

# Corporate Data

## CORPORATE PROFILE (AS OF MARCH 31, 2004)

■ ESTABLISHMENT	June 2, 1947
■ PAID-IN CAPITAL	¥3,840 million
■ AUTHORIZED SHARES	80,000,000
■ OUTSTANDING SHARES*	39,056,062
■ NUMBER OF SHAREHOLDERS	4,253
■ NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES	510

\*As of July 20, 2004 Stock Split

## COMPANY QUALITY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

A Certification of the Quality Management System of Seikagaku and the Conformity Assessment Procedure for the European Compliance was performed by the European Notified Body TÜV Product Service GmbH in Deutschland, as documented in the following certificates:

January 1998: EC Certificate (MDD, Annex II-3)  
:updated in January 2003

February 1998: QS Certificate (ISO9001/ISO13485)  
:updated in February 2004 (ISO9001)  
:updated in April 2004 (ISO13485)

## CORPORATE HISTORY

- 1947 Kosei Suisan K.K. established.
- 1950 Industrial production of chondroitin sulfate as a pharmaceutical begins.
- 1953 Official name of company changed to K.K. SEIKAGAKU KENKYUSHO.
- 1957 Inauguration of Mucopolysaccharides Study Group.
- 1960 TOKYO RESEARCH INSTITUTE opens.  
Development and marketing of research biochemicals begins.
- 1962 Official name of company changed to SEIKAGAKU CORPORATION.
- 1967 Korinkaku Symposium for Japanese and international researchers working with mucopolysaccharides.
- 1968 TOKYO RESEARCH INSTITUTE relocated to Higashi-Yamato city.
- 1975 TAKAHAGI PLANT opens.
- 1981 Proteoglycan Meeting convened for international researchers attending the 6th International Glycoconjugates Symposium.  
World's first endotoxin colorimetry reagent developed and manufactured.
- 1987 Marketing begins for ARTZ<sup>®</sup> and OPEGAN<sup>®</sup>.  
Joint research with Aichi Medical University established.
- 1989 Company shares registered with the Japan Securities Dealers Association.
- 1990 New wing in the TOKYO RESEARCH INSTITUTE completed.
- 1991 New bulk production facilities in the KURIHAMA PLANT completed.
- 1992 Mizutani Foundation for Glycoscience established.  
Sales license for ARTZ<sup>®</sup> (ARTZAL<sup>®</sup>) approved in Sweden.
- 1993 New production line for ARTZ Dispo<sup>®</sup> completed,  
and marketing of the product begins.
- 1994 Sales license for ARTZ<sup>®</sup> approved in Finland.
- 1995 Multipurpose sterile facility at the TOKYO RESEARCH INSTITUTE completed.  
New upgraded bulk production facility completed at the KURIHAMA PLANT.  
Sales license for ARTZ<sup>®</sup> approved in Austria.  
Sales license for ARTZ<sup>®</sup> approved in Italy.
- 1996 The Integrated Quality Control Wing in KURIHAMA PLANT completed.
- 1997 Sales license for ARTZ<sup>®</sup> approved in China.  
Acquisition of Associates of Cape Cod, Inc. (U.S.A.)
- 1998 QA certification [ISO9001/EN46001(now ISO13485)] obtained.  
Sales license for ARTZ<sup>®</sup> approved in Taiwan.
- 1999 Marketing begins for OPEGAN<sup>®</sup>0.6, OPEGAN<sup>®</sup>1.1.
- 2000 Marketing begins for SUPARTZ<sup>®</sup> in EU.
- 2001 Marketing begins for SUPARTZ<sup>®</sup> in U.S.A. and Canada.  
Third production line at TAKAHAGI PLANT completed.
- 2002 Marketing begins for Emdogain<sup>®</sup> Gel.
- 2004 Listing moved to the Tokyo Stock Exchange, Second Section.