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Ahold announces financial information on Albert Heijn and Stop & Shop for fiscal years 2000 - 2002

Zaandam, The Netherlands, September 4, 2003 – After consultation with the VEB (Dutch Association of Securities Owners), Ahold today published unaudited financial information for its wholly-owned subsidiaries, Albert Heijn and Stop & Shop, for fiscal years 2000 – 2002. This information, subject to any audit-related adjustments, will be included in the business segment information contained in Ahold's Annual Report and Annual Report on Form 20-F for fiscal year 2002. The numbers below for Stop & Shop are given in USD but will be in Euros in the Annual Report and Form 20-F, using the applicable exchange rates for the relevant periods.

Segment information for Albert Heijn and Stop & Shop

all numbers x 1,000,000					
			2002	2001	2000
Net sales					
Stop & Shop	USD		9,476	8,779	6,333
Albert Heijn	EUR		5,703	5,409	5,201
Operating income					
Stop & Shop	USD		714	564	537
Albert Heijn	EUR		262	247	196
Tangible and intangible fixed assets					
Stop & Shop	USD		3,282	2,952	2,063
Albert Heijn	EUR		589	611	597
Expenditures for additions to tangible fixed assets					
Stop & Shop	USD		629	707	481
Albert Heijn	EUR		92	146	95
Expenditures for additions to intangible fixed assets					
Stop & Shop	USD		28	25	-
Albert Heijn	EUR		22	19	7

Depreciation and amortization				
Stop & Shop	USD	275	245	151
Albert Heijn	EUR	124	127	125
Assets in use for operational activities				
Stop & Shop	USD	4,393	4,211	3,092
Albert Heijn	EUR	1,195	1,230	1,147
<i>Definition; All assets, less investment in group companies and loans to group companies.</i>				
Liabilities from operational activities				
Stop & Shop	USD	1,078	1,005	1,120
Albert Heijn	EUR	720	646	628
<i>Definition; All liabilities, less interest bearing debt.</i>				
Number of associates in full-time equivalents, average (x 1)				
Stop & Shop		40,027	38,443	28,736
Albert Heijn		22,425	22,292	22,934
Number of stores (x 1)				
Stop & Shop		333	321	211
Albert Heijn - company stores		489	479	508
Albert Heijn - franchise stores		217	207	201

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