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## F. Hoffmann-La Roche Announces Financial Results for Fiscal 2007

F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd. (hereafter "Roche") [Head Office: Basel, Switzerland. Chairman and CEO: Franz B. Humer] announced today, its financial results for fiscal 2007 (January 1 – December 31, 2007). Roche owns 50.1% of Chugai's outstanding shares (51.4% of voting rights) since October 1, 2002 (as of December 31, 2007). Its press release, presentation materials and annual report can be found on its Website (http://www.roche.com).

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Chugai's profit and loss for the period of January 1 to December 31, 2007 and financial position as of December 31, 2007 are included in the announced Roche Group's financial results. These results are based on Roche's accounting policies which conform to International Financial Reporting Standards, which differ from generally accepted accounting standards in Japan.