



Notice Concerning the Acquisition of a Newly Established Company that will succeed JSR's in vitro diagnostic pharmaceutical business

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Tokuyama Corporation

Significance of the acquisition



Medium-Term Management Plan 2025

- Transform business portfolio → Promote and expand growth businesses in each of the "Electronics," "Healthcare," and "Environment" fields
- Contribute to mitigation of global warming

■ Practice socially responsible management

Life Science Segment

- Promote the continued development of the Life Science Business Division, including the dental materials and equipment, diagnosis systems, APIs and intermediate, and Plastic lens-related materials business
- Initiated research and development activities aimed at expanding the healthcare domain as a next step following the inclusion of A&T in the Company's scope of consolidation as a wholly owned subsidiary in FY2020

Further strengthen activities in the healthcare field and expand the domain

Differentiate the Group's
technologies and pursue added value
*Develop the in vitro diagnostics business,
including immunoassay reagents as well as
Point of Care Testing (POCT)

Accelerate the pace of business portfolio transformation by engaging in M&As

* Discover synergies with technologies and materials that the Company is yet to possess

Garner in a foothold in overseas markets that are exhibiting growth

*Enter medical field from the Indian base

Overview of the acquisition



Newly acquired businesses	Successor company in absorption-type split, related to IVD and IVDM* business held by JSR Corporation	
Scheme	Please refer page3 and 4	
Acquisition price	82 billion yen	
Closing date	Scheduled for October 2025	
Procurement of funds	Acquisition using cash-on-hand and interest-bearing debt	
Prerequisite process in undertaking the acquisition	Confirm whether or not notification is required under the competition laws and foreign investment regulations of the relevant countries, and obtain approvals	

^{*}IVD and IVDM: In vitro diagnostics and in vitro diagnostics pharmaceutical materials businesses

Overview of the acquisition





Acquisition

Successor company

(New Company)

MEDICAL & BIOLOGICAL LABORATORIES CO., LTD.<MBL>

- ■In vitro diagnostics business
- Companion molecular diagnostic products business
- ■Reagents for research use business
- Raw materials for reagents business (Sales)

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■ Raw materials for reagents business (Manufacture)

MBL Beijing Co., Ltd. (China)

MBL Shenzhen Biotech Co., Ltd. (China)

G&G Science Co., Ltd. (Japan)

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Acquisition of all shares

Acquisition

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*Company name to be changed after acquisition

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Newly acquired businesses

-IVD&IVDM business/ In vitro diagnostics and in vitro diagnostics pharmaceutical materials



MEDICAL & **BIOLOGICAL LABORATORIES** CO., LTD

	Business segment	Business description	
6	In vitro diagnostics	Presence of the domestic immunoassay market for autoimmune diseases, with a full lineup of new items and development pipeline	
	Molecular diagnostic products	Pioneer in companion reagents*1 in Japan, with strengths in the field of oncology*2; regulatory affairs capabilities and robust KOL*3 network	
	Reagents for research use	Creation of seeds for R&D in the reagent testing business through various means, including joint research with academia and pharmaceutical company laboratory technicians	
	Raw materials for reagents (Sales)	Supply of particle raw materials to domestic diagnostic reagent manufacturers; supply to more than 600 corporate customers, including major Chinese companies	

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Business segment	Business description
Raw materials for reagents (Manufacture)	Manufacture of particle raw materials for in vitro diagnostic products sold by MEDICAL & BIOLOGICAL LABORATORIES CO., LTD

Testing reagents used for a variety of purposes, including the identification of genetic mutations prior to treatment, to improve the efficacy and safety of certain therapeutic drugs

^{*2} cancer diagnosis and treatment

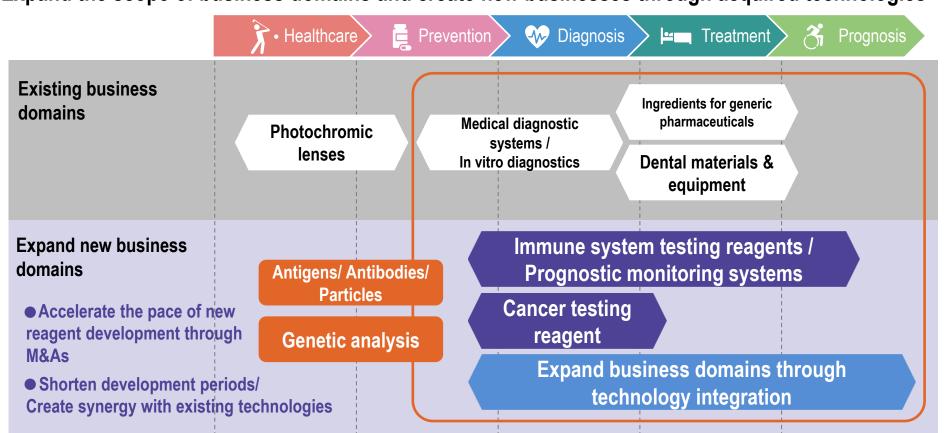
^{*3} Key Opinion Leader

Future Vision for the Life Science Business

-Supporting people's lives and improving quality of life



Expand the scope of business domains and create new businesses through acquired technologies



Future business growth through synergies



- ◆ From a short-term perspective, take full advantage of cross-selling opportunities by mutually leveraging the customers bases of both companies; integrate the R&D function
- ◆ From a medium-term perspective, develop new products by mutually utilizing both companies' resources
- ◆ Enter the precision medical market, which is expected to exhibit future growth

Timeline	Short term (1-2 years)	Medium term (3-5 years)	Long term (More than 6 years)
Theme	 Explore cross-selling opportunities (mutual use of both companies' customer bases and products) Streamline operations by integrating business infrastructure 	 Promote the development and launch of new products by leveraging the resources of both companies 	 Strategically expand into the precision medical market (including treatment selection through to prevention to prognosis management) in Japan Utilize for the Tokuyama healthcare business concept
Synergy	 Sale of MEDICAL & BIOLOGICAL LABORATORIES CO., LTD. (MBL) products to A&T customers (Japan, Korea, China) Sale of A&T products to MBL customers (China) Efficient and accelerated R&D activity through joining R&D staff and function of both companies' Tsukuba Laboratories 	 Development of new reagents through MBL's antibody development capabilities and JSR's efforts to upgrade and expand particle raw materials Positive steps to accelerate the pace of Tokuyama development leveraged by MBL's technology and regulatory affairs capabilities Creation of ideas for Tokuyama- developed products leveraged by MBL's domestic KOL network and the customer network in China Sale of new Tokuyama products to domestic testing centers (MBL customers) 	 Positive steps to enter and proactively expand the growing oncology/precision medicine market Positive steps to explore development opportunities in the pharmaceutical domain that leverages the resources of both companies, including alternative drug discovery and PF development

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