

# November 2017 Skylark Group Monthly IR Report

<u>FY2017</u>													
(%YoY)	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Total Sales	2.0%	-0.1%	2.1%	3.5%	0.5%	3.5%	2.1%	2.5%	3.3%	-2.7%	1.5%		1.7%
Same Store Sales	0.8%	-1.0%	1.3%	2.6%	-0.4%	2.0%	0.6%	0.6%	1.2%	-5.1%	-1.2%		0.1%
Same Store Traffic	-0.8%	-2.4%	-0.5%	0.9%	-1.8%	0.4%	-0.3%	-0.1%	-0.5%	-7.5%	-3.4%		-1.4%
Same Store ATP	1.6%	1.4%	1.8%	1.7%	1.4%	1.6%	0.9%	0.7%	1.7%	2.6%	2.3%		1.6%

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
New Openings	6	3	5	10	5	10	13	8	8	17	5		90
Total # of Stores	3,064	3,055	3,061	3,075	3,079	3,090	3,104	3,109	3,117	3,133	3,139		3,139
International	48	48	47	48	48	48	50	50	50	51	52		52

### **Highlights**

In November 2017, sales for the Skylark Group, including new store openings, increased 1.5% year on year, and same store sales decreased 1.2% year on year.

The Skylark Group has been forcusing on improvement of store operations by optimizing types of discount coupons and so on. Compared with last November, the changes in the promotion contents gave negative impacts. The shortening of late night operating hours also reduced sales by approx.1%.

The price increase, the Group implemented in September, progressed as planned and contributed to growth in average ticket price. Gusto and Jonathan's are offering House-made roast chicken for delivery and take-out, which had received favorable responses from customers last year. The sales in this year have also been progressing well.

In November, the Skylark Group opened 5 new stores, of which 2 restaurants were Gusto, 1 was based in Taiwan and the remaining 2 were other brands. From January to November 2017, the Group implemented 90 new store openings, 25 brand conversions and 293 remodels.

#### Number of restaurants as of end-November

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	Gusto	Bamiyan	Jonathan's	Yumean	Syaybu-Yo	Steak Gusto	Others	Total
	1,367	332	301	194	178	137	630	3,139

Gusto: Limited-time offer H-bone lean beef steak



Jonathan's: Delivery and Take-out 2017 Christmas menu



Totoyamichi: Limited-time offer Bluefin tuna from Oma, Aomori





## FY2016

(%YoY)	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Total Sales	2.3%	2.3%	-0.9%	0.5%	-2.3%	1.0%	4.8%	-3.1%	-0.5%	5.1%	1.2%	5.0%	1.2%
Same Store Sales	1.0%	0.8%	-2.0%	-0.7%	-3.6%	-0.4%	3.5%	-4.3%	-2.0%	3.3%	-0.2%	3.8%	-0.1%
Same Store Traffic	-0.3%	0.0%	-2.7%	-1.5%	-3.8%	-1.2%	2.6%	-4.9%	-2.1%	2.2%	-2.4%	0.9%	-1.2%
Same Store ATP	1.3%	0.8%	0.7%	0.8%	0.3%	0.8%	0.8%	0.6%	0.1%	1.1%	2.2%	2.9%	1.0%

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
New Openings	1	3	5	7	4	3	5	1	6	4	6	4	49
Total # of Stores	3,031	3,032	3,031	3,035	3,036	3,040	3,045	3,045	3,055	3,061	3,065	3,068	3,068
International	41	42	41	41	43	45	45	45	46	46	46	47	47

#### Note

1. The data for group total sales is on a domestic consolidated basis and does not include overseas sales.

Same store is defined as a store which has been open for 13 months or longer (includes stores which underwent brand conversion)
Customer traffic includes traffic from the delivery business\*

\*Customer traffic from delivery = Delivery sales / Average check

3. ATP: Average Ticket Price

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