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## F. Hoffmann-La Roche Announces Second Quarter Sales 2012

F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd. (hereafter "Roche") [Head Office: Basel, Switzerland. CEO: Severin Schwan] announced today, its second quarter sales 2012 (January 1 – June 30, 2012). Roche owns 59.9% of Chugai's outstanding shares (61.6% of voting rights) as of end of June 2012. Its press release and presentation materials can be found on its Website (http://www.roche.com).

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Chugai's sales for the period of January 1 to June 30, 2012 are included in the announced Roche Group's sales. 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.