





**Takeda Pharmaceutical
Company (C): The Future of
Takeda**

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HISTORY

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1781- Takeda was founded by
32-year old Chobei Takeda

1871- Started importing
Western medicines

1895- acquired Uchibayashi
Drug Works Company



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1933- Takeda created a garden to start growing herbs and plants used in medicines

1944- Institute for Fermentation, Osaka established (today it is a research foundation dedicated to the study of microbial science)

1946- Hikari Plant opens (Takeda converted old naval arsenal in Hikari, Yamaguchi Prefecture, into a factory)

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1949- Takeda's shares first listed on stock exchanges

1962- Sales expanded into Asia

1963- Takeda Science Foundation Established
(This foundation was established to develop and contribute to scientific discoveries)

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CURRENT STATUS

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- **Largest** pharmaceutical company in **Japan and Asia**
- Market presence in **70 countries**
- Over **30,000** employees
- **21** Pharmaceutical R&D plants **across globe**