 | 95.7\% | 65.6\% | 64.5\% |

[^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 | FY3/15 | 225,022 | 181,292 | 177,858 | 193,656 | 157,114 | 191,153 | 1,126,095 | 220,851 | 195,116 | 167,056 | 177,089 | 206,068 | 260,866 | 1,227,046 | 2,353,141 |
|  | YoY Change | 6.8 | 7.1 | © 0.1 | 8.8 | -2.9 | 4.2 | 4.1 | 4.3 | © 6.2 | 0.9 | - 0.1 | 2.1 | 0.5 | 0.3 | 2.1 |
|  | 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 <br> 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 |  |  | 731,644 | 1,854,917 |
|  | YoY <br> Change | -2.8 | -8.4 | 3.8 | - 6.0 | ©1.6 | 2.4 | - 2.1 | -15.9 | 5.1 | 1.0 | -4.1 |  |  | - |  |
| No. of Vehicles Contracted | FY3/15 | 134,692 | 115,560 | 115,299 | 125,786 | 104,082 | 130,918 | 726,337 | 146,176 | 127,786 | 108,731 | 121,659 | 142,503 | 172,041 | 818,896 | 1,545,233 |
|  | YoY <br> Change | 1.6 | © 0.7 | © 4.5 | 3.3 | © 5.2 | 5.3 | 0.1 | 4.9 | © 5.2 | 0.4 | - 0.8 | 2.2 | 0.7 | 0.4 | 0.3 |
|  | 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 <br> Change | 8.5 | 1.1 | 11.1 | 6.9 | -4.8 | - 0.8 | 3.9 | 0.1 | © 4.5 | 2.5 | -3.0 | -4.7 | 1.2 | $\triangle 1.4$ | 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 |  |  | 468,511 | 1,195,336 |
|  | YoY <br> Change | © 3.9 | - 6.7 | - 0.2 | -8.6 | © 5.8 | 2.5 | - 3.7 | © 17.2 | 3.9 | © 0.9 | - 6.8 |  |  | - | - |
| Contract Completion Rate | FY3/15 | 59.9 | 63.7 | 64.8 | 65.0 | 66.2 | 68.5 | 64.5 | 66.2 | 65.5 | 65.1 | 68.7 | 69.2 | 65.9 | 66.7 | 65.7 |
|  | 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 |  |  | - | - |

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## Used Vehicle Purchasing and Selling Segment

- Decline in vehicles purchased by Rabbit (used car purchasing stores) led to lower net sales and operating income. (Net sales declined $14.6 \%$ YoY to $¥ 4,240$ million, Operating income declined $60.6 \%$ to $¥ 144$ million )
■ In the accident-damaged vehicle purchasing business, sales increased as prices of these vehicles were higher but a downturn in gross profit per vehicle caused earnings to decline. (Net sales increased $4.9 \%$ YoY to $¥ 2,576$ million, Operating income decreased $37.9 \%$ to $¥ 40$ million)

Used Vehicle Purchasing and Selling Segment Performance in 1-3Q
(Million yen)

|  | $1-3 Q ~ F Y 3 / 15$ | $1-3 Q ~ F Y 3 / 16$ | $1-3 Q$ FY3/17 | Year on year |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Net sales | 7,192 | 7,422 | 6,816 | $91.8 \%$ |
| Operating income | 307 | 431 | 185 | $42.8 \%$ |
| Operating margin | $4.3 \%$ | $5.8 \%$ | $2.7 \%$ | - |

Quarterly Net Sales and YoY Changes


Quarterly Operating Income and YoY Changes


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

Operating margins (shown \% in parenthesis) are calculated by Segment income divided by Segment sales

## Other Segment

- In the vehicle recycling business, operating income was about the same as one year earlier. The price of steel scrap started climbing in November. (Net sales declined $9.7 \%$ YoY to $¥ 3,265$ million, Operating income was down $1.0 \%$ YoY ¥135 million)
- In the used vehicle export clearing service, there was an operating loss due to a sharp decline in export volume. (Net sales declined $28.5 \%$ YoY $¥ 296$ million, operating loss $¥ 8$ million (operating income of $¥ 53$ million in 1-3Q FY3/16))
Other Segment Performance in 1-3Q
(Million yen)

|  | $1-3 \mathrm{Q} \mathrm{FY3/15}$ | $1-3 \mathrm{Q}$ FY3/16 | 1-3Q FY3/17 | Year on year |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Net sales | 5,235 | 4,732 | 3,629 | $76.7 \%$ |
| Operating income | 527 | 201 | 135 | $67.4 \%$ |
| Operating margin | $10.1 \%$ | $4.2 \%$ | $3.7 \%$ | - |

