## Topics from Fiscal 2017 and More Recently

Date	Field	Details
2016		
April	Scientific Solutions	Launched IPLEX NX industrial videoscope (simultaneous global launch)
April	Corporate	Inventors responsible for the development of an endoscopy system utilizing narrow band imaging (NBI) technologies awarded Prize for Science and Technology in the Development Category of the 2016 Commendation for Science and Technology by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology
April	Corporate	Completed new buildings at Aizu Olympus Co., Ltd., and Aomori Olympus Co., Ltd.
May	Corporate	Stopped implementing measures to prevent large-scale acquisitions of the Company's stock (takeover defense measures)
May	Imaging	M. Zuiko Digital ED 12-100mm f/4.0 IS PRO received Camera Grand Prix Japan 2016 "Lens of the Year" award
July	Corporate	Established endoscope training center in Thailand
July	Scientific Solutions	Released FV3000 laser scanning confocal microscope (staggered global launch)
July	Corporate	Nagano Olympus Co., Ltd., received GOOD FACTORY award from Japan Management Association
September	Scientific Solutions	Introduced VANTA handheld X-ray fluorescence (XRF) analyzer (staggered global launch)
October	Corporate	Transferred Nippon Outsourcing Corporation to The Longreach Group
November	Corporate	Employee of Nagano Olympus Co., Ltd., received Medal with Yellow Ribbon in Cabinet Office's Biannual Conferment of Decorations for autumn 2016
November	Corporate	Established regional business center for the Middle East and Africa in Dubai (operations commenced in April 2017)
December	Imaging	Launched OLYMPUS OM-D E-M1 Mark II mirrorless camera
December	Corporate	Absorbed Olympus Software Technology Corporation
2017		
February	Corporate	Dissolved capital alliance with Terumo Corporation
March	Medical	Released VISERA ELITE II surgical endoscopy system

## April 2017

## Announced acquisition of Image Stream Medical, Inc., of the United States

Image Stream Medical, Inc. (ISM), is an operating room image management system integrator that is actively deploying solutions utilizing cutting-edge Internet protocol (IP) image transmission technologies in the U.S. market. This company has incorporated such solutions into the base systems of a number of large-scale hospitals.

Olympus has been providing systems that encompass everything from examination to treatment and surgery through means such as coordinating procedures in endoscopic therapy facilities, where gastrointestinal endoscopes are used, with those in operating rooms, where surgical endoscopes are used. The acquisition of ISM will bring with it the IP image transmission technologies and system integration operating foundations that this company has fostered in the medical field. These assets will be powerful tools for reinforcing Olympus' operating room system integration business, a goal put forth in 16CSP. Moreover, they will facilitate our efforts to contribute to society by making people's lives healthier, safer, and more fulfilling around the world through the provision of better medical environments.



Operating room of ISM head office