

## JT Group Business Plan 2024

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- 1. increase in awareness of health concerns related to smoking;
- 2. regulatory developments; including, without limitation, tax increases and restrictions on sales, marketing, packaging, labeling and use of tobacco products, privately imposed restrictions and governmental investigations;
- 3. litigation around the world alleging adverse health and financial effects resulting from, or relating to, tobacco products;
- 4. our ability to further diversify our business beyond the traditional tobacco industry;
- 5. our ability to successfully expand internationally and make investments outside Japan;
- 6. competition, changing consumer preferences and behavior;
- 7. our ability to manage impacts derived from business diversification or business expansion;
- 8. economic, regulatory and political changes, such as nationalization, terrorism, wars and civil unrest, in countries in which we operate;
- 9. fluctuations in foreign exchange rates and the costs of raw materials; and
- 10. catastrophes, including natural disasters.

#### Agenda

- FY2023 Overview
- Business Plan 2024
- Sustainability
- JT Group Purpose / D-LAB
- Tobacco Business FY2023 Results and FY2024 Outlook
- JT Group FY2023 Financials and FY2024 Forecast
- Closing Remarks

### FY 2023 Overview | Record high levels across all indicators\*)

- All business segments delivered strongly, exceeding initial forecasts and prior year results
  - Tobacco
    - Combustibles | Continued share gains, fueled by GFBs, and pricing across clusters
    - RRP | Volume expansion driven by share gains in Japan and market launches
  - Pharmaceutical | Organic revenue growth and high royalties, plus one-time compensation gains
  - Processed Food | Profit growth fueled by recovery in demand for food services as well as pricing

#### (vs. 2022)

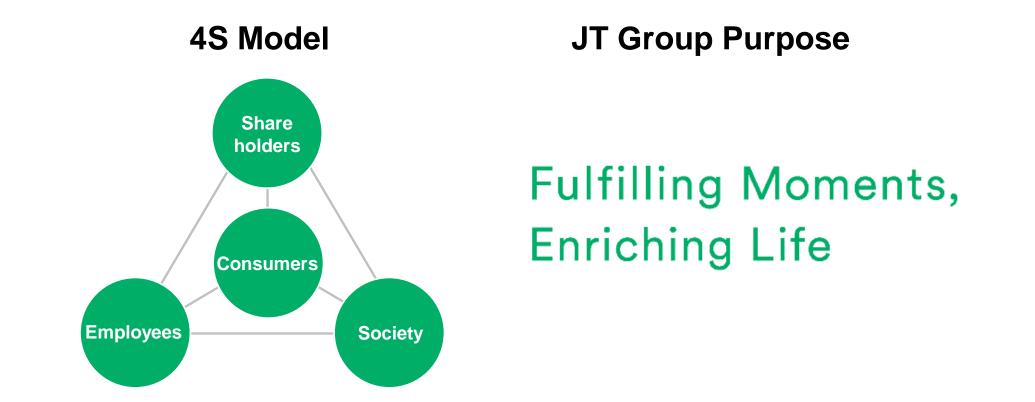
- ✓ Consolidated AOP at constant FX: +5.2%
- ✓ Profit: **+8.9%**

(vs. initial 2023 forecast)

- ✓ Consolidated AOP at constant FX: **+5.2%**
- ✓ Profit: +9.6%

• DPS: JPY 194 (planned)

#### Business Plan 2024 4S Model and JT Group Purpose guide our resource allocation



- Prioritize business investments for sustainable profit growth in the mid to long term
- Strike a balance between profit growth, through business investments, and shareholder returns

