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## **F. Hoffmann-La Roche Announces 2009 Half Year Results**

F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd. (hereafter "Roche") [Head Office: Basel, Switzerland. CEO: Severin Schwan] announced today, its 2009 Half Year Results (January 1 – June 30, 2009). Roche owns 59.9% of Chugai's outstanding shares (61.5% of voting rights) as of end of June 2009. Its press release and presentation materials can be found on its Website (<http://www.roche.com>).

Media Release

Presentation (PDF)

Half Year Report 2009(PDF)

Chugai's sales for the period of January 1 to June 30, 2009 are included in the announced Roche Group's 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.