Quarterly Net Sales and YoY Changes


Quarterly Operating Income and YoY Changes


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

Operating margins (shown \% in parenthesis) are calculated by Segment income divided by Segment sales

Consolidated Forecast for FY3/2017

## FY3/2017 - Consolidated Forecast

| Used car |
| :---: |
| System | Ssedcar

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No revisions to the FY3/17 forecast announced on November 7, 2016 because performance is generally in line with expectations.

| (Million yen) |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | FY3/16 (Actual) | FY3/17 Initial plan (May 9, 2016) | Change | FY3/17 Revised plan (Nov. 7, 2016) | Revised plan vs FY3/16 |
| Net sales | 68,607 | 71,450 | -4,650 | 66,800 | 97.4\% |
| Gross profit (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 42,740 \\ (62.3 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 43,835 \\ (61.4 \%) \end{array}$ | - 3,645 | $\begin{array}{r} 40,189 \\ (60.2 \%) \end{array}$ | 94.0\% |
| Operating income (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 34,491 \\ (50.3 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 34,700 \\ (48.6 \%) \end{array}$ | - 3,000 | $\begin{array}{r} 31,700 \\ (47.5 \%) \end{array}$ | 91.9\% |
| Ordinary income (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 35,218 \\ (51.3 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 35,300 \\ (49.4 \%) \end{array}$ | - 3,000 | $\begin{array}{r} 32,300 \\ (48.4 \%) \end{array}$ | 91.7\% |
| Profit attributable to owners of parent (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 22,477 \\ (32.8 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 23,800 \\ (33.3 \%) \end{array}$ | © 1,600 | $\begin{array}{r} 22,200 \\ (33.2 \%) \end{array}$ | 98.8\% |
| Profit per share (Yen) | 86.92 | 93.54 | - | 87.23 | 100.4\% |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Capital expenditures (Terms of cash flows) | 8,731 | 10,196 | - 2,196 | 8,000 | 91.6\% |
| Depreciation | 3,325 | 4,763 | -173 | 4,589 | 138.0\% |
|  |  |  |  |  | usand vehicles) |
|  | FY3/16 (Actual) | FY3/17 Initial plan (May 9, 2016) | Change | FY3/17 Revised plan (Nov. 7, 2016) | Revised plan vs FY3/16 |
| No. of vehicles consigned | 2,394 | 2,500 | - 200 | 2,300 | 96.1\% |
| No. of vehicles contracted | 1,562 | 1,600 | -110 | 1,490 | 95.4\% |
| Contract completion rate | 65.3\% | 64.0\% | - | 64.8\% | - |

## 2H FY3/2017 - Reasons for Change in Operating Income (Forecast)

| $\begin{array}{l}\text { Used car } \\ \text { System } \\ \text { Soltuions }\end{array}$ |
| :--- |



2H FY3/2016

## FY3/2017 - Reasons for Change in Operating Income (Forecast)

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| :--- |
| Solutions |



FY3/2016
FY3/2017 (Forecast)

## FY3/2017 - Forecast by Business Segment

■ Also no revisions to the November 7, 2016 forecasts for the used vehicle purchasing and selling and the other segments

|  | FY3/16 (Actual) | FY3/17 Initial plan (May 9, 2016) | Change | FY3/17 Revised plan (Nov. 7, 2016) | Revised plan vs FY3/16 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales |  |  |  |  |  |
| Auto auction | 52,594 | 55,047 | - 3,050 | 51,996 | 98.9\% |
| Used vehicle purchasing and selling | 10,097 | 10,819 | - 973 | 9,845 | 97.5\% |
| Other | 5,915 | 5,583 | - 625 | 4,957 | 83.8\% |
| Total | 68,607 | 71,450 | -4,650 | 66,800 | 97.4\% |
| Operating income (Per sales) | $\begin{array}{r} 34,491 \\ (50.3 \%) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 34,700 \\ (48.6 \%) \end{array}$ | - 3,000 | $\begin{array}{r} 31,700 \\ (47.5 \%) \\ \hline \end{array}$ | 91.9\% |

## Purchase of JAA Stock (1)

■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\%) |

## Purchase of JAA Stock (2)

Market Share (CY2016, non-consolidated)

Before JAA
Acquisition


Consolidated Sales and Earnings (FY3/16)
(Million yen)

|  | Net sales | Operating income | Ordinary income | Profit attributable to owners of parent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| USS | 68,607 | 34,491 | 35,218 | 22,477 |
| JAA | 9,615 | 3,923 | 3,985 | 2,548 |

## 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

2.39 million units( $\mathrm{FY} 3 / 2016$ )