#### Business Plan 2024 Pursue sustainable profit growth over mid to long term

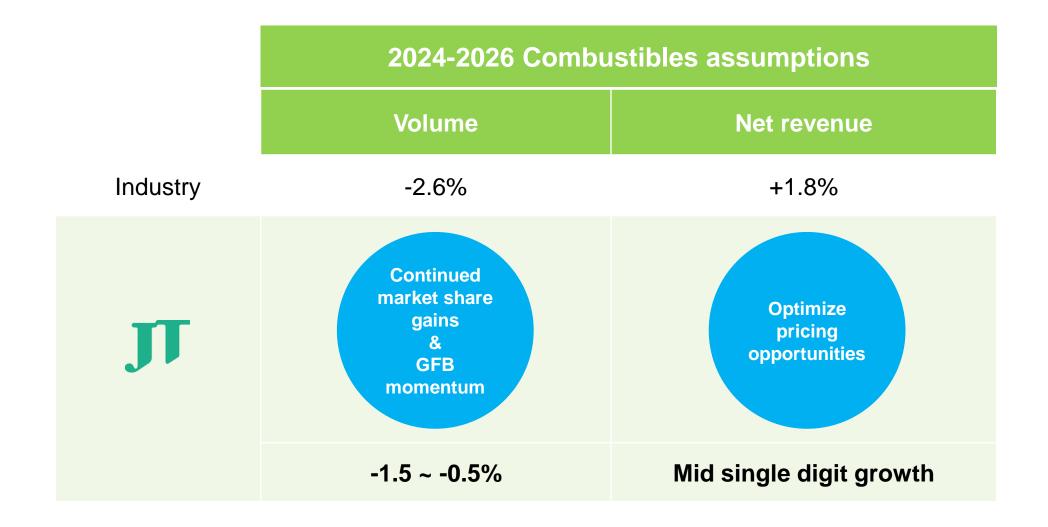
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#### Mid to Long Term Growth Algorithm Grow AOP\*) at mid to high single digit rate

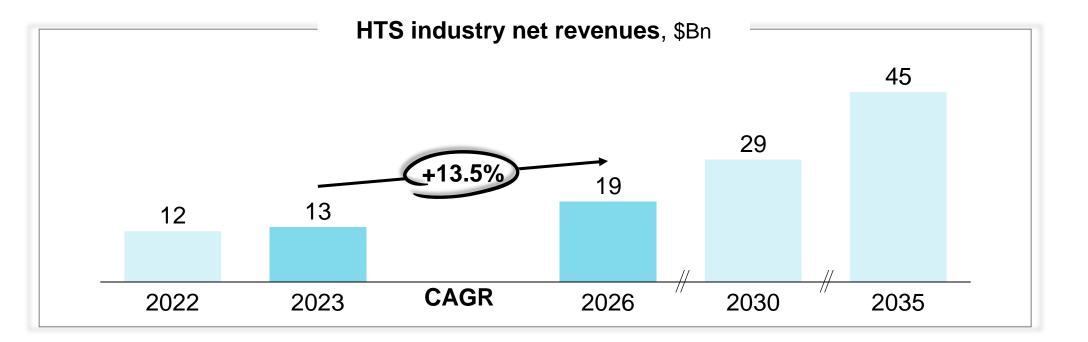
**Outlook for 2024-2026:** AOP expected to grow mid single digit, considering a flat AOP growth in FY24 to account for incremental investments towards RRP

Profit growth engine	Complementary profit growth areas		
Tobacco	Pharmaceutical	Processed Food	
Optimize top-line in combustibles and prioritize investments in HTS	Focus R&D investments towards next-generation strategic products and maximize value of each product	Realize profitable top-line growth	
<ul> <li>Invest to grow and continuously improve ROI in combustibles</li> <li>Grow HTS and explore other RRP segments</li> <li>Continue strengthening company wide strategic capabilities</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Reinforce drug discovery capabilities and build unique pipeline</li> <li>Strengthen revenue base within Japan market</li> <li>Improve productivity through optimization of mid- to long-term business base</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Optimize pricing opportunities</li> <li>Allocate more management resources towards high value-added products</li> <li>Accelerate initiatives for long-term business growth</li> </ul>	