USS's fee per unit

## Ave.23,000yen

Contract completion rate $65.3 \%$ (fraze0|6)

## 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

- Domestic and overseas used car demand ((2)and(3)). Recently demand is being driven by overseas demand
■ In addition to the above, share of the used car auction market and contract ratio, affect 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: 32.5\% (CY2016))

- A nationwide network of 17 auction sites; 46,000 members

■Tokyo Auction Site (Largest in Japan) and Nagoya Auction Sites (Third) 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:89.4\%)

High quality used cars concentrate at USS $\rightarrow$ Contract completion ratio surpassing industry
average
(Share of vehicles contracted: 33.5\% (cy2016))

## History of USS Long-term Growth

## 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 auction site | Overview |
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| TAA | 10 | Operated by Toyota UZEC, a wholly owned subsidiary of Toyota Motor Corporation. Vehicles are consigned largely by Toyota dealers. Operates 10 auction sites and three yards at remote locations throughout Japan. |
| JAA | 2 | JAA operates two auction sites: JAA Tokyo Auction site and HAA Kobe Auction site (Operated by JAA subsidiary HAA) |
| CAA | 4 | Capital alliance with Toyota UZEC. Operates auction sites in Aichi, Chiba, Gifu and Iwate prefectures. Shares systems with TAA. |
| Arai AA | 4 | Arai Shoji (headquartered at Hiratsuka City, Kanagawa Prefecture) operates auction sites in Miyagi, Kanagawa and Fukuoka prefectures. |
| KCAA | 4 | Kyushu Chuo Auto Auction (Koga city, Fukuoka prefecture) operates auction sites in Miyazaki, Fukuoka, Yamaguchi and Kyoto prefectures. |
| JU Gifu | 1 | JU Gifu Hashima Auto Auction (Hashima City, Gifu 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) Plans call for capital investment to the tune of 20 billion yen over the two year period to $\mathrm{FY} 3 / 2017$.
$\Rightarrow$ 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 (shaken) used Japanese cars are high.

## Management Strategy: Capital Investment Actual and Planned



Capital investment (project completion basis)

## (Billion yen)

20


## Capital investment plan

Capital investment to the tune of 20 billion yen over two years to
FY3/2017 to further strengthen competitive power
Sapporo Auction Site
Reconstruction
Capital investment: Approximately $¥ 3.0$ billion
Scheduled to commence operations in May 2017


Nagoya Multi-level stock house
Capital investment: Approximately $¥ 7.7$ billion Commenced operations in Feb. 15, 2016 R-Nagoya Reconstruction and moving Capital investment: Approximately $¥ 1.5$ billion Commenced operations in Jul. 26, 2016

## Increase shareholder distributions while continuing investment for growth

■ Consolidated dividend payout ratio: Over 50\% from FY3/2017 (Previously 45\%)

■ Stock repurchase: Implement flexibly, with due consideration to cash flows, capital investment plans and market environment (Shares repurchased: 5 million shares ( $¥ 8.6$ billion) between March 16 and July 1, 2016)

- Return on equity (ROE):

Medium-term target is maintain it at above 15\%

## Earnings Distributions - Dividend Policy

■FY3/2017 Annual dividend per share forecast to increase to 46.4 yen (up 5.6 yen from previous FY ) due to the increase in the consolidated payout ratio.
(Previous forecast (announced May 9, 2016) has been left unchanged.)

- 17 consecutive years of dividend growth since listing

*Dividend per share is retroactively adjusted to the number of shares outstanding as of the effective date (October 1, 2013) of the stock split.


## Earnings Distributions - Consolidated Payout Ratio

■Flexible stock repurchases while maintaining stable dividend.
■Estimated total shareholder distribution ratio (FY3/2017): 86.9\%


## Earnings Distributions -Return on Equity (ROE)

■ROE for FY3/2017 is likely to fall below $15 \%$ as earnings are forecast to decline.
$\square$ No change in the medium-term ROE target of above 15\%.

## ROE



| $\begin{array}{l}\text { Used car } \\ \text { System } \\ \text { Solutions }\end{array}$ |
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■Aim at increasing shareholder value by a two-pronged strategy of solid investments in growth and active shareholder distributions


■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 |
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| $\qquad$Established nomination and <br> compensation committees <br> As of February 2017 <br> Directors 10 (of which outside directors: 3 ) <br> Auditors: 3 (of which outside auditors: 2) <br> Executive officers: 5 |


[^0]:    Reference materials
    Japan Automobile Dealers Association, Japan Light Motor Vehicle and Motorcycle Association, USEDCAR Co., Ltd., Trade Statistics of Japan Ministry of Finance

[^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.