#### Business Plan 2024 | FY2024-2026 Tobacco | Combustibles growth expected to outperform industry estimates

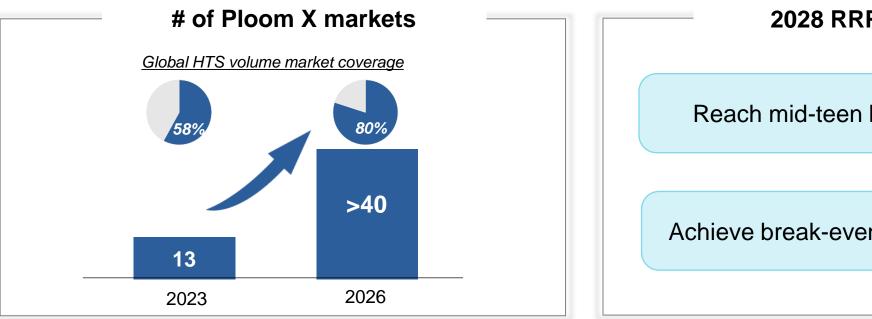


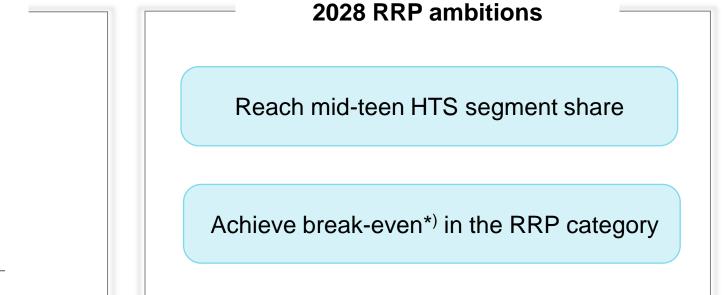
#### Business Plan 2024 | FY2024-2026 Tobacco | Accelerate revenue growth in HTS



- Strategy to prioritize and grow HTS is supported by RRP industry assumptions highlighting HTS as the largest and fastest growing RRP segment in value
- JT RRP revenue to increase by approx. 2.5 times by end of 2026 (vs. 2023)

#### **Business Plan 2024 | FY2024-2026 Tobacco | Making steady progress towards 2028 RRP ambitions**





- Continue to invest in HTS to account for increased marketing activities, including new HTS device launches ٠ during the plan period, intensified competitive environment, and additional market launches
  - Geographical expansion enable us to cover approximately 80% of the total global HTS demand by end of 2025. Ploom X to be available in over 40 markets by end of 2026
- Delivery of 2028 RRP ambitions is supported by the larger HTS footprint, share of segment growth and a gradual improvement in the RRP contribution

#### **Sustainability**

#### 25 JT Group Sustainability Targets formulated

JT Group Purpose	Fulfilling Moments, Enriching Life						
JT Group Materiality		will depend on the sust	ainability of the environment and so	ving, and the activities of corporate o ociety in which we exist. itment to working on the issues iden Responsible Supply Chain Management			
	Preserve a harmonious relationship between our environment, people, and corporate organizations through initiatives to improve our impact on environment	Create diverse products and services beyond consumer expectations	Invest in people to support their development with attention to diversity, and enhance human capital by fostering a corporate culture that maximizes individuality and ability of each person	Create a sustainable supply chain capable of withstanding sudden changes in the business environment, by tackling social issues such as respecting human rights or preservation of our environment	Enhance our governance by improving our stakeholder satisfaction and continue to be a trustworthy corporate entity		
JT Group Sustainability Targets	25 sustainability targets based on our materiality						

#### **Sustainability**

#### 25 JT Group Sustainability Targets formulated

ž	Biodiversity impact assessment		Emissions reduction	ž	Renewable energy
ž	Protecting water		Enhancing biodiversity – No deforestation, no conversion		Waste reduction
	Designing for circularity – Packaging, product and device		Sustainable agriculture		Reduced-Risk Products
	Transparency in reduced-risk science		Youth access prevention		Creating first-in-class drugs
	Food Inclusion	<b>V</b>	Diversity, equity & inclusion	<b>V</b>	Talent attraction
<b>V</b>	Attractive working conditions		Health and safety		Development support
ÝŽ÷	Internal and external collaboration		Supplier screening and supply chain due diligence		Grower living income
	Human rights in grower communities		Grievance mechanisms	<b>*</b> *	Community investment
	Internal control	For details about the JT Group Sustainability Targets, please visit our website. https://www.jt.com/sustainability/index.html			

#### **Update on corporate initiatives**

#### **JT Group Purpose**

- New company purpose very well received by all stakeholders, notably employees
- Management team conducted dialogue with employees to promote the permeation and practice of the Purpose throughout the year

#### D-LAB

- A Corporate R&D organization that supports the realization of our Purpose
- D-LAB continues to explore long-term growth opportunities, focusing on the concept of "Fulfilling Moments, Enriching Life"

### Fulfilling Moments, Enriching Life









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# **Closing Remarks**

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### **Closing Remarks**

- Delivered another strong set of results
  - Solid pricing and market share growth in Combustibles
  - HTS volume and share increases
  - Pharmaceutical and Processed Food business complemented the Group's profit growth
- Unchanged resource allocation policy, guided by the 4S Model and JT Group Purpose
- Accelerating strategic investments in RRP to make HTS the second growth engine next to Combustibles
- Consolidated AOP at constant FX expected to grow mid single digit during Business Plan 2024
- Aim to enhance shareholder returns by delivering sustainable profit growth mid to long term

Fulfilling Moments, Enriching Life

